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PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

Estate Lieutenant-Colonel W. Atkins (retired), deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late William Atkins, a Lieutenant-Colonel in His Majesty's Indian Army of 7, Montpellier Grove, Cheltenham, Gloucester, who died at the above address on 19th May 1916, Letters of Administration to whose Estate have been granted to Joseph Carstairs Roberts Johnston of Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, are required to send in the same on or before 28th October next to the said Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to administer the assets having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice, and no claims sent in subsequently will be recognized.

J. C. R. JOHNSTON.

Calcutta, 16th September 1916.

LOST.

The Government Promissory Note No. 080545 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to I. J. Engles, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that the payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The Public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of the advertiser—I. J. ENGLES,

Residence—Lahore, Sub-Inspector of Police, C.I.D., Punjab.

Abstract statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st October 1915, being the second quarter of the year 1915-16, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1914-15.

PARTICULARS.	For the quarter ending 31st October 1915.	For the quarter ending 31st October 1914.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,45,25,549 10 10	1,47,53,782 6 10	......	2,28,232 12 0
ADD INCOME—				
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October in the Widows' Fund	74,730 0 0	78,205 14 0	......	3,475 8 0
Subscriptions from 1st August to 31st October in the Children's Fund	28,287 0 0	30,685 3 0	......	2,398 3 0
Income and outlay on office buildings and grounds	1,360 2 0	990 10 0	369 8 0	......
Fees and stamps	1 0 0	18 8 0	......	17 8 0
Amount at credit of subscribers under Rule 55 transferred to divisible surplus	201 0 0	....	201 0 0	......
Total Income	1,04,579 8 0	1,09,900 3 0	570 8 0	5,891 3 0
GRAND TOTAL	1,46,30,129 2 10	1,48,63,682 9 10	570 8 0	A 2,34,123 15 0
DEDUCT EXPENDITURE—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund	1,90,625 13 4	1,95,572 9 0	......	4,946 11 8
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund	95,216 4 0	95,237 1 2	......	20 13 2
Establishment and contingencies	6,328 11 1	6,438 6 4	......	109 11 3
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	8,318 14 0	9,725 5 3	......	1,406 7 3
Commission paid for money orders	622 13 6	655 1 6	......	32 4 0
Building repairs	......	1,483 2 0	......	1,483 2 0
Total Expenditure	3,01,110 7 11	3,09,109 9 3	......	B 7,999 1 4
Balance in favour of the Fund	1,43,29,018 10 11	1,45,54,573 0 7	570 8 0	C 2,26,124 13 8
GRAND TOTAL	1,46,30,129 2 10	1,48,63,682 9 10	570 8 0	2,34,123 15 0
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	75,057 9 0	88,278 12 0	......	13,221 3 0

	Widows' Fund. (1915)	Children's Fund. (1915)	Widows' Fund. (1914)	Children's Fund. (1914)	Widows' Fund. (Increase)	Children's Fund. (Increase)	Widows' Fund. (Decrease)	Children's Fund. (Decrease)
Number of subscribers (on 31st October)	717	372	758	398	...	..	41	26
Number of incumbents (on 31st October)	735	814	761	829	...	...	26	15
Number of subscribers sharing abatement (on 1st May)	737	372	777	402	...	...	40	30

	Rs. A. P.
A.—Net decrease in grand total of income	2,33,553 7 0
B.—Net decrease in total expenditure	7,999 1 4
C.—Net decrease in balance	2,25,554 5 8

N. HAMILTON, C.A. (Offg.)
J. C. C. GRAY, } *Auditors.*

S. B. THOMSON,
Accountant.

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J. M. MENDES,
Secretary.

U. S. F. P. Fund Office, Calcutta, the 24th August 1916.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA.

Notice to Respondent of the day fixed for hearing of Appeal.

(ORDER XLI, RULE 14 OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE.)

APPEAL FROM ORDER NO. 168 OF 1916.

Dated the 20th September 1916.

Appeal valued at Rs. 3,800.

Appeal from the order of the Court of the District Judge of Patna, dated the 31st May 1915.

Nandai Ram and others, Appellants,

versus

Sheo Nath Prashad and others, Respondents.

To

18. Siri Ram, Ram Nath of Pooranagunj, Cawnpore.

19. Ghasi Ram, Bansidhar of Delhi.

Respondent.

Take notice that an appeal from the order of the District Judge of Patna in this case has been presented by Mr. Rai Tribhuan Nath Sahai, Vakeel for the above-mentioned Appellant and registered in this Court; and that the 2nd day of November 1916 has been fixed by the Court for the hearing of the appeal.

If no appearance is made on your behalf by yourself, your pleader, or by some one by law authorized to act for you in this appeal, it will be heard and decided *ex parte* in your absence.

Signed and sealed by order of the Court, this 20th day of September 1916.

APPEAL FROM ORDER NO. 170 OF 1916.

Dated 20th September 1916.

Appeal valued at Rs. 3,800.

Appeal from the order of the Court of the District Judge of Patna, dated the 31st of May 1915.

Pali Ram and others, Appellants,

versus

Sheo Nath Prashad and others, Respondents.

To

18. Siri Ram, Ram Nath of Pooranagunj, Cawnpore,

19. Ghasi Ram, Bansidhar of Delhi.

Respondent.

Take notice that an appeal from the order of the District Judge of Patna, in this case has been presented by Mr. Sunder Lall, Vakeel for the above-mentioned Appellant, and registered in this Court; and that the 2nd day of November 1916, has been fixed by the Court for the hearing of the appeal.

If no appearance is made on your behalf by yourself, your pleader, or by some one by law authorized to act for you in this appeal, it will be heard and decided *ex parte* in your absence.

Signed and sealed by order of the Court this 20th day of September 1916.

(CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION.)

MISC. APPEAL No. 170 OF 1916.

Dated the 20th September 1916.

Pali Ram, Omrao Chand, Appellants,

versus

Sheo Nath Prashad and others, Respondents.

In the matter of an application by Pali Ram, Omrao Chand, Petitioners.

To

18. Sri Ram, Ram Nath of Pooranagunj, Cawnpore.

19. Ghasi Ram, Bansidhar of Delhi.

Take notice that an application has been made to this Court by the abovenamed petitioner, and you are hereby directed to show cause on the 2nd November 1916, why the application should not be granted or such other order be passed as to this Hon'ble Court may seem fit.

By order of the Court,

A. N. CHATTERJEE,
Deputy Registrar.

HIGH COURT, PATNA.
The 20th September 1916.



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PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller-General, etc.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 18th March 1916.

On and after 8th April and until further notice, Parts I, IV, V and VI of the *Gazette of India* and the Weather and Crop Report will be published in Simla. Parts II and III will continue to be published in Calcutta. All notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts should be addressed to the Publisher at Simla and Calcutta, respectively.

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"It has been brought to the notice of this Department that matter for the *Gazette of India* is sometimes sent to the Press late on Friday evenings for publication in the next day's *Gazette* and that this involves considerable inconvenience to the Press and expense to Government. In the Circular Memorandum of this Department, No. 777—79, dated 9th February 1870, the Government of India directed that all notifications or other matter intended for insertion in the *Gazette of India* should be delivered at the Press not later than 2 P.M. on Friday, and that any papers sent thereafter must be certified to be extremely urgent in order to ensure their appearance in the next day's *Gazette*. The undersigned is directed to request that these orders may be more strictly observed in future, and that Departments will refrain from sending to the Press as extremely urgent any papers which can without harm or inconvenience be held over for the next *Gazette*.

J. P. HEWETT,
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F. J. HALL,
Offg. Publisher, *Gazette of India*.

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NOTICES.

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For the convenience of Civil and Military officers desirous of appearing for examination in Oriental languages, the Board of Examiners publish annually a collection of specimen papers set for the examination held by them. The following collections are available for sale:—

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(3)	"	" 1904-05	"	" 3	"
(4)	"	" 1908-09	"	" 3	"
(5)	"	" 1909-10	"	" 3-8	"
(6)	"	" 1910-11	"	" 3-8	"
(7)	"	" 1912-13	"	" 2-8	"
(8)	"	" 1913-14	"	" 2-8	"
(9)	"	" 1914-15	"	" 3-8	"

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"Kalam-i-Urdu," the text-book for the Proficiency Standard in Urdu; price R2-12.

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Waqayi'-i Ni'mat Khan-i'Ali, edited by Mr. Otto Rothfeld, I.C.S., one of the text-books prescribed for the Degree of Honour examination in Persian; price R2 per copy.

NOTE.—Two fully qualified instructors, natives of Persia and Arabia, respectively, are maintained by the Government of India, for the convenience of officers wishing to study Persian and Arabic. The services of these instructors may be obtained in Calcutta, on application to the Secretary, Board of Examiners.

The following list of Munshis who are qualified to teach Urdu under India Army Order No. 162 of 1907 is published for the information of all those students of this language who are desirous of obtaining competent teachers:—

AGRA.

1. M. Gulzari Lall	Regimental Munshi, 6th Hampshire Regiment, Agra Cantonment.

ALLAHABAD.

1. M. Jawala Prasad, I	5th Hampshire Regiment, Sadar Bazar, Allahabad
2. M. Syed Mazhar-ul Husain	253A, Mohtashim Ganj, Allahabad.
3. M. Shaikh Mohammad Ismail	South Malaka, Allahabad.

AMBALA.

1. M. Mohd. Miyan Khan . . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
2. M. Mohd. Akbar Khan . . . . . . The Oriental Lodge, Ambala.
3. M. Sita Ram Mahta . . . . . . Near Kali Bari, Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
4. M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment.
5. M. Anand Sarup . . . . Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment (winter only).

BANNU.

1. M. Mul Chand Khurana . . . . Mission Clerk, Bannu.

BAREILLY.

1. M. Rashid Ahmad Khan . . . . Old City, Sailani, Bareilly.
2. M. Chhote Lal . . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Bareilly.
3. M. Jawala Parshad, II . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Sudder Bazar, Bareilly.

BELGAUM.

1. M. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni . . . Pandit, 1809, Kelkar Bag, Belgaum.

CALCUTTA.

1. M. Mohd. Gholam Kibriya . . . . 17/1, Noorallah Doctor's Lane, Balligunge Road, Calcutta.
2. M. Badruddin Ahmed, B.A. . . . . 8, Elliot Lane, Calcutta.
3. M. Hossain Mirza . . . . . . 1, Syed Ismail Lane, or 4-1, Collin Lane, Calcutta.
4. M. Mohd. Israil Khan . . . . . 11, Goristan Lane, Calcutta.
5. M. Syed Nawab Ali . . . . . 11, Colootola Street, Calcutta.
6. M. Mohd. Abdul Hamid . . . . . 36, Indian Mirror Street, Calcutta.
7. M. Daliluddin Ahmed . . . . . 12, Agha Muhammad Mehdi Street, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
8. M. Abdul Wajid . . . . . . 106, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
9. M. Syed Mohammad . . . . . 12, Waliullah Lane, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
10. M. A. M. Ubaidur Rashid, B.A. . . . 1, Korabardar Lane, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
11. M. Mohd. Muslim . . . . . . 12, Damzen's Lane, Chinapara, Calcutta.
12. M. Nisar Ahmad Khan . . . . . C/o Munshi A. K. Nashtar, 1, Jhowtolla Lane Ballygunge, Calcutta.
13. M. Imdad Hussain . . . . . . 9, Baloo Huckak's Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
14. M. Abdul Habib Khan . . . . . 89, Jhowtollah Road, P. O. Balligunge, Calcutta.

DALHOUSIE.

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DELHI.

1. M. Mithan Lal, B.A. . . . . . Muhalla Churi Walan, Delhi.
2. M. Akbar Khan Haidari . . . . British Garrison Meer Munshi, The Fort, Delhi
3. M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi) . . . Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.

DINAPORE.

1. M. Syed Hadi Hussain . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Orderly Bazar, Dinapore.
2. M. Farzand Ali Khan (of Patna) . . . Regimental Munshi, attd. 2nd Devon Battery, Dinapore.

FEROZEPORE.

1. M. J. Kishori Lall . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 82nd Coy. R. G. A. and 6th Sussex Battery, R. F. A., Sadar Bazar, near Jain Mandar, Ferozepore Cantonment.
2. M. Suraj Narain, B.A. . . . . . Kahani Bazar, Ferozepore.

FORT WILLIAM—CALCUTTA.

1. M. Abdul Karim . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Fort William, Calcutta.

GORAKHPORE.

1. M. Ram Charan Lal . . . . . Sub-Deputy Inspector of Schools, Gorakhpore.

JHANSI.

1. M. K. R. Mehta . . . . R. A. Munshi, Jhansi.

JHELUM.

1. M. Thakur Das Pahwa . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JUBBULPUR.

1. M. Abdur Rahim . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Battalion, The York and Lancaster Regiment, Jubbulpur.

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1. M. Karam Chand . . . . . . C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

KAMPTEE.

1. M. S. Karim Bukhsh . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 5th Battalion, The Buffs, East Kent Regiment, Gora Bazar, Kamptee.

KARACHI.

1. M. Mukhtar Ahmad . . . . . . Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.
2. M. Anandram Thadmal . . . . . 30, Jethmal Buildings, Garrikhata, Karachi.

KASAULI.

1. M. Anand . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

LAHORE CANTONMENT.

1. M. Sham Lal Bhargava . . . . . . Dungar Street, Sadar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.
2. M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
3. M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman Sabri . . Chhawni Manawala, Sammian Street, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

LUCKNOW.

1. M. Abdul Alim . . . . Near the Police Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
2. M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil) . . Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
3. M. S. M. Shahabuddin . . . . . . Near Police Out Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
4. M. Farhat Ali Suhail . . . . . . C/o M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil), near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.

MAYMYO (BURMA).

1. M. Saiyed Amir Ali (of Delhi) . . . . Regimental Munshi, 4th Border Regiment. Alexandra Barracks, Maymyo, Burma.

MEERUT.

1. Pt. Hriday Narain . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1-1st Wiltshire Battery, R. F. A., R. A. Bazar, Meerut.

MULTAN.

1. M. Mohd. Ishaq . . . . R. F. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Multan Cantonment.
2. M. Sultan Mohamed . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Multan.

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2. M. S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence European School, Ghoragali P. O., Murree Hills.
3. M. Bodh Raj . . . . Officers' Munshi, Murree Hills.

NAINI TAL.

1. M. Faqir Ulla . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

1. M. Muhammad Din . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).
2. M. Ghulam Jilani . . . . R. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
3. M. S. Abdul Ghani . . . . Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
4. M. Mohamed Sarwar . . . . . . New Mohalla Sudder Bazaar, Nowshera.

PATNA.

1. M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

1. M. Ahmed Din . . . . 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
2. M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.
3. M. Safdar Khan . . . . Near Anaj Mandi, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

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2. M. Sheikh Abdul Aziz . . . . . . Islamabad, Quetta.
3. M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Cadet College, Quetta.
4. M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

1. M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
2. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
3. M. Fazal Ahmed . . . . Persian House, Rawalpindi.
4. M. Abdul Waheed . . . . C/o Coffee Shop, 2nd Rifle Brigade, West Ridge, Rawalpindi.
5. M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.
6. M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh Gyani . . . . Officers' Munshi, Ahata Sultan, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

1. M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

1. M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

In addition to the above, the following, who were examined in Urdu previous to the institution of the examination mentioned in the above India Army Order, are also, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, qualified to teach:—

1.	M. Mohd. Arif	12, Harinbari Lane, Calcutta.
2.	Maulvi Syed Abu Zafar	36, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta.
3.	M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	14, Karaya Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
4.	M. Badru-z-Zaman	29, Ice Factory Lane, Entally, Calcutta.
5.	M. Abdul Badi	5, Ramsanker Roy's Lane, Calcutta.
6.	M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 21, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
7.	M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	25, Tiljalah 1st Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
8.	M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nurali Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
9.	M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
10.	M. Mohd. Shuaib	Chowk Masjid, Arrah.

N.B.—It is requested that Munshis who have passed this examination, and whose names do not appear above, should communicate their present addresses to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, so that their names may be published also.

Whenever any munshi changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

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For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 "

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	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 "

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	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 "

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	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0 10 0
" " 3 "	" 6 "	"	Re.	1 0 0
" " 2 "	" 9 "	"	Re.	1 8 0

N.B.—Postage stamps will not be accepted as revenue.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 2nd October 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 30th September 1916.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE. — COIN AND BULLION. — In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		SECURITIES (PURCHASED PRICE).			
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.	TOTAL.	REMARKS.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	1,99,76,000	22,60,91,105	24,80,67,105	5,71,95,234	58,12,560	55,81,292	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 13,06,14,415	41,81,53,447	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
Cawnpore	...	2,93,84,090	2,93,84,090	2,79,19,909	1,82,10,030	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,61,29,939	(b) Nominal value—R13,83,01,571.
Lahore	...	5,70,35,475	5,70,35,475	2,43,14,603	2,10,87,547	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,24,02,150	(c) Includes treasury bills purchased under Section 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R4,56,08,219.
Bombay	2,97,53,555	18,54,97,810	21,52,51,365	7,11,67,980	3,98,60,288	77,65,608	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,87,93,876	
Karachi	...	2,22,45,275	2,22,45,275	1,09,55,087	36,97,215	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,46,52,302	
Madras	30,30,045	8,62,30,585	8,82,60,630	1,64,85,400	1,13,30,850	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,78,16,250	
Rangoon	...	5,52,29,150	5,52,29,150	3,88,48,396	99,26,730	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,87,75,126	
	5,17,59,600	66,37,13,490	71,54,73,090	24,38,86,609	10,99,25,220	1,33,46,900	11,92,50,000	...		...	9,99,99,946	13,06,14,415	71,70,22,090	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			Nil	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									15,50,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			71,54,73,090									TOTAL RESERVE R	71,54,73,090	

£132,000 (R19,80,000) was transferred in Gold from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 30th September 1916.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 30th September 1916 to 1,57 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th September 1916.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT. LOANS							4½ PER CENT. LOANS.		GRAND TOTAL.
		of 1842-43	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01	TOTAL.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	4 per cent. Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. Portion.	TOTAL.	
Balance of 15th September 1916	29,28,700	96,89,200	4,80,24,900	1,52,17,000	68,46,000	23,95,300	8,21,72,400	...	...	...	...	...	...	45,000	...	...	8,51,46,100
Add— Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th Sept. 1916	...	...	...	400	...	100	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,00,000	...	...	20,00,500
	29,28,700	96,89,200	4,80,24,900	1,52,17,400	68,46,000	23,95,400	8,21,72,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,45,000	...	...	8,71,46,600
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...		...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balance on 30th Sept. 1916	29,28,700	96,89,200	4,80,24,900	1,52,17,400	68,46,000	23,95,400	8,21,72,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,45,000	...	...	8,71,46,600

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st July 1916 Enfaced from India 12.363 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12.858 lakhs.
" 1st Aug. 1916 " 15th Aug. " ditto ... ditto ...
" 16th " " " 31st " " ditto 1 lakh ditto ...
" 1st Sept. " " 15th Sept. " ditto .. ditto 3 lakhs.
" 16th " " " 30th " " ditto 20 lakhs ditto ...

12,384 12,861

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 2nd October 1916.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 29th September 1916.

No. 756.—Mr. Syed Aulad Hossein, K.B., Deputy Superintendent is granted privilege leave for 23 days combined with furlough for 1 year, 11 months and 7 days under Articles 233, 260 and 338 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 8th November 1916 or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the same.

S. G. BURRARD, Colonel, R.E.,
Surveyor General of India.

SURVEY OF INDIA—EASTERN CIRCLE.

NOTIFICATION.

Shillong, the 27th September 1916.

No. 7.—Mr. H. H. Creed, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 21 days, from 11th October 1916, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

R. T. CRICHTON, LT.-COL., I.A.,
Superintendent, Eastern Circle.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—
   (*a*) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (*b*) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

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CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 28th September 1916.

No. 6592.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 59 of the Punjab Excise Act I of 1914, as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules regulating the grant of licenses for the possession or sale of cocaine, published in this office Notification No. 4228-C. & I. of 24th June 1915:—

Amendment.

For the note to condition 7 of the form of license (Form D), *substitute* the following:—

"NOTE.—The restriction contained in this condition does not apply to the articles exempted under Notification No. 4352-C. & I., dated the 22nd June 1916, as subsequently amended."

No. 6599-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths registered at the under-mentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 23rd September 1916 is published for information:—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi	225,471	125	160	285	82	95	177	...	...	...	84	11	59	1	22	...	36	43	79	65·73	40·82
	Notified Area	3,673	3	6	9	1	4	5	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	127·41	70·78
	Total	229,144	128	166	294	83	99	182	...	...	...	89	11	59	1	22	...	36	43	79	66·63	41·30

Delhi, the 29th September 1916.

No. 6643-*Home*.—The services of Saiyed Muhammed Baqar, Munsiff, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, for employment in the Punjab, with effect from the date on which he relinquishes charge of his duties at Delhi.

Delhi, the 2nd October 1916.

No. 6711-*C. & I.*—With reference to special conditions 11 and 10, respectively of license forms L-11 and L-15 prescribed in this office Notification No. 1315, dated the 25th February 1915, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to prescribe the following system for sealing and capsuling bottles:—

"The licensee shall seal every bottle, bottled by him with a cork and capsule bearing in easily distinguishable letters, the full name and address of the bottle, and the capsule must be so affixed to the bottle that it cannot be removed without being destroyed."

The Chief Commissioner is further pleased to direct that this system shall not be enforced until six months from the conclusion of the present war.

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 28th September 1916.

No. 2404—7.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 1 of the Indian Trusts Act 1882 (II of 1882), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to extend the said Act to the district of Ajmer-Merwara.

Abu, the 30th September 1916.

No. 3434-589.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 13 of the Opium Act, I of 1878, and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in council, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to direct that rules 24, 25 and 26, Chapter V, shall be omitted from the Ajmer-Merwara Opium Rules published under his Notification No. 789-C. of the 12th March, 1904.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATION.

Abu, the 27th September 1916.

No. 5627—332-*II*.—Captain A. A. F. C. Hutton Dawson, Adjutant, Mewar Bhil Corps, is granted privilege leave for 30 days, with effect from the 3rd October 1916, or subsequent date on which he may avail himself thereof.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 4th August 1916.

No. 96.—Mr. H. A. R. Lyon, Assistant Commissioner, Kohat Mines Division, is granted privilege leave for 34 days from the afternoon of the 7th August 1916.

The 10th August 1916.

No. 103.—Mr. Hargobinda Singh, Officiating Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, *vice* Mr. Bhan Chand, Superintendent, on leave, is appointed as an Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem. vice* Mr. A. V. Nash, Superintendent, having been seconded for military duty, with effect from the 28th July 1916.

The 16th September 1916.

No. 134.—Mr. Ojagar Singh, Inspector, is appointed an Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.* from 26th June 1916 to 27th July 1916 both days inclusive, *vice* Mr. Nash seconded for military duty.

J. F. CONNOLLY,

Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 24 OF 1915.

Rangoon, the 18th September 1916.

In the matter of Ah Main, Clerk, residing at No. 84, Fraser Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Ah Main an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 5th day of September 1916.

CASE No. 46 OF 1915.

Rangoon, the 19th September 1916.

In the matter of Ah Htan, Contractor, residing at No. 25, 51st Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Conrt adjudging the said Ah Htan an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 5th day of September 1916.

CASE No. 154 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 18th September 1916.

In the matter of Ebrahim Adzim & Co. (except minor partners), Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition presented by A. M. Goonda Bros. of Rangoon, creditors of Ebrahim Adzim & Co., merchants carrying on business in partnership at No. 257, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 30th day of August 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, against the said Ebrahim Adzim & Co. (except minor partners) was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day.

CASE No. 170 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 18th September 1916.

In the matter of Waung Yin *alias* Whay Yin, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Waung Yin *alias* Whay Yin, Carpenter, residing at No. 92A, Fraser Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Waung Yin *alias* Whay Yin.

CASE No. 172 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 21st September 1916.

In the matter of Shivatshaw Sorabjee, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Shivatshaw Sorabjee, unemployed, residing at No. 10, 108th Street, Rangoon, on the 20th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Shivatshaw Sorabjee.

CASE No. 173 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 22nd September 1916.

In the matter of Maung Po Kun, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Kung of Dalhousie Street, Clerk in Messrs. Irrawaddy Flotilla & Co., Ld., Rangoon, on the 21st day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Po Kun.

CASE No. 174 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 22nd September 1916.

In the matter of Edward Robert Mellican, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Edward Robert Mellican, Clerk, residing at No. 6, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 21st day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Edward Robert Mellican.

J. HORMASJI,
Registrar.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 2nd October 1916.

No. 4096-T.—Reports of opening of offices during the period 28th September 1916 to 4th October 1916.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Railway Telegraph Offices.		
Baghora	Great Indian Peninsula Railway.	1st September 1916	Opened.
Baloobhara	Eastern Bengal Railway	" " "	"
Bhairab Bazar	Assam Bengal Railway	" " "	"
Dilpashar	Eastern Bengal Railway	" " "	"
Jamtail	Ditto	" " "	"
Kalia Haripur	Ditto	" " "	"
Salop	Ditto	" " "	"
Saratnagar	Ditto	" " "	"
Sirajganj	Ditto	" " "	"
Sirajganj Bazar	Ditto	" " "	"
Ullapara	Ditto	" " "	"

R. MEREDITH,
Deputy Director-General of Telegraph Traffic.

Calcutta, the 2nd October 1916.

No. 4098-T.—Mr. C. W. Sowerby-Coo, Deputy Postmaster-General, Telegraph Traffic, Madras Circle, is granted privilege leave for three months in combination with furlough for twenty-one months, with effect from the 4th October 1916, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. L. L. Rau is appointed temporarily to the first division of the Superior Traffic Branch as Deputy Postmaster-General, Telegraph Traffic, Madras Circle, during the absence of Mr. Sowerby-Coo.

Mr. J. Steele is appointed to officiate in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch as Superintendent of Post Offices, Traffic, Madras Circle, *vice* Mr. L. L. Rau.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 2nd October 1916.

No. 2602-*S—ap*.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Banerji, Superintendent of post offices, 2nd grade, is granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 2nd October 1916 or from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Babu Jayananda Kumar, Supernumerary Inspector, Office of the Postmaster-General, Bihar and Orissa, pay Rs. 100, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Babu Jogesh Chandra Banerji, or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla the 30th September 1916.

No. 2082-*s-E.-E.*—Mr. T. P. Buckley, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted privilege leave for ten days combined with leave on medical certificate for five months and twenty-one days with effect from the 1st October 1913.

This cancels this Department's Notification No. 1115 s-G., dated 5th November 1913.

No. 2085-*s E.-E.*—In this Department's notification No. 50, dated 10th May 1908, granting Mr. T. P. Buckley, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, combined leave for six months, with effect from the 9th May 1908, for the period of privilege leave stated therein *viz.*, twenty-four days *read* twenty-eight days.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATION.

Bombay, the 2nd October 1916.

No. 27—The undermentioned officers are granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the dates and for the periods specified against their names.

Commander W. K. Thyne, R.I.M.	3 months and 26 days, with effect from 31st August 1916.
Lieutenant A. R. Rattray, „	2 months, with effect from 7th August 1916.
Temporary Lieut. J. Hems, „	2 months and 23 days, with effect from 30th August 1916.
Temporary Sub-Lieutenant T. Mann, R.I.M.	3 months and 10 days, with effect from 16th July 1916.

F. J. WILSON,
Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 28th September 1916.

No. 12.—Mr. J. S. Goss, Officiating District Locomotive Superintendent, passed the Lower Standard Examination in Hindustani held on the 4th September 1916.

E. A. S. BELL,
Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway.

NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 27th September 1916.

No. 24.—Mr. W. T. Everall, Assistant Bridge Engineer, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India extension of 3 days' privilege leave and 11 days' extraordinary leave without pay (not on Medical Certificate) in continuation of the 2 months and 20 days' privilege leave granted to him by this office, with effect from the 15th June 1916.

S. L. CRA'STER, Colonel,
Agent, N. W. Railway, Lahore.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

28th September 1916.

Notice is hereby given under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878 that on or about 14th July 1916 the undermentioned treasure of the value of Rs. 14 was found by Challa Appalaswami in the village of Sakalakottappali agraharam, Ellore Taluk, in the field known by the local name of Lakshmidevichetipamou and belonging to Vemu Lakshminarayana:—

Description of Treasure.	Weight.	Estimated value.
Five gold plates.	about ¾ tola.	Rs. 14-0-0.

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by a duly authorised agent before the Collector of Kistna at his office in Masulipatam on 10th February 1917 with a view to the claims being enquired into and determined according to law.

H. H. BARKITT.
Ag. Collector.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 23RD TO 30TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for Coinage transferred from currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	89‡	5	...	94	61	...	61	14	104*	20	4	142	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	78	1	...	79	48	...	48	...	184†	8	8	200	9	9	...	...	...	...

* Exclusive of 84 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
† Exclusive of 145 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
‡ Includes 53 received from Bombay Mint.

A. McCORMICK, LT.-COLONEL, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT;
Calcutta, the 5th October 1916.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
574—1916	Balkrishna Amruta Survey	Hindu	Purbhadeni	Jobber in the Century Mills	26th	September	1916	26th	September	1916
575—1916	Gordhandas Hemraj Thanvi	„	Gaiwadi	Lately broker in silver and now unemployed	„	„	„	„	„	„
576—1916	Baboo Govind *alias* Narayen Govind Maskar.	„	Mazagon, Tarwadi	Jobber in the Framji Petit Mills	„	„	„	„	„	„
577—1916	Devji *alias* Ravji Shripat *alias* Mohipat More.	„	Wageshwari Wadi, Parel	Jobber in the Swan Mills, Ltd.	„	„	„	„	„	„
578—1916	Abdool Hoosein Esoofally Dawoodi Hora.	Mahomedan	No. 287, Nagdevi Street	Lately Mills Stores supplier and now unemployed.	27th	„	„	27th	„	„
579—1916	Oomedchand Dharamsi Sha	Hindu	Khalasi Chakla	Lately doing business in partnership with Jamnadas Vithal as dealer in cloth in the name of Oomedchand Dharamsi and now unemployed.	„	„	„	28th	„	„
580—1916	Nanalal Purbhudas Voru	„	43-45, Barbhai Molla	Servant in the employ of Najarali Samsudin	28th	„	„	„	„	„
581—1916	Suleman Haji Elias Noorani	Mahomedan	Memen Molla	Assistant in the employ of Fakir Mahomed Juseeb.	„	„	„	„	„	„
582—1916	Khodabhai Mathurbhai Patel	Hindu	Opp. Victoria Gardens	Milk vendor	29th	„	„	29th	„	„

583—1916	Shaik Osman Abdul Karim Shaik	Mahomedan	Nishanpada Road	Plumber	„	„	„	„	„	„
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FROM

LIEUTENANT-GENERAL SIR P. H. N. LAKE, K. C. B., K. C. M. G.,

Commanding Indian Expeditionary Force "D."

To

THE CHIEF OF THE GENERAL STAFF,

Army Headquarters, Simla, India.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit a despatch describing the operations of the Force under my command, from January 19th, 1916, the date of my assuming command, up to April 30th, 1916.

2. Sir John Nixon's last despatches, dated January 17th, referred to General Aylmer's advance from Ali Gharbi ; his capture of the Turkish position at Shaikh

Saad after severe fighting on the 6th, 7th and 8th January; the battle of 13th and 14th January on the Wadi River, and the retreat of the enemy to an entrenched position across the Umm-al-Hannah defile.

3. The period now under report includes three phases in the further attempt to relieve Kut:—

1st Phase.—19th to 23rd January.—Unsuccessful attempt to force the Hannah defile. Commander—Lieutenant-General Sir F. Aylmer.

2nd Phase.—24th January to 10th March.—A period of rest and reorganisation, followed by the unsuccessful attempt to outflank the enemy's right in the vicinity of the Dujailah Redoubt.

Commander—Lieutenant-General Sir F. Aylmer.

3rd Phase.—11th March to 30th April.—A brief period of preparation, followed by the attack and capture of the Hannah and Falahiyah positions; failure to force the Sannaiyat position; and fall of Kut.

Commander—Lieutenant-General Sir G. F. Gorringe.

4. The general position of affairs on the Tigris front on January 19th, 1916, was that the bulk of General Aylmer's force, after the heavy fighting referred to in paragraph 2, was encamped on the left bank of the Tigris, above the Wadi River; the advanced troops were in touch with the Turks entrenched in their Umm-al-Hannah position. General Aylmer was actively engaged in re-organising his force for a further advance with the least possible delay. He fully realised that an immediate advance must involve some deficiencies in his organisation and fighting strength, but was influenced by the following factors:—

(*i*) General Townshend's reports as to the limit of his food supplies, and the influence of food supply questions generally on the operations of the relieving column.

(*ii*) General Townshend's anxiety about the sufficiency of his ammunition supply and the condition of some of his troops.

(*iii*) The rapidity with which the Turks might be able to reinforce the troops opposed to General Townshend, and the desirability of forestalling them.

It was, I understand, these three considerations that had mainly influenced my predecessor in ordering General Aylmer to advance as early in January as possible with the force which would then be concentrated at Ali Gharbi.

It was not until after the heavy fighting for the Hannah position on January 21st that General Townshend's report of January 25th, 1916—to the effect that as regards food supplies he could hold out for another 84 days—reached General Headquarters.

5. The difficulty experienced in pushing up reinforcements, supplies and munitions of war to the front seriously affected the operations.

The number of steamers available in January 1916 for river transport purposes was practically the same as when, in June 1915, the first advance up the Tigris took place. Additional river craft had from time to time been demanded as augmentations to the force in Mesopotamia were decided upon, but, owing to the peculiar conditions which vessels intended for the intricate navigation of the Tigris have to satisfy, the provision of these vessels was a difficult problem, necessarily entailing long delays, and the supply was never able to keep pace with the requirements of the force.

In consequence of this, it was never possible during the period now under report either to concentrate at the Tigris front the whole of the forces available in the country, or to equip such forces as could be concentrated there with sufficient transport to make them mobile and enable them to operate freely at any distance from the river.

It was always necessary, therefore, for General Headquarters to balance most carefully the flow of reinforcements and supplies, so that the former should not outrun the latter.

1st Phase. 19th to 23rd January.

6. After the battle of Wadi River, General Aylmer's leading troops had followed the retreating Turks to the Umm-al-Hannah position and entrenched themselves at the mouth of the defile, so as to shut the enemy in and limit his power of taking the offensive.

7. The weather at this period was extraordinarily unfavourable. Heavy rains caused the river to come down in flood, and overflow its banks, and converted the ground on either bank into a veritable bog.

Our bridge across the Wadi was washed away several times, while the boisterous winds greatly interfered with the construction of a bridge across the Tigris, here some 400 yards in width.

8. It was essential to establish artillery on the right bank of the Tigris so as to support, by enfilading fire, the attack of our infantry against the Hannah position.

9. Guns and troops were ferried across, with difficulty, owing to the high wind and heavy squalls of rain; but by the 19th all troops allotted to the right bank had crossed over and were established in the positions from which they were required to co-operate with the main force on the left bank.

10. Meanwhile the leading infantry brigades on the left bank had pushed nearer the enemy. January the 20th was devoted to a systematic bombardment of his position, and during the night the infantry pushed forward their advanced line to within 200 yards of the enemy's trenches.

11. On the morning of the 21st, under cover of an intensive artillery bombardment, our infantry moved to the attack.

On our right the troops got to within 100 yards of the enemy's line but were unable to advance further. Our left column, consisting of the Black Watch, 6th Jats and 41st Dogras, penetrated the front line with a rush, capturing trenches which they held for about an hour and a half. Supports were sent forward, but, losing direction and coming under heavy fire, failed to reach them. Thus, left unsupported, our previously successful troops, when Turkish counter-attacks developed, were overwhelmed by numbers and forced to retire.

12. Heavy rain now began to fall and continued throughout the day. Telephone communication broke down, and communication by orderly became slow and uncertain.

After further artillery bombardment the attack was renewed at 1 p.m., but by this time the heavy rain had converted the ground into a sea of mud, rendering rapid movement impossible. The enemy's fire was heavy and effective, inflicting severe losses, and though every effort was made, the assault failed.

Our troops maintained their position until dark and then slowly withdrew to the main trenches which had been previously occupied, some 1,300 yards from those of the enemy.

13. As far as possible all the wounded were brought in during the withdrawal, but their sufferings and hardships were acute under the existing climatic conditions, when vehicles and stretcher bearers could scarcely move in the deep mud.

14. To renew the attack on the 22nd was not practicable. The losses on the 21st had been heavy, the ground was still a quagmire and the troops exhausted. A six hours' armistice was arranged, in order to bury the dead and remove the wounded to shelter.

15. I cannot sufficiently express my admiration for the courage and dogged determination of the force engaged. For days they bivouacked in driving rain on soaked and sodden ground. Three times they were called upon to advance over a perfectly flat country, deep in mud, and absolutely devoid of cover,

against well constructed and well planned trenches, manned by a brave and stubborn enemy approximately their equal in numbers. They showed a spirit of endurance and self-sacrifice of which their country may well be proud.

2nd Phase. 24th January to 10th March.

16. The hurried improvisation of temporary brigades, divisions, etc., with which the force had been obliged to commence its advance from Ali Gharbi was now showing its inherent weakness. Divisions and brigades, the units of which knew each other and had served together in France, had perforce been broken up to meet the difficulties of transport on a long sea voyage. There had been no time on arrival in Mesopotamia to await belated units. In many cases, Field Ambulances had arrived after the combatant units. Brigade and divisional formations had been made up with such units as were first available. This was a severe handicap to the troops, and steps were now taken to reconstitute formations as far as possible in their original condition.

17. Throughout the month of February, preparations were made for resuming the offensive. Reinforcements were pushed up from the Base by steamer and route march; reorganisation and training were carried on at the front. On the left bank our trenches were again pushed forward towards the Hannah position. Frequent reconnaissances were made by land and air on both banks. During this period no severe fighting took place, though several minor operations were undertaken to gain information and to harass the enemy. On February 11th the bridge which had been destroyed by floods on January 14th was replaced.

18. The situation at the end of February was briefly as follows:—

On the left bank, the enemy, having been reinforced, still held the Hannah position in force; further in rear were other defensive lines, at Falahiyah, Sannaiyat, Nakhailat, and along the northern part of the Es Sinn position. All except the last named had been constructed since the battle of Hannah on 21st January. They were all protected on both flanks by the Tigris and the Suwaikieh Marsh respectively. On the right bank, the Es Sinn position constituted the Turkish main line of defence, with an advanced position near Beit Aiessa. The right flank of the Es Sinn position rested on the Dujailah Redoubt, which lay some five miles south of the river and 14 miles south-west of the British lines on the right bank.

19. It was decided to attack the Turkish right flank and Dujailah Redoubt, as the first step towards the relief of Kut before the arrival of the flood season, expected about the middle of March. It was feared that, as soon as the Tigris came down in flood, the Turks would cut the bunds and so flood the country as to render further offensive operations impracticable.

The whole area was so flat that there was hardly any portion of it which could safely be said to be above flood level.

20. General Aylmer made his arrangements accordingly. He decided not to wait for further reinforcements, but to advance with the maximum force for which land transport could be made available with two days' food and water. To conceal his intentions during the period of preparation, our artillery on both banks engaged the enemy's trenches on the left bank, whilst the force in front of the Hannah position displayed great activity.

21. Operations were again interrupted at the beginning of March by adverse weather conditions. This delay was unfortunate, as it gave time to the enemy to construct trenches closing the gap which had hitherto existed between Dujailah Redoubt and the Hai River.

22. On the afternoon of March 7th, General Aylmer assembled his subordinate commanders and gave his final instructions, laying particular stress on the fact that the operation was designed to effect a surprise; and that, to prevent the enemy forestalling us, it was essential that the first phase of the

operation, *i.e.*, the capture of the Dujailah Redoubt, should be pushed through with the utmost vigour.

23. His dispositions were briefly as follows:—

The greater part of a division under General Younghusband, assisted by Naval Gunboats, contained the enemy on the left bank. The remaining troops were formed into two columns, under General Kemball and General Keary, respectively, a reserve of infantry and the Cavalry Brigade being held at the Corps Commander's own disposal. Kemball's column, covered on the outer flank by the Cavalry Brigade, was to make a turning movement to attack the Dujailah Redoubt from the south, supported by the remainder of the force operating from a position to the east of the Redoubt.

24. The night march by this large force, which led across the enemy's front to a position on his right flank, was a difficult operation, entailing movement over unknown ground and requiring most careful arrangements to attain success. Thanks to excellent staff work and good march discipline, the troops reached their allotted positions apparently undiscovered by the enemy, but while Keary's column was in position at daybreak ready to support Kemball's attack, the latter's command did not reach the point selected for its deployment, in the Dujailah depression, until more than an hour later. This delay was highly prejudicial to the success of the operation.

25. In spite of their late arrival the presence of so large a force seems to have been quite unexpected by the Turks, as Dujailah Redoubt was apparently lightly held when our columns reached their allotted positions. Prompt and energetic action would probably have forestalled the enemy's reinforcements. But time was lost by waiting for the guns to register and to carry out reconnaissances, and when, nearly three hours later, Kemball's troops advanced to the attack, they were strongly opposed by the enemy from trenches cleverly concealed in the brushwood, and were unable to make further ground for some time, though assisted by Keary's attack upon the Redoubt from the east.

The southern attack was now reinforced, and by 1 P.M. had pushed forward to within 500 yards of the Redoubt, but concealed trenches again stopped further progress and the Turks made several counter-attacks with reinforcements which had by now arrived from the direction of Magasis.

26. It was about this time that the Corps Commander received from his Engineer officers the unwelcome news that the water supply contained in rain-water pools in the Dujailah depression, upon which he had reckoned, was insufficient, and could not be increased by digging. It was clear therefore that unless the Dujailah Redoubt could be carried that day, the scarcity of water would of itself compel our troops to fall back. Preparations were accordingly made for a further assault on the Redoubt and at 5-15 P.M. attacks were launched from the south and east under cover of a heavy bombardment. The 9th and 28th Infantry Brigades got within 200 yards of the southern face where they were held up by heavy fire, although reinforced. Meanwhile, the 8th Infantry Brigade supported by the 37th had assaulted from the east; the two leading battalions of the former, the Manchesters and 59th Rifles, and some of the 37th Infantry Brigade, succeeded in gaining a foot-hold in the Redoubt. But here they were heavily counter-attacked by large enemy reinforcements, and being subjected to an extremely rapid and accurate shrapnel fire from concealed guns in the vicinity of Sinn Aftar, they were forced to fall back to the position from which they started.

27. The troops, who had been under arms for some 30 hours including a long night march, were now much exhausted, and General Aylmer considered that a renewal of the assault during the night 8th-9th March could not be made with any prospect of success. Next morning the enemy's position was found to be unchanged, and General Aylmer, finding himself faced with the deficiency of water already referred to, decided upon the immediate withdrawal of his force to Wadi, which was reached the same night.

28. The evacuation of our wounded had preceded our retirement. The first parties of wounded reached Wadi at 4 P.M. on March 9th, and the last

wounded man was attended to in hospital at that place at 2 A.M., March 10th. The Corps Commander speaks in high terms of the gallantry and devotion displayed by officers and subordinates of the Medical Service and Army Bearer Corps during the fighting. They collected and attended to the wounded under heavy fire in a manner which called forth the admiration of the whole force.

3rd Phase. 11th March to 30th April.

29. No further operations of any importance occurred during March, though minor engagements took place on the right bank, in which enemy trenches were taken and prisoners captured. But rain fell, and the Tigris came down in heavy flood on March 15th, causing extensive inundations which compelled our troops to evacuate their advanced positions on that bank. For the remainder of the month there was a strenuous struggle with the inundations, to prevent the whole country being flooded. Every available man was engaged in digging embankments, and operations were temporarily suspended.

30. On March 12th, Major-General Sir G. F. Gorringe succeeded to the command of the Corps. Fresh troops now began to arrive up-river and it was decided to renew active operations as soon as this reinforcement was complete. Careful investigations were made, meanwhile, as to the feasibility of an advance on Kut by the right bank from Shaikh Saad, but as enquiry showed that the country along this route was not flood proof and would be liable to inundation by the breaking of the bunds on the right bank of the Tigris, which were under Turkish control, it was decided that conditions were more favourable for an attack on the Hannah position, and an advance up the left bank.

Preparations were accordingly made for putting this plan into action.

31. The VII Division had been engaged in sapping up to the enemy's front trenches, continually under heavy fire and hampered by floods. By March 28th, their sap-heads were 150 yards from the Turkish front line.

On April 1st, the XIII Division moved up from Shaikh Saad to relieve them in the front trenches preparatory to the assault. Heavy rain fell, however, on this and the following day, and floods rendered some of the positions of our troops on the right bank untenable. The ground became impassable, and operations had to be postponed.

32. By the evening of April 4th, the ground had dried sufficiently for the assault. At daylight the next morning the XIII Division jumped out of their trenches and rushed the Turkish first and second lines in quick succession. Our artillery and machine guns at once opened on the third and other lines in rear, and by 7 A.M. the whole position was in our hands.

33. The attack on Hannah had been prepared with the greatest care, and was brilliantly executed by General Maude and the XIII Division. The enemy's position was a maze of deep trenches occupying a frontage of only 1,300 yards between the Tigris and the Suwaikieh Marsh, and extending for 2,600 yards from front to rear. Although it was lightly held by the Turks with a few companies and some machine guns, it was a position of great strength.

34. Meanwhile, on the right bank, the III Division had been gaining ground. In the morning the 8th Infantry Brigade, led by the Manchesters, captured the Turkish position on Abu Roman mounds. An attempt by the enemy to recapture this position in the afternoon was beaten off.

During the day the river rose considerably, and it was evident that a fresh flood was coming down. This pointed to the urgency of capturing the Falahiyah and Sannaiyat positions, 3 and 6 miles respectively west of the Hannah position, before the rising river should enable the Turks to flood the country between us, by opening the bunds.

35. After nightfall a heavy bombardment was directed on the Falahiyah position from 7-15 P.M. to 7-30 P.M., after which the XIII Division assaulted and captured a series of deep trenches in several lines. The position was stubbornly held by about 3 battalions of Turks, but by 9-30 P.M. it was completely in our hands and consolidated.

The 38th Infantry Brigade and the Warwicks and Worcesters of the 39th Infantry Brigade did particularly well in this assault. High praise is due to

Major-General Maude, his brigade commanders and all under their commands for this successful night attack. The Division suffered some 1,300 casualties during the day.

36. The VII Division, which had hitherto been in support, now moved forward, and passing through the XIII Division, took up a position about two miles east of Sannaiyat, ready to attack the northern portion of these entrenchments at dawn on April 6th. The line of direction was to be maintained by moving with the left flank along a communication trench which joined the Falahiyah and Sannaiyat positions. Previous reconnaissance of the terrain to be traversed had of course been impossible during daylight, as it was then still occupied by the Turks.

37. The passage, however, of numerous and deep cross trenches so hampered the advance that, at dawn, when the assault was to have taken place, the troops were still some 2,300 yards from the enemy's position. This delay was fatal to their chance of success, as the ground was perfectly flat and without any vestige of cover. In these circumstances it would have been wiser to have postponed the attack at the last moment. The advance was however continued with the greatest gallantry under heavy artillery and machine gun fire, to within 700 yards of the Turkish trenches. Here the attacking lines were checked, and eventually fell back on to the supporting 3rd line, where they dug themselves in at about 1,000 yards from the enemy.

38. During the night of 5th-6th April and throughout the 6th the river rose steadily, until at mid-day it reached the highest level of the year. The wind changed to the north and blew the water of the Suwaikieh Marsh southwards across the right of the VII Division; protecting bunds along both the Tigris and the edge of the marsh had then to be constructed under the enemy's fire. Our guns were surrounded by floods, and for some time the position was distinctly critical.

The Marsh continued to encroach so much on the ground occupied by the VII Division that all efforts had to be devoted to securing from the floods the positions already gained. On the right bank the inundations rendered communication most difficult, and threatened to isolate the III Division altogether. On April 8th, in face of many difficulties, a new bridge over the Tigris was completed at Falahiyah.

39. During the night 8th-9th April the XIII Division took the place of the VII Division in the trenches, and at 4-20 A.M. advanced to the assault on Sannaiyat. When within 300 yards of the enemy's front line they were discovered by the Turks, who sent up "Very" lights and flares and opened a heavy rifle and gun fire. The first line, including detachments of the 6th K.O. Royal Lancaster Regiment, 8th Welsh Fusiliers, 6th L. North Lancashire Regiment and 5th Wiltshire Regiment, penetrated the centre of the enemy's front line trench. In the glare of the lights the second line lost direction, wavered, and fell back on the third and fourth lines. Support thus failed to reach the front line at the critical moment, in spite of the most gallant and energetic attempts of officers concerned to remedy matters.

Our troops who had reached the enemy's trenches were heavily counter-attacked by superior numbers and driven back to from 300 to 500 yards from the enemy's line, where brigades dug themselves in.

40. I had been at Wadi in close touch with the Corps Commander since April 6th, and after the failure of this attack we met and discussed the situation together in detail. While it was clearly very desirable to secure the Sannaiyat position with its obvious advantages, yet we had to bear in mind how very short the time at our disposal was if Kut was to be relieved, and the delay which a systematic approach by sapping right up to the position must involve. It was therefore decided that another attempt to force the enemy's right about the Sinn Aftar Redoubt offered prospects of speedier success.

41. General Gorringe accordingly proceeded to make the necessary arrangements for this move. As will be understood, it involved securing the control of the river bunds which were covered by the enemy's advanced position at Beit Aiessa, and establishing communications across the intervening

flooded areas which must be traversed before we could reach that position. It should be borne in mind that there is no such thing as a road, in the sense in which we use the word, in this part of the country, and that no road material or metalling of any sort exists ; yet in order to supply the troops with food and ammunition when they should have succeeded in crossing the inundations, some sort of permanent track above flood level, along which transport could work, was essential.

42. The VII Division now again took over and pushed forward the trench work in front of Sannaiyat as far as constant interruptions by floods would permit. The XIII Division was held back near Falahiyah Bridge in reserve.

43. On April 12th, the III Division, advancing across belts of inundation intersected by deep cuts, drove in the enemy's piquets east of Beit Aiessa and occupied their outpost line, consolidating their position during the night.

On April 15th and 16th, some of the enemy's advanced trenches were captured and counter-attacks were repulsed. Our new line was consolidated by night, guns were moved forward and preparations were made for the attack of the main Beit Aiessa position on the morning of the 17th.

44. Under cover of an intense bombardment, the 7th and 9th Infantry Brigades advanced at 6-45 A.M. and actually reached the Turkish trenches before our artillery fire lifted. When the bombardment ceased they leapt into the trenches, bayonetted numbers of the enemy and the Beit Aiessa position was soon in our hands. The enemey left 200 to 300 dead in the trenches and 180 prisoners were captured.

These operations, culminating in the capture of Beit Aiessa, reflect great credit on Major-General Keary and the troops under his command. Steady and consistent progress was made day after day in spite of most difficult conditions and often with a shortage of rations which the transport was heavily strained to bring forward.

45. Orders were now issued for the XIII Division to move up in relief of the III Division, after dark, the latter to concentrate on the left rear of the XIII preparatory to further operations next day.

46. At 5 P.M. the enemy's artillery commenced to bombard Beit Aiessa and to establish a barrage in rear of the III Division, sweeping the passage through the swamps along which its communications lay. An hour later a very strong counter-attack came from the south-west. In spite of heavy shelling from our guns the attack was pressed home against the 9th Infantry Brigade, from which a double company had been pushed forward to guard two captured guns which could not be brought in during daylight. In retiring the double company masked our fire ; the 9th Infantry Brigade was pressed and gave ground, exposing the left of the 7th Infantry Brigade which was also forced back. Our troops rallied on the 8th Infantry Brigade which was holding its ground firmly on the left of the line, and on a portion of the 7th Infantry Brigade.

Reinforcements from the XIII Division were already moving forward, but owing to the darkness and boggy ground they were delayed and some hours elapsed before they arrived.

The attack which commenced at 6 P.M. was followed by a series of heavy attacks throughout the night, the 8th Infantry Brigade on the left repelling as many as six such attacks. But our line held firm, and the enemy retreated at dawn, having suffered losses estimated at 4,000 to 5,000 men.

47. In this engagement the following units particularly distinguished themselves by their steadiness and gallantry :—1st Battalion Connaught Rangers, 27th Punjabis, 89th Punjabis, 47th Sikhs and 59th Rifles—also the South Lancs., East Lancs., and Wiltshire Regiments. The 66th and 14th Batteries Royal Field Artillery did good service, also the 23rd Mountain Battery, which expended all its ammunition, and did great execution at close range. Generals Egerton and Campbell, who commanded the brigades most heavily

engaged, set a fine example of coolness and gallantry in the hand to hand fighting which took place.

Although the enemy had suffered heavy losses and had failed to obtain any success after their initial rush, they had checked our advance and regained that portion of Beit Aiessa nearest the river which included the bunds controlling the inundations. Its recapture was essential.

48. During the succeeding days some progress in this direction was made by trench fighting and by consolidating positions pushed out towards Sinn Aftar. The boggy nature of the ground made movement difficult, and many of the troops were worn out with fatigue.

Meanwhile on the left bank, although frequently interrupted by floods, the VII Division had been steadily pushing forward saps, and as there were some signs of a weakening of the enemy's forces at Sannaiyat, there appeared to be an opportunity to make another attempt to capture that position. The VII Division was ordered to prepare for an assault on the 20th supported by troops from the right bank. But on the afternoon of the 19th, the wind veered round to the north, water from the marsh flooding their trenches and the ground in front of them; the attack had therefore to be postponed.

49. Throughout the 20th and 21st the Sannaiyat position was bombarded. Arrangements were made for the assault to take place next morning on a front which eventually had to be reduced to that of one brigade, the extreme width of passable ground being only 300 yards. After preliminary bombardment, the VII Division advanced, the 19th Infantry Brigade leading. Besides our artillery on both banks, massed machine guns on the right bank covered our advance. The leading troops carried the enemy's first and second lines in their immediate front, several of the trenches being flooded, but only a few men were able to reach the third line.

50. Large Turkish reinforcements now came up. They delivered a strong counter-attack, which was repulsed. A second counter-attack however succeeded in forcing our troops back, as many men were unable to use their rifles, which had become choked with mud in crossing the flooded trenches, and so were unable to reply to the enemy's fire. By 8-40 A.M., our men were back in their own trenches.

51. By mutual consent parties went out, under the Red Cross and Red Crescent flags, to collect their respective wounded. The Turkish casualties appear to have been heavy as they were evacuating wounded until nightfall. Our casualties amounted to about 1,300.

52. Persistent and repeated attempts on both banks had thus failed, and it was known that at the outside not more than 6 days' supplies remained to the Kut garrison. General Gorringe's troops were nearly worn out. The same troops had advanced time and again to assault positions strong by art and held by a determined enemy. For 18 consecutive days they had done all that men could do to overcome, not only the enemy, but also exceptional climatic and physical obstacles—and this on a scale of rations which was far from being sufficient, in view of the exertions they had undergone, but which the shortage of river transport had made it impossible to augment. The need for rest was imperative.

53. There remained but one chance if the relief of Kut was to be accomplished, and that was the introduction by some means of additional supplies into General Townshend's camp, which would enable him to hold out for a still longer period.

Faint as the chance was, the "Julnar", one of the fastest steamers on the river, had for some days been under preparation by the Royal Navy for an attempt to run the enemy's blockade.

54. At 8 P.M., on April 24th with a crew from the Royal Navy under Lieutenant Firman, R.N., assisted by Lieutenant Commander Cowley, R.N.V.R., the "Julnar" carrying 270 tons of supplies, left Falahiyah in an attempt to reach Kut.

Her departure was covered by all artillery and machine gun fire that could be brought to bear, in the hope of distracting the enemy's attention. She was, however, discovered and shelled on her passage up the river. At 1 A.M. on the 25th General Townshend reported that she had not arrived and that at midnight a burst of heavy firing had been heard at Magasis, some 8½ miles from Kut by river, which had suddenly ceased.

There could be but little doubt that the enterprise had failed, and next day the Air Service reported the "Julnar" in the hands of the Turks at Magasis.

55. The leaders of this brave attempt, Lieutenant H. O. B. Firman, R. N., and his assistant Lieutenant-Commander C. H. Cowley, R. N. V. R.,—the latter of whom had throughout the campaign in Mesopotamia performed magnificent service in command of the "Medjidieh"—have been reported by the Turks to have been killed; the remainder of the gallant crew, including 5 wounded, are prisoners of war.

56. In the hope of prolonging the resistance of Kut for even a day or two the Royal Flying Corps and Royal Naval Air Service had dropped into Kut between April 16th and April 29th approximately 8 tons of supplies, besides fishing nets, medicines and specie.

Although these supplies could not materially alter the course of the siege, it was a performance which is deserving of high praise, for it involved a great strain on the pilots, and the journeys were subject to attacks by enemy aircraft of superior speed and fighting capacity. One of our machines was shot down while engaged on this supply service, another was damaged but brought home safely with great skill.

57. With the failure of the "Julnar" there was no further hope of extending the food limit of the garrison of Kut. Everything that was possible with the means to hand had been attempted. The troops only desisted from their efforts when, through battle losses, sickness and exhaustion, the limit of human endurance had been reached. On April 29th Kut surrendered.

I need not enlarge upon the bitter disappointment felt by all ranks on the Tigris Line at the failure of their attempt to relieve their comrades in Kut. It was mitigated by His Majesty the King's gracious message of May 7th, 1916, in which His Majesty expressed his feeling that his troops had done all that was humanly possible.

58. By the courtesy of the Turkish Commander-in-Chief Major-General Khalil Pasha, I was able to arrange, on April 30th and the following days, that all the more serious cases among the sick and wounded of the garrison of Kut should be handed over to me in exchange for an equivalent number of Turkish prisoners. In this connection I should like to acknowledge my indebtedness to Captain Hon. A. Herbert, M.P., Irish Guards, and Captain T. E. Lawrence, General Staff, Intelligence, Egypt, who greatly assisted me in these negotiations.

59. This report would be incomplete without some reference to occurrences in the other parts of Mesopotamia. During practically the whole period under review, neither the Turks on the Euphrates nor the Arab tribes in the vicinity of that river have given us any trouble. When however in January the advance against the hostile positions in front of Kut took place, it was thought advisable to make a demonstration northwards to a short distance from our advanced post at Nasiriyah, with a view to deferring as many of the hostile tribes on the Hai River as possible from joining forces with the enemy.

60. The major portion of the force at Nasiriyah accordingly moved out at the beginning of January and encamped in the neighbourhood of Butaniyah Lake. Early in February, when the object in view had been attained, the troops returned to Nasiriyah. On the return journey some of the villages, with whom friendly relations had hitherto obtained, apparently mistaking our movement for a retreat, treacherously attacked our rearguard. The attack was beaten off, a party of the Royal West Kents and the 30th Mountain Battery behaving very gallantly. A small force marched out the following morning from Nasiriyah, surprised and destroyed the offending villages in retaliation for their treachery.

Nothing of importance occurred on the Karun Line; that country and the neighbourhood of the Oilfields, as well as the country to the west and the south of Basrah, remaining quiet and undisturbed throughout the period under review.

61. When my predecessor, General Sir John Nixon, submitted his despatch of January 17th, 1916, he had had no opportunity of bringing to notice the names of those officers and men who had distinguished themselves during the actions at Shaikh Saad from 6th to 8th January, and at the Wadi River on 13th January 1916. I have therefore included them in this report.

62. I desire to place on record my appreciation of the services rendered by Lieutenant-General Sir F. Aylmer. Faced by great climatic and other difficulties, and unable, for reasons already referred to, to allow himself the time for reorganisation and preparation which under other circumstances he would have deemed essential, he applied himself to a difficult task with an energy, ability and determination which enabled him twice to defeat a brave enemy at least equal to himself in numbers, and which would in all probability have carried him to success at the Umm-al-Hannah position but for weather conditions which proved an almost insurmountable obstacle.

Major General (temporary Lieutenant-General) Sir G. F. Gorringe has rendered valuable service to the State. As Chief of the Staff to the Tigris column from January 28th, and in command of the column from March 12th onwards he has shown untiring energy, ability and devotion, in dealing with the many difficult situations which he had to face. He is a commander of proved ability in the field.

Major-General C. V. F. Townshend has already shown himself a fine commander of troops in action and a tactician of no mean ability. It was mainly his personal example of cheerfulness, courage and resource which inspired the garrison of Kut to sustain a siege of nearly 5 months, under every sort of trial, until sheer starvation compelled surrender.

Major-General H. d'U. Keary, after commanding his division in France with distinction, has led it with resource and success throughout the operations under review. He could always be depended upon to handle his division with skill in any operation with which he was entrusted.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) H. T. Brooking has displayed much ability in his administration of the Euphrates area, and in the various minor operations which he has conducted.

63. This campaign in Mesopotamia has been one in which the difficulties experienced by the troops in actual contact with the enemy have been all but equalled by those which have had to be faced by the Headquarters and Lines of Communication Staffs and the Departments of the Army, upon whose exertions it depended that their comrades in the fighting line should be fed and supplied with the material they required to enable them to carry out their arduous task.

Major-General M. Cowper, as head of my Administrative Staff, has rendered most valuable service. His energy and ability when things threatened to go wrong and an awkward emergency had to be faced, have more than once saved the situation.

Major-General A. W. Money, as my principal staff officer, has shown himself an exceptionally able Chief of the General Staff. With wide experience and sound judgment, his advice has always been of the highest value to me on all occasions.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Beach, R. E., has continued to me the valuable assistance which he rendered to my predecessor. As head of my Intelligence Section he has displayed a cool well-balanced judgment of no mean order.

64. To Rear Admiral Sir Rosslyn Wemyss, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., D.S.O., Naval Commander-in-Chief, East Indies, I am indebted for much useful advice

and cordial co-operation. Captain Nunn, C.M.G., D.S.O., Commander Wason and the other officers of the Royal Navy have afforded us the able assistance which we have become accustomed to receive from them.

I have referred elsewhere to the daring attempt made by the S. S. "Julnar" to run the gauntlet of the Turkish defences. Knowing well the chances against them, all the gallant officers and men who manned that vessel for the occasion were volunteers, among them Engineer Sub-Lieutenant Lewis Reed, the regular Chief Engineer of the vessel. I trust that the services in this connection of Lieutenant H. O. B. Firman, R.N., and Lieutenant-Commander C. H. Cowley, R.N.V.R., his assistant, both of whom were unfortunately killed, may be recognised by the posthumous grant of some suitable honour.

65. The Air Service, which includes both the Royal Naval Air Service and the Royal Flying Corps, has distinguished itself throughout by hard work and devotion to duty, and the assistance which it has afforded to the other arms has been invaluable. Never fully manned, it found itself, towards the end of the last advance, very short-handed and faced by one or more enemy machines of considerably greater speed and fighting capacity, but its efficient work was nevertheless maintained.

66. The manner in which the Signal Service, only recently organised, and augmented from time to time with but partially trained men, has succeeded in carrying out its duties reflects credit upon both officers and men.

67. None know better than the officers of the Royal Indian Marine how inadequate to meet the ever increasing requirements of this force have been their resources, in personnel, in material, and especially in river craft. Their endeavours to satisfy those requirements have been unceasing, and the measure of success obtained has been highly creditable to all concerned. In addition to the permanent officers I would especially mention the temporary officers in command of the river steamers plying between the Tigris front and the Base, who, working always at high pressure and often under dangerous conditions, have displayed a patriotic devotion to duty worthy of high praise.

68. The energy and devotion to duty shown by the personnel of the Medical Services deserve commendation. Overworked and undermanned as they were during the advance in January—for the greater portion of the medical organisation then in the country had been shut up in Kut, and the medical units of the III and VII Divisions had only begun to arrive—they did their utmost with the means at their disposal to alleviate the sufferings of the sick and wounded. With the arrival in February of the first river hospital ship "Sikkim," and a steady increase in personnel, their power of dealing with the situation was considerably improved, as the action on March 8th showed.

69. No report on the Medical Services would be complete without reference to the splendid services rendered by Mr. T. A. Chalmers of Assam, who brought out, and himself drove, his specially designed motor boat "Ariel." He spent his whole time, frequently under fire, in conveying sick and wounded between collecting stations, field ambulances and river hospital craft, in a manner which no other boat in our possession could have imitated.

70. The Ordnance Services, under Colonel A. P. Douglas, with many serious difficulties to combat, have throughout worked quietly and efficiently to keep the force at the front supplied with the munitions they required.

71. The Supply and Transport Corps have had their establishment seriously reduced from sickness and other causes, and have always worked at high pressure. They have been constantly confronted with the difficulty that sufficient river transport tonnage could not be allotted to them to admit of the full scale of rations being delivered at the front.

72. The Military Works Services, though having to compete with an enormous and ever increasing volume of demands with a staff whose increase was by no means commensurate, has carried through creditably an amount of work the sum total of which can only be realised by those who have seen it actually in progress.

73. The Remount and Veterinary Services, the Telegraph and Postal Departments have all worked very satisfactorily.

74. The Survey Department has performed valuable, if unostentatious work, often under very adverse conditions.

75. The Army Chaplains of all denominations have worked devotedly and given unstinted service to the force. In their ministrations to the wounded they have freely exposed themselves in the front line.

76. I wish to record my appreciation of the valuable work performed by the Officers of General Headquarters and my personal Staff, to whom I am much indebted for their loyal assistance on all occasions.

77. I would express my deep obligation to Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Percy Cox, Mr. Dobbs, I.C.S., and the officers of the Political Department for their valuable advice and assistance freely rendered on every occasion. The remarkably small amount of tribal interruption along our extensive Lines of Communication and the satisfactory condition of internal affairs throughout the occupied territory and adjoining districts are a high testimony to Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Percy Cox's ability, tact and experience.

78. Accompanying this despatch is a list of officers and men whose names I would bring to notice in connection with services rendered during the operations herein reported upon.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

P. LAKE, *Lieutenant-General,*

Commanding Indian Expeditionary Force "D."

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Simla, the 11th October, 1916.

No. 49.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Charles Evelyn Arbuthnot William Oldham of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 50.—For the purposes of section 63 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, c. 61), and in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the Governor General is pleased to nominate Mr. Walter Maude, C.S.I., being an official, to be an Additional Member of the said Council, in the said Act referred to as the Indian Legislative Council.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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Simla, the 10th October, 1916.

No. 974.—Mr. G. M. Young, of the Indian Civil Service, Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, substantive *pro tempore*, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 7th October, 1916.

JUDICIAL.

The 13th October, 1916.

No. 1240.—The services of Saiyed Muhammad Baqar, Munsif, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the date on which he relinquishes charge of his duties at Delhi.

MEDICAL.

The 13th October, 1916.

No. 559.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General has been pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's personal staff, with effect from 9th October, 1916:—

To be Surgeon.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. Austen Smith, M. B., I.M.S., *vice* Major L. Cotterill, M.B., R.A.M.C., resigned.

J. H. DU BOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 9th October, 1916.

No. 1861-G.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of Mr. L. Grommers to be in charge of the Consulate General for Chile at Calcutta, during the absence of Senor Don Carlos Campo Rencoret.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 11th October, 1916.

No. 2266-I B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 35 of the Court-fees Act 1870 (VII of 1870), as applied to, or as in force in, the areas specified in the schedule hereto annexed, the Governor General in Council is pleased to remit the fees chargeable under the said Act, on copies of decrees of Civil or Revenue Courts situate in the territories of His Highness the Gaekwar of Baroda forwarded to any Court in the said areas for execution.

SCHEDULE.

1. The railway lands described in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 784-I B., dated the 9th April 1913, as subsequently amended, and in the first and second columns of the schedule annexed thereto.

2. The Baroda Cantonment.

3. The Cantonments of Mhow, Neemuch, Nowgong and Sehore, the Indore Residency Bazars and the Civil Lines of Nowgong.

4. The Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State, as described in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 582-I.B., dated the 22nd March 1913.

5. The Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.

6. The Abu area, as described in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 679-I.B., dated the 2nd April 1913.

7. The British Reserve, Manipur, as defined in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 533-I.B., dated the 12th March 1909.

8. Berar.

No. 2302-Est.-A.—The Hon'ble Sir John Donald, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., a Resident of the 2nd class, and Resident in Waziristan, is granted privilege leave for one month and nine days, under Article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 24th July 1916.

Notification No. 1705-Est.-A., dated the 10th August 1916, is hereby cancelled.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 11th October, 1916.

No. 2304-Est.-A.—Malik Allah Baksh Khan, Tiwana, an Extra Assistant Commissioner in the Punjab, is placed on special duty under the orders of the Hon'ble the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, with effect from the 28th June 1916.

The 12th October, 1916.

No. 1888-G.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of Sir Arthur William Binning, Kt. as Vice-Consul for Bolivia at Rangoon.

No. 1891-G.—With reference to notification No. 229-G., dated the 24th February 1916, the provisional recognition of the appointment of Mr. G. D. Lys as Acting Consul for Portugal at Calcutta, has been confirmed by His Majesty's Government.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 12th October, 1916.

No. 2277-I. B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to apply to the Khasi States, excluding the portion of the town of Shillong which is not British territory, the enactment and rules specified in the Schedule hereto annexed, in so far as the same may be applicable, and subject to any amendments to which the enactment and rules are for the time being subject in British India.

Provided, firstly, that the said enactment and rules shall apply only to such cases as the Khasi Chiefs are not empowered to adjudicate and decide under any sanad or grant;

Provided, secondly, that in the enactment and rules as so applied, references to a Local Government shall be read as referring to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, and except where

the context or the modifications hereinafter referred to otherwise require, references to British India shall be read as referring to the area or areas to which the enactment or rules wherein the expression occurs has been applied;

Provided, thirdly, that for the purpose of facilitating the application of the said enactment and rules any court may construe the provisions thereof with such alterations not affecting the substance, as may be necessary or proper to adapt them to the matter before the court.

SCHEDULE.

1. The Indian Penal Code, 1860 (Act XLV of 1860).

2. The Rules relating to Criminal justice as contained in section III, and Rules relating to Civil justice as contained in section IV of the Rules for the Administration of Justice and Police in the Khasi and Jaintia Hills made by the Chief Commissioner under section 6 of the Scheduled Districts Act, 1874, and published with notification No. 12521-J., dated the 29th November 1906.

No 2278-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to apply to the portion of the town of Shillong which is not British territory, the enactments and rules specified in the Schedule hereto annexed, in so far as the same may be applicable, and subject to any amendments to which the enactments and rules are for the time being subject in British India.

Provided, firstly, that the said enactments and rules shall apply only to such cases as the Khasi Chief concerned is not empowered to adjudicate and decide under any sanad or grant;

Provided, secondly, that the further modifications set forth in the said Schedule shall be made in the said enactments and rules as so applied;

Provided, thirdly, that in the enactments and rules as so applied, references to a Local Government shall be read as referring to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, and, except where the context or the modifications hereinafter referred to otherwise require, references to British India shall be read as referring to the area or areas to which the enactments or rules wherein the expression occurs have been applied;

Provided, fourthly, that for the purpose of facilitating the application of the said enactment and rules any court may construe the provisions thereof with such alterations not affecting the substance, as may be necessary or proper to adapt them to the matter before the court.

SCHEDULE.

1.	2.
1. The Indian Penal Code, 1860 (Act XLV of 1860).	1. The expression "High Court" shall mean the Chief Commissioner of Assam, except in reference to proceedings against European British subjects or persons jointly charged with European British subjects.
2. The Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898).	2. In section 188, the first proviso shall be omitted.
3. The Rules relating to Civil Justice as contained in Section IV of the Rules for the Administration of Justice and Police in the Khasi and Jaintia Hills made by the Chief Commissioner under section 6 of the Scheduled Districts Act 1874, and published with notification No. 12521 J., dated the 29th November 1906.	

No. 2279-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to provide as follows for the administration of criminal justice in cases which the Khasi Chief concerned is not empowered to adjudicate and decide under any sanad or grant, within the area comprised in the municipality of Shillong which is not British territory, hereinafter called the Shillong Administered Area.

For the purposes of criminal jurisdiction the officers mentioned in Assam Gazette notification No. 6150-J., dated the 11th October 1916, and invested with certain powers within the district and sessions division of Shillong as defined by the said notification shall exercise the same powers within the Shillong Administered Area.

No. 2319-Est.-A.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. Grey of the Political Department is posted as His Britannic Majesty's Consul General and Agent of the Government of India in Khorasan, with effect from the 3rd October 1916.

No. 2321-Est.-A.—Mr. L. W. Reynolds, C.I.E., of the Political Department, on return from leave, is placed temporarily on special duty under the orders of the Resident in Kashmir, with effect from the 3rd October 1916.

The 13th October, 1916.

No. 2324-Est.-A.—Major S. G. W. Hume 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs, is appointed to be Cantonment Magistrate of the Cantonment of Baroda, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 25th September 1916.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FORESTS.

Simla, the 12th October, 1916.

No. 630-F.-67-16.—*Omit* the following from the notification of this Department No. 419-F.-67-12, dated the 10th July 1916 :—

"Mr. R. M. Williamson, officiating Conservator of Forests, 3rd grade, Eastern Circle United Provinces, is appointed to be *Provisional substantive* Conservator, 3rd grade, with effect from the 1st June 1916 *vice* Mr. H. G. Billson."

No. 631-F-67-16.—*Add* the following to the notification of this Department No. 538-F.-265-11, dated the 5th September 1916 :—

"Mr. R. M. Williamson, officiating Conservator of Forests, 3rd grade, to be Conservator, 3rd grade, *provisional substantive.*

The 13th October, 1916.

No. 635-F.-140 7.—On return from leave, Mr. P. H. Clutterbuck, resumed charge of the office of the Chief Conservator of Forests, United Provinces, with effect from the forenoon of the 29th September 1916.

From the same date the following changes are made :—

Mr. H. G. Billson, who reverts to the 3rd grade of Conservators, is appointed to officiate as Conservator, 2nd grade, and is granted privilege leave for 15 days.

Mr. R. M. Williamson, officiating Conservator of Forests, 2nd grade, reverts to 3rd grade, *provisional substantive.*

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 14th October, 1916.

No. 9752.—The following officiating promotions and reversions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified, with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. A. H. P. Wolferstan ...	Assistant Collector, class II, substantive.	Assistant Collector, class I, officiating.	28th August 1916.
Mr. A. E. Boyd ...	Assistant Collector, class III, substantive.	Assistant Collector, class II, officiating.	28th August 1916.
Mr. A. H. Lloyd, I.C.S. ...	Collector, class III, officiating.	Assistant Collector, substantive.	11th September 1916.
Mr. A. H. P. Wolferstan ..	Assistant Collector, class I, officiating.	Assistant Collector, class II, substantive.	30th September 1916.
Mr. A. E. Boyd ...	Assistant Collector, class II, officiating.	Assistant Collector, class III, substantive.	30th September 1916.

CUSTOMS.

The 14th October, 1916.

No 9927-W.-II.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

THE 8TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1916.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments

in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

(C) Bleaching powder ;

(C) Brewers' dried yeast ;

(C) Cloth manufactured wholly or partly of wool or hair except khaki woolen or worsted cloth ;

(B) Gloves, fingerless sheepskin ;

(B) Gloves, with leather palms ;

(C) Grindstones ;

(C) Hacksaw blades ;

(B) Hair, animal, tops, noils, and yarns of ;

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—

(C) Egg, yolk and liquid, and albumen ;

(B) Scarves, jerseys, cardigan jackets, socks, men's gloves and underwear, manufactured wholly or partly of wool ;

(A) Small tools, the following :—

Files ;

(C) Strontium sulphate ;

(B) Waxes, mineral and vegetable (except carnauba,, and composite waxes

(B) Wool, raw (sheep's and lamb's) and mixtures thereof.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—

(C) Albumen ;

(A) Bleaching powder ;

(C) Boots and shoes, other than heavy boots for men ;

(C) Felt, carpets and carpet rugs ;

(B) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather ;

(C) Gramophone record compositions ;

(B) Grindery, the following articles of :—

Brads ;

Metal toe tips ;

(A) Grindstones ;

(A) Hacksaw blades ;

(B) Hair, animal, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof ;

(A) Iron wire ;

(A) Iron wire rods ;

(C) Leather, not otherwise prohibited ;

(A) Leather, sole ;

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—

(C) Egg, yolk and liquid ;

(B) Scarves, shawls, jerseys, cardigan jackets, socks, men's gloves and underwear, manufactured wholly or partly of wool ;

(B) Shoemakers' tools, the following :—

Awls ;

Awl hafts ;

Chisels, hand cold, 8 inches by ¾ inch ;

Files, seat ;

Hammers, single and double faced ;

Irons, forepart, glazing, lap, seat wheel and waist ;

Knives ;

Nippers, cutting ;

Pincers ;

Pliers, eyelet ;

Punches, spring ;

Rasps ;

Welt ploughs, runners and mills ;

(A) Small tools, the following :—

Files, other than shoemakers' seat files ;

(B) Steel rivets, bifurcated ;

(B) Strontium sulphate ;

(C) Tissues manufactured wholly or partly of wool or hair, except khaki woollen or worsted cloth ;

(A) Umbrella ribs, tubes and tube frames ;

(B) Waxes, animal, mineral, and vegetable (except carnauba) and composite waxes ;

(C) Woollen gloves and hosiery not otherwise prohibited ;

(C) Woollen underwear not otherwise prohibited ;

(B) Wool, raw, and mixtures thereof ;

(C) Yeast.

(3) That on and after the 1st day of October, 1916, the exportation of "steel hoops" should be prohibited to all destinations.

(4) That on and after the 9th day of October, 1916, the heading "(C) Bags and sacks not otherwise specifically prohibited (except paper bags)" should be deleted and there be substituted therefor the heading "(C) Bags, wrappers or sacks not otherwise specifically prohibited (except paper bags) other than any such bags, wrappers or sacks as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings."

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

No. 9939-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz* :—

Additions.

China Mining and Metal Company Limited.

Jovansen, M., Miss, Tientsin.

Ki Heng Company, Swatow.

Moksey, H. J. (A. B. Svenska Kullager Fabriken).

Pongee and Lace Emporium.

Svenska Kullager Fabriken, A. B. (Moksey, H. J.).

Terin and Company, Canton.

Alteration.

For the entry "British Mining and Industrial Company, Limited, Tientsin" *read* "Russo-British Mining and Industrial Company."

No. 9944-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in this Department Notification No. 7788-W.-II, dated the 26th August 1916, *viz.*:—

ADDITIONS.

ARGENTINA.

Gomez, Pedro, Comodoro Rivadavia, Territory of Chubut.

Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").

Soteras y Val, Alsina 1251-55, Buenos Aires.

BOLIVIA.

Bacovich, Marcos, Oruro.

Schluter & Company, Oruro.

BRAZIL.

AO Cylindro, Porto Alegre.

Bauer, Walter F., Rua General Camara 88, Rio de Janeiro; and Recife, Pernambuco.

Bier, F. G., & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 106, Porto Alegre.

Deutsch Süd-Amerikanische Telegraphen Gesellschaft A.G., Rua da Assemblea 8; Rua General Camara 62, Rio de Janeiro; and Pernambuco.

Freyer, Hugo, Porto Alegre.

Gonczy, Porto Alegre.

Kopinsky, Joseph, Rua Sao Paulo 52, Rio de Janeiro.

Lima, Luzio Horacio, (Berringer & Company), Para.

Metzler, Hugo, Porto Alegre.

Pereira, E., & Company, Rio de Janeiro.

Schaible & Kanitz, Rua José Bonifacio 40, Sao Paulo; Rua Sao Pedro 52, Rio de Janeiro.

Schroeter, J., Porto Alegre.

Siemens-Schückert Werke, Rio de Janeiro; Bahia; Porto Alegre and Sao Paulo.

Viera de Mello, Francisco, Rio de Janeiro.

CHILE.

Groothoff, A. & O., Iquique.

Kosmos Steamship Line, (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").

Smith, Charles Dudley, (of A. & O. Groothoff), Iquique.

COLOMBIA.

Kosmos Steamship Line, (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").

ECUADOR.

Kosmos Steamship Line, (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").

GREECE.

Tiring, Victor, & Frères, Salonika.

Zachariou, Alexandre, & Company, (Alexandre Zachariou & Athanasios Papatheodorou), 54 Stadium Street, Athens.

ICELAND AND FAROË ISLANDS.

Braun, Rich. N., Reykjavik, Iceland.

Bräuns Verslun, Reykjavik, Iceland.

Krossanes Oil & Guano Factory, Krossanes, Iceland.

Obenhaupt, A., Templarasund 5, Reykjavik, Iceland.

Thomsen, H. Th. A., Reykjavik, Iceland; and Thorshavn, Färoe Islands.

JAPAN.

Doi, Nagashi, Minami Rokuchome 122, Aoyama, Tokyo.

Hattori, Y., Benton-Dori, Yokohama.

Ichikawa, Kiyoshi, 14 Nichome, Iidawachi, Kojimachi-ku, Tokyo.

LIBERIA.*

Deutsche Liberia Bank.

MOROCCO.*

Escalant, Antonio Lopez, Laraiche.

NETHERLANDS.

Bella, M. de la, 2e Jan van der Heydenstraat 2, Amsterdam.

Buitenlandsche Handels Maatschappy, (Foreign Trading Company), Haagsche Veer 35, Rotterdam.

Bunge & Company, Dam 2. 4, 6, Amsterdam.

"B. E. Sons," Graaf Florisstraat 7, Amsterdam.

Dijk, Jac P. M. van, Berkelsche Laan 16, Rotterdam.

Goudzwaard, A. W. M., & Kolff, J. M., Pelikaanstraat 25, Rotterdam.

Kaufmann's Huidenhandel, N. V., (formerly S. G. Kaufmann) Ruigeplaatweg 41, Rotterdam.

Loo, J. Van der, & Company, Kromme Waal 22, Amsterdam; and Rotterdam.

Olifiers, L. N. G., Keizersgracht 70, Amsterdam.

Oostra, I., Pieter de Hooghstraat 42 and Prinsengracht 526, Amsterdam.

Post, Van der Burg & Company, Willemsplein 11, Rotterdam.

Rijnberk, W. E. Van, Wijnhaven 26, Rottterdam.

Schnitzer Gebr., Middensteiger 28, Rotterdam.

Slavenburg, J. L., Vijverhofstraat 86-92, Rotterdam.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Leezenberg, P., Medan.

NORWAY.

Guthormsen, C., (late Guthormsen & Shepherd), ϕ. Slotsgt. 5, Christiania.

Holger, Jensen, Stortingsgaden 4, 111, Christiania.

Stinnes, Hugo, A/S, Stortingsgaden 4, 111, Christiania.

Viking Canning Company Limited A/S., Kopervik near Bergen

PERSIA.*

Haji Gholem Ali & Haji Mohammed Bagher Behbehani & Sons, Bushire.

PERU.

Kosmos Steamship Line, (Agencia Maritima, "Kosmos").

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Asuncion, Roman, Manila.

Botica Boie, Manila.

La Prueba Cigar Factory, P. O. Box 856, and Gunao 4, Manila.

Manila Drug Company, Manila.

Muller, Heinrich, Manila.

Vellguth, Rudolf, Manila.

SPAIN.

Deutsch, Charles, Atocha 151, Madrid.

Figueras, Manuel, Tarragona.

Hispano (La) Alemana, Viladomat 88, Barcelona.

Llombet, Andres, Rosario 2, Santa Cruz de Tenerife.

Postigo, Salvador, Trinidad Grund 21, Malaga.

Rodriguez, Andres Llombet, Rosario 2, Santa Cruz de Tenerife.

Saggese Hermanos de Binisalem et de Palma, Palma, Balearic Islands.

Serra, Juan, Tarragona.

Tapias, José, Tarragona.

Wimmer, J., & Company, (Hans, Johannes, & Max Wimmer), Puerta del Sol 6, Madrid.

URUGUAY.

Delcampo, Carlos, Montevideo.

REMOVALS.

ARGENTINA.

Vogel, F. W., & Company, Calle Defensa 467, Buenos Aires.

BRAZIL.

Albuquerque, Antonio de, Rua 13 de Mayo 25, Para.

Empreza de Navegacão Mosqueiro e Soure, Para.

Mosqueiro & Soure, Para.

Officina Viuva Camillier.

Rosa Neves & Company, Florianopolis.

Teltscher & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 122, Porto Alegre.

CHILE.

Sociedad Imprenta y Litografia Universo, Santiago.

ECUADOR.

Moreira, Nicanor, Manta.

MOROCCO.

Assayag, Simon, Laraiche.

Haquiba, Cades, Laraiche.

Moryusef, Mesod Uld Brami, Laraiche.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Plantagen Gesellschaft Langkapoera, Batavia.

Teller, Scholte & Company, Sourabaya.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Keller, E. A., & Company, Martinez 4, Manila.

Menzie, J.

SPAIN.

Albert, Joaquin Duran, Vergara 10-12, Barcelona.

Chell, Jose Vilchez, Isaac Peral 22, Cadiz.

Duran, Joaquin, Vergara 10-12, Barcelona.

Guardiola, Juan, Alicante.

Pijy Sarriera, Antonio, Plaza del Teatro 3, Barcelona.

Raich Hermanos & Company, Plaza Urquinaona 10, Barcelona.

Wirth, Robert, Calle Sevilla 6, Madrid.

SWEDEN.

Ganslandt and Gussing (A/B), Hjulhamnsg. 4, Malmö; Gothenburg and Ystad.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Electro Bleaching Gas Company, The, Buffalo Avenue, and Union Street, Niagara Falls; and 25 Madison Avenue, New York City.

Gravenhorst & Company, 96, Wall Street, New York City.

Neuhaus, Richard, (of the Electro Bleaching Gas Company).

VARIATIONS IN LIST.

Corrections in the names and alterations in and additions to addresses of the persons or firms whose names have been already published on the respective dates shown in the margin are made as under :—

DENMARK.

Aug. 8th, 1916. Seelk, Alfred, Strandv. 118; Vimmelskaftet 42; and Borsen, Copenhagen.

June 30th, 1916. Bonne, C. Riis, Linoleum Company, Limited, Kronprinsensgade 6, Copenhagen.

JAPAN.

May 9th, 1916. Benicke, F., Nachf, 4 Honkawaya-cho, Nihonbashi-ku, Tokyo; and 81 Kyo-machi, Kobe.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Mar. 24th, 1916. Adler Warenhuis (Moritz Adler), Sourabaya.

NORWAY.

June 30th, 1916. Forenede Feldspatbrud A/S, Sarpsborg and Strandgade 24, Christianssand, S.

Feb. 29th. 1916. Möller, E. D., Skippergatan 9, Christiania.

PERU.

May 18th, 1916. Ludowieg, C., & Company, Ucayali 300, Lima.

SPAIN.

Aug. 8th, 1916. Bosser, Emilio Badia, Calle Aribau 110 and 121; Calle Provenza 177, Barcelona.

June 15th, „ Ramirez, Antonio, Trinidad Grund 7, Malaga.

VENEZUELA.

Aug. 22nd, 1916. Behrens, Adolfo, (Partner of Blohm & Company).*

„ „ Christern, Zingg & Company, Maracaibo.

No. 9954-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India, whether by the parcels post or otherwise, of all goods from Abyssinia, Argentina, the Azores, Bolivia, Brazil, the Canary Islands, the Cape Verde Islands, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, the Danish West Indies, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Liberia, Madeira, Mexico, Morocco, the Netherland East and West Indies, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, the Phillipine Islands, Portuguese East and West Africa, San Salvador, Spain, Spanish West Africa, Uruguay and Venezuela, unless Certificates of Interest in the form prescribed in the annexed schedule are presented to the Customs Collector at the port of import in respect of such goods.

Provided that

(i) a single certificate may be used to cover any number of parcels of goods shipped to the same consignee on the same vessel at the same time for the same port:

(ii) nothing in this notification shall apply to

(a) goods imported for the use of Government Departments;

(b) goods imported under a general or special licence granted by the Governor General in pursuance of the Trading with the Enemy Proclamation No. 2, as amended and extended by subsequent Proclamations, except so far as a certificate of origin may be required by the conditions of the licence itself;

(c) goods imported from an allied country by way of a neutral country on a through bill of lading or by through postal parcel;

(d) goods transhipped for consignment to other parts of the British Empire where the system of certificates of interest is in force, or carried forward in the same bottom to foreign ports;

(e) *bona fide* personal and household effects of persons entering the country;

(f) goods shipped for India on or before the 30th September 1916.

(iii) the Customs-Collector may, in his discretion, and if he sees no reason for suspecting that the goods have emanated from an enemy territory, allow delivery of any goods imported from the above mentioned countries, even if unaccompanied by certificates of interest on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs-Collector may direct;

(iv) the Customs-Collector, in his discretion, may

(a) detain goods in respect of which a certificate of interest has been duly furnished, pending the production of such further evidence of interest as he may consider satisfactory; or

(b) release such goods on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposite to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs-Collector may direct.

SCHEDULE.

Form of Certificate of Interest.

I, hereby certify that Mr. (Producer, Manufacturer, Merchant, Trader, etc.), residing at in this town, has declared before me that the merchandise designated below is to be shipped from this town to , and consigned to (*a*) (Merchant, Manufacturer, etc.), and that no person who is an enemy, (or is treated as an enemy under any law or proclamation for the time being in force relating to trading with the enemy or relating to trading with persons of enemy nationality or association), has any interest in such merchandise; and that he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof.

Number and Description of Cases.	Marks and Numbers.	Weight or Quantity.	Total Value. (*b*)	Contents.	Name of Producer or Manufacturer.

This certificate is valid only for a period of not more than (*c*) days from the date hereof, and for not more than (*d*)

(Signed)................................ (Signed)................................

(*Signature of person declaring.*) (*Signature of Consular Authority issuing certificate and date*).

(Consular Fee Stamp.)

(*a*) If desired, the word "order" may be inserted here, instead of the name of the purchaser in India.
(*b*) This column may be left blank, if desired.
(*c*) Here insert number of days for which certificate is valid.
(*d*) Here insert quantity or weight.

No. 9961-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in supersession of the Notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6165-158-W.-II, dated the 22nd July 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India, whether by the parcels post or otherwise, of all goods from Belgium, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland and Switzerland unless certificates of origin and interest in the form prescribed in the annexed schedule are presented to the Customs-Collector at the port of import

in respect of such goods :

Provided that

(i) a single certificate may be used to cover any number of parcels of goods shipped to the same consignee on the same vessel at the same time for the same port :

(ii) nothing in this notification shall apply to

(a) goods imported for the use of Government Departments ;

(b) goods imported under a general or special licence granted by the Governor General in pursuance of the Trading with the Enemy Proclamation, No. 2, as amended and extended by subsequent Proclamations, except so far as a certificate of origin may be required by the conditions of the licence itself ;

(c) goods imported from an allied country by way of a neutral country on a through bill of lading or by through postal parcel ;

(d) goods transhipped for consignment to other parts of the British Empire where the system of certificates of origin and interest is in force, or carried forward in the same bottom to foreign ports ;

(e) *bona fide* personal and household effects of persons entering the country ;

(f) imports of alabaster, articles of carved coral and shells, bulbs, carbide of calcium, codliver oil, coral (raw), curbstone, cyanide of calcium, flax, flax seed, foodstuffs (other than sugar and spirits), fresh flowers, granite, granite setts for paving, ice, iron ore, marble, pavement slates, paving slates, paving stones, quicksilver, Sienna-earth, slatestone, strawboard, sulphur, tar, timber of any kind (including pit-props, and wood hoops for making casks), mechanical wood pulp (excluding cellulose) ;

(g) goods of Belgian origin re-exported from the United Kingdom ;

(h) goods shipped for India on or before the 30th September 1916, covered by a certificate of origin ;

(iii) the Customs-Collector may, in his discretion, and if he sees no reason for suspecting that the goods have emanated from an enemy territory, allow delivery of any goods imported from the above mentioned countries, even if unaccompanied by certificates of origin and interest on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs-Collector may direct ;

(iv) the Customs-Collector, in his discretion, may

(a) detain goods in respect of which a certificate of origin and interest has been duly furnished, pending the production of such further evidence of origin and interest as he may consider satisfactory ; or

(b) release such goods on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs-Collector may direct.

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merchandise; and that he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof.

Number and Description of Cases.	Marks and Numbers.	Weight or Quantity.	Total Value. (b)	Contents.	Name of Producer or Manufacturer. (e)

This certificate is valid only for a period of not more than (c) days from the date hereof, and for not more than (d)

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(*Signature of person declaring.*) (*Signature of Consular Authority issuing certifiate and date.*)

(Consular Fee Stamp.)

(b) This column may be left blank, if desired.
(c) Here insert number of days for which certificate is valid.
(d) Here insert quantity or weight.

(e) This column may be left blank at the request of the declarant; but the name of the producer or manufacturer must be inserted in a separate document issued at the same time by the Consular Officer, which will only be inspected by the Customs Authorities at the port of importation. The separate document may be either a letter from the Consular Officer concerned or a copy of the certificate itself furnishing the necessary particulars.

In the case of the following articles, however, the particulars in question need not necessarily be furnished either in the certificate or in the separate document; in such cases the words " he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof " in the text of the certificate may be replaced by the words " I am satisfied that such is the case ":—

(i) All articles in respect of which certificates of origin and interest, though not required under this notification, are issued at the special request of the exporter.

(ii) Argols.
Berries.
Bones.
Charcoal.
Codliver oil.
Dried flowers.
Eiderdown.
Empty yarn and electric cable spools.
Essential oils of native fruits.
Fish oils.
Grease.
Hides.
Leaves.
Lichen, moss and other wild growths.
Medicinal herbs.
Metal foundry residues.
Old clothes and wearing apparel.
Olive meal (ground).
Old rags.
Old rails.
Old ropes, lines, etc.
Personal effects.
Returned empties (including casks).
Roots.
Ships' stores.
Spelter.
Squills.
Steel, zinc and other metal scraps.
Sumac.
Waste clippings of textile materials.
Wax (bees-wax, etc.)

(f) The Consular authority will stamp all certificates in a prominent place with the words:—

" The present certificate must not be regarded as an absolute guarantee of the origin or interest of the goods which remain liable to seizure if they should prove on examination by the competent British Authorities to be of enemy origin."

(g) In the case of goods partially produced or manufactured in enemy territory, certificates will only be granted, and accepted, when not more than 25 per cent. of the value of the finished article is due to enemy labour or material. The percentage of value derived from such enemy production or manufacture should be stated in the certificate. The percentage should be calculated, not upon the sale price of the finished goods in India, but upon the value delivered at the place of manufacture, excluding cost of packing and carriage to India.

(h). In the case of Belgian goods the certificate should state that the goods have been produced or manufactured in Belgium, or that less than 25 per cent of their value is due to enemy (other than Belgian) labour or material and that the certifying officer is satisfied as to the truth of the declaration.

Goods manufactured in Holland which owe less than 25 per cent of their value to enemy (other than Belgian) labour or material but include also a Belgian element which raises the proportion to more than 25 per cent are considered for the purpose of this certificate as goods of Belgian origin.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

The 14th October, 1916.

No. 9945-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Sub-section (*1*) of Section 3 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1915 (XIV of 1915), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. R. W. D. Willoughby, I.C.S., officiating Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Joint Stock Companies, Life Assurance Companies and Provident Insurance Societies, to act as Custodian for the United Provinces, for the purpose of receiving, holding and dealing with such money as may be paid to him in pursuance of the said Act.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Simla, the 7th October, 1916.

No. 372.—The services of the Reverend R. E. Lee, Junior Chaplain, Church of Scotland, Bombay Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Army Department.

The 11th October, 1916.

No. 376.—The Reverend R. MacOmish, M.A., B.D., of Wilson College, Bombay, is appointed to be a temporary Chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment, Church of Scotland, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge of his duties. His services are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

GENERAL.

The 13th October, 1916.

No. 638.—With reference to this Department Notification no. 145, dated the 24th March 1916, Mr. A. H. Bartlett, Superintendent, 3rd grade on probation, is confirmed in that grade.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 12th October 1916.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 1209.—A despatch by Lieutenant-General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., on the operations of Indian Expeditionary Force "D" from the 19th January to the 30th April 1916, is published for general information :

No. 168-31-O.

General Headquarters,

I. E. F. "D."

Dated the 12th August 1916.

FROM

LIEUTENANT-GENERAL SIR P. H. N. LAKE, K. C. B., K. C. M. G.,

Commanding Indian Expeditionary Force "D."

To

THE CHIEF OF THE GENERAL STAFF,

Army Headquarters, Simla, India.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit a despatch describing the operations of the Force under my command, from January 19th, 1916, the date of my assuming command, up to April 30th, 1916.

2. Sir John Nixon's last despatches, dated January 17th, referred to General Aylmer's advance from Ali Gharbi; his capture of the Turkish position at Shaikh Saad after severe fighting on the 6th, 7th and 8th January; the battle of 13th and 14th January on the Wadi River, and the retreat of the enemy to an entrenched position across the Umm-al-Hannah defile.

3. The period now under report includes three phases in the further attempt to relieve Kut:—

1st Phase.—19th to 23rd January.—Unsuccessful attempt to force the Hannah defile. Commander—Lieutenant-General Sir F. Aylmer.

2nd Phase.—24th January to 10th March.—A period of rest and reorganisation, followed by the unsuccessful attempt to outflank the enemy's right in the vicinity of the Dujailah Redoubt.

Commander—Lieutenant-General Sir F. Aylmer.

3rd Phase.—11th March to 30th April.—A brief period of preparation, followed by the attack and capture of the Hannah and Falahiyah positions; failure to force the Sannaiyat position; and fall of Kut.

Commander—Lieutenant-General Sir G. F. Gorringe.

4. The general position of affairs on the Tigris front on January 19th, 1916, was that the bulk of General Aylmer's force, after the heavy fighting referred to in paragraph 2, was encamped on the left bank of the Tigris, above the Wadi River; the advanced troops were in touch with the Turks entrenched in their Umm-al-Hannah position. General Aylmer was actively engaged in re-organising his force for a further advance with the least possible delay. He fully realised that an immediate advance must involve some deficiencies in his organisation and fighting strength, but was influenced by the following factors:—

(*i*) General Townshend's reports as to the limit of his food supplies, and the influence of food supply questions generally on the operations of the relieving column.

(*ii*) General Townshend's anxiety about the sufficiency of his ammunition supply and the condition of some of his troops.

(*iii*) The rapidity with which the Turks might be able to reinforce the troops opposed to General Townshend, and the desirability of forestalling them.

It was, I understand, these three considerations that had mainly influenced my predecessor in ordering General Aylmer to advance as early in January as possible with the force which would then be concentrated at Ali Gharbi.

It was not until after the heavy fighting for the Hannah position on January 21st that General Townshend's report of January 25th, 1916—to the effect that as regards food supplies he could hold out for another 84 days—reached General Headquarters.

5. The difficulty experienced in pushing up reinforcements, supplies and munitions of war to the front seriously affected the operations.

The number of steamers available in January, 1916 for river transport purposes was practically the same as when, in June 1915, the first advance up the Tigris took place. Additional river craft had from time to time been demanded as augmentations to the force in Mesopotamia were decided upon, but, owing to the peculiar conditions which vessels intended for the intricate navigation of the Tigris have to satisfy, the provision of these vessels was a difficult problem, necessarily entailing long delays, and the supply was never able to keep pace with the requirements of the force.

In consequence of this, it was never possible during the period now under report either to concentrate at the Tigris front the whole of the forces available in the country, or to equip such forces as could be concentrated there with sufficient transport to make them mobile and enable them to operate freely at any distance from the river.

It was always necessary, therefore, for General Headquarters to balance most carefully the flow of reinforcements and supplies, so that the former should not outrun the latter.

1st Phase. 19th to 23rd January.

6. After the battle of Wadi River, General Aylmer's leading troops had followed the retreating Turks to the Umm-al-Hannah position and entrenched themselves at the mouth of the defile, so as to shut the enemy in and limit his power of taking the offensive.

7. The weather at this period was extraordinarily unfavourable. Heavy rains caused the river to come down in flood, and overflow its banks, and converted the ground on either bank into a veritable bog.

Our bridge across the Wadi was washed away several times, while the boisterous winds greatly interfered with the construction of a bridge across the Tigris, here some 400 yards in width.

8. It was essential to establish artillery on the right bank of the Tigris so as to support, by enfilading fire, the attack of our infantry against the Hannah position.

9. Guns and troops were ferried across, with difficulty, owing to the high wind and heavy squalls of rain; but by the 19th all troops allotted to the right bank had crossed over and were established in the positions from which they were required to co-operate with the main force on the left bank.

10. Meanwhile the leading infantry brigades on the left bank had pushed nearer the enemy. January the 20th was devoted to a systematic bombardment of his position, and during the night the infantry pushed forward their advanced line to within 200 yards of the enemy's trenches.

11. On the morning of the 21st, under cover of an intensive artillery bombardment, our infantry moved to the attack.

On our right the troops got to within 100 yards of the enemy's line but were unable to advance further. Our left column, consisting of the Black Watch, 6th Jats and 41st Dogras, penetrated the front line with a rush, capturing trenches which they held for about an hour and a half. Supports were sent forward, but, losing direction and coming under heavy fire, failed to reach them. Thus, left unsupported, our previously successful troops, when Turkish counter-attacks developed, were overwhelmed by numbers and forced to retire.

12. Heavy rain now began to fall and continued throughout the day. Telephone communication broke down, and communication by orderly became slow and uncertain.

After further artillery bombardment the attack was renewed at 1 p.m., but by this time the heavy rain had converted the ground into a sea of mud, rendering rapid movement impossible. The enemy's fire was heavy and effective, inflicting severe losses, and though every effort was made, the assault failed.

Our troops maintained their position until dark and then slowly withdrew to the main trenches which had been previously occupied, some 1,300 yards from those of the enemy.

13. As far as possible all the wounded were brought in during the withdrawal, but their sufferings and hardships were acute under the existing climatic conditions, when vehicles and stretcher bearers could scarcely move in the deep mud.

14. To renew the attack on the 22nd was not practicable. The losses on the 21st had been heavy, the ground was still a quagmire and the troops exhausted. A six hours' armistice was arranged, in order to bury the dead and remove the wounded to shelter.

15. I cannot sufficiently express my admiration for the courage and dogged determination of the force engaged. For days they bivouacked in driving rain on soaked and sodden ground. Three times they were called upon to advance over a perfectly flat country, deep in mud, and absolutely devoid of cover,

against well constructed and well planned trenches, manned by a brave and stubborn enemy approximately their equal in numbers. They showed a spirit of endurance and self-sacrifice of which their country may well be proud.

2nd Phase. 24th January to 10th March.

16. The hurried improvisation of temporary brigades, divisions, etc., with which the force had been obliged to commence its advance from Ali Gharbi was now showing its inherent weakness. Divisions and brigades, the units of which knew each other and had served together in France, had perforce been broken up to meet the difficulties of transport on a long sea voyage. There had been no time on arrival in Mesopotamia to await belated units. In many cases, Field Ambulances had arrived after the combatant units. Brigade and divisional formations had been made up with such units as were first available. This was a severe handicap to the troops, and steps were now taken to reconstitute formations as far as possible in their original condition.

17. Throughout the month of February, preparations were made for resuming the offensive. Reinforcements were pushed up from the Base by steamer and route march; reorganisation and training were carried on at the front. On the left bank our trenches were again pushed forward towards the Hannah position. Frequent reconnaissances were made by land and air on both banks. During this period no severe fighting took place, though several minor operations were undertaken to gain information and to harass the enemy. On February 11th the bridge which had been destroyed by floods on January 14th was replaced.

18. The situation at the end of February was briefly as follows:—

On the left bank, the enemy, having been reinforced, still held the Hannah position in force; further in rear were other defensive lines, at Falahiyah, Sannaiyat, Nakhailat, and along the northern part of the Es Sinn position. All except the last named had been constructed since the battle of Hannah on 21st January. They were all protected on both flanks by the Tigris and the Suwaikieh Marsh respectively. On the right bank, the Es Sinn position constituted the Turkish main line of defence, with an advanced position near Beit Aiessa. The right flank of the Es Sinn position rested on the Dujailah Redoubt, which lay some five miles south of the river and 14 miles south-west of the British lines on the right bank.

19. It was decided to attack the Turkish right flank and Dujailah Redoubt, as the first step towards the relief of Kut before the arrival of the flood season, expected about the middle of March. It was feared that, as soon as the Tigris came down in flood, the Turks would cut the bunds and so flood the country as to render further offensive operations impracticable.

The whole area was so flat that there was hardly any portion of it which could safely be said to be above flood level.

20. General Aylmer made his arrangements accordingly. He decided not to wait for further reinforcements, but to advance with the maximum force for which land transport could be made available with two days' food and water. To conceal his intentions during the period of preparation, our artillery on both banks engaged the enemy's trenches on the left bank, whilst the force in front of the Hannah position displayed great activity.

21. Operations were again interrupted at the beginning of March by adverse weather conditions. This delay was unfortunate, as it gave time to the enemy to construct trenches closing the gap which had hitherto existed between Dujailah Redoubt and the Hai River.

22. On the afternoon of March 7th, General Aylmer assembled his subordinate commanders and gave his final instructions, laying particular stress on the fact that the operation was designed to effect a surprise; and that, to prevent the enemy forestalling us, it was essential that the first phase of the

operation, *i.e.*, the captuie of the Dujailah Redoubt, should be pushed through with the utmost vigour.

23. His dispositions were briefly as follows:—

The greater part of a division under General Younghusband, assisted by Naval Gunboats, contained the enemy on the left bank. The remaining troops were formed into two columns, under General Kemball and General Keary, respectively, a reserve of infantry and the Cavalry Brigade being held at the Corps Commander's own disposal. Kemball's column, covered on the outer flank by the Cavalry Brigade, was to make a turning movement to attack the Dujailah Redoubt from the south, supported by the remainder of the force operating from a position to the east of the Redoubt.

24. The night march by this large force, which led across the enemy's front to a position on his right flank, was a difficult operation, entailing movement over unknown ground and requiring most careful arrangements to attain success. Thanks to excellent staff work and good march discipline, the troops reached their allotted positions apparently undiscovered by the enemy, but while Keary's column was in position at daybreak ready to support Kemball's attack, the latter's command did not reach the point selected for its deployment, in the Dujailah depression, until more than an hour later. This delay was highly prejudicial to the success of the operation.

25. In spite of their late arrival the presence of so large a force seems to have been quite unexpected by the Turks, as Dujailah Redoubt was apparently lightly held when our columns reached their allotted positions. Prompt and energetic action would probably have forestalled the enemy's reinforcements. But time was lost by waiting for the guns to register and to carry out reconnaissances, and when, nearly three hours later, Kemball's troops advanced to the attack, they were strongly opposed by the enemy from trenches cleverly concealed in the brushwood, and were unable to make further ground for some time, though assisted by Keary's attack upon the Redoubt from the east.

The southern attack was now reinforced, and by 1 P.M. had pushed forward to within 500 yards of the Redoubt, but concealed trenches again stopped further progress and the Turks made several counter-attacks with reinforcements which had by now arrived from the direction of Magasis.

26. It was about this time that the Corps Commander received from his Engineer officers the unwelcome news that the water supply contained in rain-water pools in the Dujailah depression, upon which he had reckoned, was insufficient, and could not be increased by digging. It was clear therefore that unless the Dujailah Redoubt could be carried that day, the scarcity of water would of itself compel our troops to fall back. Preparations were accordingly made for a further assault on the Redoubt and at 5.15 P.M. attacks were launched from the south and east under cover of a heavy bombardment. The 9th and 28th Infantry Brigades got within 200 yards of the southern face where they were held up by heavy fire, although reinforced. Meanwhile, the 8th Infantry Brigade supported by the 37th had assaulted from the east; the two leading battalions of the former, the Manchesters and 59th Rifles, and some of the 37th Infantry Brigade, succeeded in gaining a foot-hold in the Redoubt. But here they were heavily counter-attacked by large enemy reinforcements, and being subjected to an extremely rapid and accurate shrapnel fire from concealed guns in the vicinity of Sinn Aftar, they were forced to fall back to the position from which they started.

27. The troops, who had been under arms for some 30 hours including a long night march, were now much exhausted, and General Aylmer considered that a renewal of the assault during the night 8th-9th March could not be made with any prospect of success. Next morning the enemy's position was found to be unchanged, and General Aylmer, finding himself faced with the deficiency of water already referred to, decided upon the immediate withdrawal of his force to Wadi, which was reached the same night.

28. The evacuation of our wounded had preceded our retirement. The first parties of wounded reached Wadi at 4 P.M. on March 9th, and the last

wounded man was attended to in hospital at that place at 2 A.M., March 10th. The Corps Commander speaks in high terms of the gallantry and devotion displayed by officers and subordinates of the Medical Service and Army Bearer Corps during the fighting. They collected and attended to the wounded under heavy fire in a manner which called forth the admiration of the whole force.

3rd Phase. 11th March to 30th April.

29. No further operations of any importance occurred during March, though minor engagements took place on the right bank, in which enemy trenches were taken and prisoners captured. But rain fell, and the Tigris came down in heavy flood on March 15th, causing extensive inundations which compelled our troops to evacuate their advanced positions on that bank. For the remainder of the month there was a strenuous struggle with the inundations, to prevent the whole country being flooded. Every available man was engaged in digging embankments, and operations were temporarily suspended.

30. On March 12th, Major-General Sir G. F. Gorringe succeeded to the command of the Corps. Fresh troops now began to arrive up-river and it was decided to renew active operations as soon as this reinforcement was complete. Careful investigations were made, meanwhile, as to the feasibility of an advance on Kut by the right bank from Shaikh Saad, but as enquiry showed that the country along this route was not flood proof and would be liable to inundation by the breaking of the bunds on the right bank of the Tigris, which were under Turkish control, it was decided that conditions were more favourable for an attack on the Hannah position, and an advance up the left bank.

Preparations were accordingly made for putting this plan into action.

31. The VII Division had been engaged in sapping up to the enemy's front trenches, continually under heavy fire and hampered by floods. By March 28th, their sap-heads were 150 yards from the Turkish front line.

On April 1st, the XIII Division moved up from Shaikh Saad to relieve them in the front trenches preparatory to the assault. Heavy rain fell, however, on this and the following day, and floods rendered some of the positions of our troops on the right bank untenable. The ground became impassable, and operations had to be postponed.

32. By the evening of April 4th, the ground had dried sufficiently for the assault. At daylight the next morning the XIII Division jumped out of their trenches and rushed the Turkish first and second lines in quick succession. Our artillery and machine guns at once opened on the third and other lines in rear, and by 7 A.M. the whole position was in our hands.

33. The attack on Hannah had been prepared with the greatest care, and was brilliantly executed by General Maude and the XIII Division. The enemy's position was a maze of deep trenches occupying a frontage of only 1,300 yards between the Tigris and the Suwaikieh Marsh, and extending for 2,600 yards from front to rear. Although it was lightly held by the Turks with a few companies and some machine guns, it was a position of great strength.

34. Meanwhile, on the right bank, the III Division had been gaining ground. In the morning the 8th Infantry Brigade, led by the Manchesters, captured the Turkish position on Abu Roman mounds. An attempt by the enemy to recapture this position in the afternoon was beaten off.

During the day the river rose considerably, and it was evident that a fresh flood was coming down. This pointed to the urgency of capturing the Falahiyah and Sannaiyat positions, 3 and 6 miles respectively west of the Hannah position, before the rising river should enable the Turks to flood the country between us, by opening the bunds.

35. After nightfall a heavy bombardment was directed on the Falahiyah position from 7-15 P.M. to 7-30 P.M., after which the XIII Division assaulted and captured a series of deep trenches in several lines. The position was stubbornly held by about 3 battalions of Turks, but by 9-30 P.M. it was completely in our hands and consolidated.

The 38th Infantry Brigade and the Warwicks and Worcesters of the 39th Infantry Brigade did particularly well in this assault. High praise is due to

Major-General Maude, his brigade commanders and all under their commands for this successful night attack. The Division suffered some 1,300 casualties during the day.

36. The VII Division, which had hitherto been in support, now moved forward, and passing through the XIII Division, took up a position about two miles east of Sannaiyat, ready to attack the northern portion of these entrenchments at dawn on April 6th. The line of direction was to be maintained by moving with the left flank along a communication trench which joined the Falahiyah and Sannaiyat positions. Previous reconnaissance of the terrain to be traversed had of course been impossible during daylight, as it was then still occupied by the Turks.

37. The passage, however, of numerous and deep cross trenches so hampered the advance that, at dawn, when the assault was to have taken place, the troops were still some 2,300 yards from the enemy's position. This delay was fatal to their chance of success, as the ground was perfectly flat and without any vestige of cover. In these circumstances it would have been wiser to have postponed the attack at the last moment. The advance was however continued with the greatest gallantry under heavy artillery and machine gun fire, to within 700 yards of the Turkish trenches. Here the attacking lines were checked, and eventually fell back on to the supporting 3rd line, where they dug themselves in at about 1,000 yards from the enemy.

38. During the night of 5th-6th April and throughout the 6th the river rose steadily, until at mid-day it reached the highest level of the year. The wind changed to the north and blew the water of the Suwaikieh Marsh southwards across the right of the VII Division; protecting bunds along both the Tigris and the edge of the marsh had then to be constructed under the enemy's fire. Our guns were surrounded by floods, and for some time the position was distinctly critical.

The Marsh continued to encroach so much on the ground occupied by the VII Division that all efforts had to be devoted to securing from the floods the positions already gained. On the right bank the inundations rendered communication most difficult, and threatened to isolate the III Division altogether. On April 8th, in face of many difficulties, a new bridge over the Tigris was completed at Falahiyah.

39. During the night 8th-9th April the XIII Division took the place of the VII Division in the trenches, and at 4-20 A.M. advanced to the assault on Sannaiyat. When within 300 yards of the enemy's front line they were discovered by the Turks, who sent up "Very" lights and flares and opened a heavy rifle and gun fire. The first line, including detachments of the 6th K.O. Royal Lancaster Regiment, 8th Welsh Fusiliers, 6th L. North Lancashire Regiment and 5th Wiltshire Regiment, penetrated the centre of the enemy's front line trench. In the glare of the lights the second line lost direction, wavered, and fell back on the third and fourth lines. Support thus failed to reach the front line at the critical moment, in spite of the most gallant and energetic attempts of officers concerned to remedy matters.

Our troops who had reached the enemy's trenches were heavily counter-attacked by superior numbers and driven back to from 300 to 500 yards from the enemy's line, where brigades dug themselves in.

40. I had been at Wadi in close touch with the Corps Commander since April 6th, and after the failure of this attack we met and discussed the situation together in detail. While it was clearly very desirable to secure the Sannaiyat position with its obvious advantages, yet we had to bear in mind how very short the time at our disposal was if Kut was to be relieved, and the delay which a systematic approach by sapping right up to the position must involve. It was therefore decided that another attempt to force the enemy's right about the Sinn Aftar Redoubt offered prospects of speedier success.

41. General Gorringe accordingly proceeded to make the necessary arrangements for this move. As will be understood, it involved securing the control of the river bunds which were covered by the enemy's advanced position at Beit Aiessa, and establishing communications across the intervening

flooded areas which must be traversed before we could reach that position. It should be borne in mind that there is no such thing as a road, in the sense in which we use the word, in this part of the country, and that no road material or metalling of any sort exists ; yet in order to supply the troops with food and ammunition when they should have succeeded in crossing the inundations, some sort of permanent track above flood level, along which transport could work, was essential.

42. The VII Division now again took over and pushed forward the trench work in front of Sannaiyat as far as constant interruptions by floods would permit. The XIII Division was held back near Falahiyah Bridge in reserve.

43. On April 12th, the III Division, advancing across belts of inundation intersected by deep cuts drove in the enemy's piquets east of Beit Aiessa and occupied their outpost line, consolidating their position during the night.

On April 15th and 16th, some of the enemy's advanced trenches were captured and counter-attacks were repulsed. Our new line was consolidated by night, guns were moved forward and preparations were made for the attack of the main Beit Aiessa position on the morning of the 17th.

44. Under cover of an intense bombardment, the 7th and 9th Infantry Brigades advanced at 6-45 A.M. and actually reached the Turkish trenches before our artillery fire lifted. When the bombardment ceased they leapt into the trenches, bayonetted numbers of the enemy and the Beit Aiessa position was soon in our hands. The enemey left 200 to 300 dead in the trenches and 180 prisoners were captured.

These operations, culminating in the capture of Beit Aiessa, reflect great credit on Major-General Keary and the troops under his command. Steady and consistent progress was made day after day in spite of most difficult conditions and often with a shortage of rations which the transport was heavily strained to bring forward.

45. Orders were now issued for the XIII Division to move up in relief of the III Division, after dark, the latter to concentrate on the left rear of the XIII preparatory to further operations next day.

46. At 5 P.M. the enemy's artillery commenced to bombard Beit Aiessa and to establish a barrage in rear of the III Division, sweeping the passage through the swamps along which its communications lay. An hour later a very strong counter-attack came from the south-west. In spite of heavy shelling from our guns the attack was pressed home against the 9th Infantry Brigade, from which a double company had been pushed forward to guard two captured guns which could not be brought in during daylight. In retiring the double company masked our fire ; the 9th Infantry Brigade was pressed and gave ground, exposing the left of the 7th Infantry Brigade which was also forced back. Our troops rallied on the 8th Infantry Brigade which was holding its ground firmly on the left of the line, and on a portion of the 7th Infantry Brigade.

Reinforcements from the XIII Division were already moving forward, but owing to the darkness and boggy ground they were delayed and some hours elapsed before they arrived.

The attack which commenced at 6 P.M. was followed by a series of heavy attacks throughout the night, the 8th Infantry Brigade on the left repelling as many as six such attacks. But our line held firm, and the enemy retreated at dawn, having suffered losses estimated at 4,000 to 5,000 men.

47. In this engagement the following units particularly distinguished themselves by their steadiness and gallantry :—1st Battalion Connaught Rangers, 27th Punjabis, 89th Punjabis 47th Sikhs and 59th Rifles—also the South Lancs., East Lancs., and Wiltshire Regiments. The 60th and 14th Batteries Royal Field Artillery did good service, also the 23rd Mountain Battery, which expended all its ammunition, and did great execution at close range. Generals Egerton and Campbell, who commanded the brigades most heavily

engaged, set a fine example of coolness and gallantry in the hand to hand fighting which took place.

Although the enemy had suffered heavy losses and had failed to obtain any success after their initial rush, they had checked our advance and regained that portion of Beit Aiessa nearest the river which included the bunds controlling the inundations. Its recapture was essential.

48. During the succeeding days some progress in this direction was made by trench fighting and by consolidating positions pushed out towards Sinn Aftar. The boggy nature of the ground made movement difficult, and many of the troops were worn out with fatigue.

Meanwhile on the left bank, although frequently interrupted by floods, the VII Division had been steadily pushing forward saps, and as there were some signs of a weakening of the enemy's forces at Sannaiyat, there appeared to be an opportunity to make another attempt to capture that position. The VII Division was ordered to prepare for an assault on the 20th supported by troops from the right bank. But on the afternoon of the 19th, the wind veered round to the north, water from the marsh flooding their trenches and the ground in front of them; the attack had therefore to be postponed.

49. Throughout the 20th and 21st the Sannaiyat position was bombarded. Arrangements were made for the assault to take place next morning on a front which eventually had to be reduced to that of one brigade, the extreme width of passable ground being only 300 yards. After preliminary bombardment, the VII Division advanced, the 19th Infantry Brigade leading. Besides our artillery on both banks, massed machine guns on the right bank covered our advance. The leading troops carried the enemy's first and second lines in their immediate front, several of the trenches being flooded, but only a few men were able to reach the third line.

50. Large Turkish reinforcements now came up. They delivered a strong counter-attack, which was repulsed. A second counter-attack however succeeded in forcing our troops back, as many men were unable to use their rifles, which had become choked with mud in crossing the flooded trenches, and so were unable to reply to the enemy's fire By 8-40 A M., our men were back in their own trenches.

51. By mutual consent parties went out, under the Red Cross and Red Crescent flags, to collect their respective wounded. The Turkish casualties appear to have been heavy as they were evacuating wounded until nightfall. Our casualties amounted to about 1,300.

52. Persistent and repeated attempts on both banks had thus failed, and it was known that at the outside not more than 6 days' supplies remained to the Kut garrison. General Gorringe's troops were nearly worn out. The same troops had advanced time and again to assault positions strong by art and held by a determined enemy. For 18 consecutive days they had done all that men could do to overcome, not only the enemy, but also exceptional climatic and physical obstacles—and this on a scale of rations which was far from being sufficient, in view of the exertions they had undergone, but which the shortage of river transport had made it impossible to augment. The need for rest was imperative.

53. There remained but one chance if the relief of Kut was to be accomplished, and that was the introduction by some means of additional supplies into General Townshend's camp, which would enable him to hold out for a still longer period.

Faint as the chance was, the "Julnar", one of the fastest steamers on the river, had for some days been under preparation, by the Royal Navy for an attempt to run the enemy's blockade.

54. At 8 P.M., on April 24th with a crew from the Royal Navy under Lieutenant Firman, R.N., assisted by Lieutenant Commander Cowley, R.N.V.R., the "Julnar" carrying 270 tons of supplies, left Falahiyah in an attempt to reach Kut.

Her departure was covered by all artillery and machine gun fire that could be brought to bear, in the hope of distracting the enemy's attention. She was, however, discovered and shelled on her passage up the river. At 1 A.M. on the 25th General Townshend reported that she had not arrived and that at midnight a burst of heavy firing had been heard at Magasis, some 8½ miles from Kut by river, which had suddenly ceased.

There could be but little doubt that the enterprise had failed, and next day the Air Service reported the "Julnar" in the hands of the Turks at Magasis.

55. The leaders of this brave attempt, Lieutenant H. O. B. Firman, R. N., and his assistant Lieutenant-Commander C. H. Cowley, R. N. V. R,—the latter of whom had throughout the campaign in Mesopotamia performed magnificent service in command of the "Medjidieh"—have been reported by the Turks to have been killed; the remainder of the gallant crew, including 5 wounded, are prisoners of war.

56. In the hope of prolonging the resistance of Kut for even a day or two the Royal Flying Corps and Royal Naval Air Service had dropped into Kut between April 16th and April 29th approximately 8 tons of supplies, besides fishing nets, medicines and specie.

Although these supplies could not materially alter the course of the siege, it was a performance which is deserving of high praise, for it involved a great strain on the pilots, and the journeys were subject to attacks by enemy aircraft of superior speed and fighting capacity. One of our machines was shot down while engaged on this supply service, another was damaged but brought home safely with great skill.

57. With the failure of the "Julnar" there was no further hope of extending the food limit of the garrison of Kut. Everything that was possible with the means to hand had been attempted. The troops only desisted from their efforts when, through battle losses, sickness and exhaustion, the limit of human endurance had been reached. On April 29th Kut surrendered.

I need not enlarge upon the bitter disappointment felt by all ranks on the Tigris Line at the failure of their attempt to relieve their comrades in Kut. It was mitigated by His Majesty the King's gracious message of May 7th, 1916, in which His Majesty expressed his feeling that his troops had done all that was humanly possible.

58. By the courtesy of the Turkish Commander-in-Chief Major-General Khalil Pasha, I was able to arrange, on April 30th and the following days, that all the more serious cases among the sick and wounded of the garrison of Kut should be handed over to me in exchange for an equivalent number of Turkish prisoners. In this connection I should like to acknowledge my indebtedness to Captain Hon. A. Herbert, M.P., Irish Guards, and Captain T. E. Lawrence, General Staff, Intelligence, Egypt, who greatly assisted me in these negotiations.

59. This report would be incomplete without some reference to occurrences in the other parts of Mesopotamia. During practically the whole period under review, neither the Turks on the Euphrates nor the Arab tribes in the vicinity of that river have given us any trouble. When however in January the advance against the hostile positions in front of Kut took place, it was thought advisable to make a demonstration northwards to a short distance from our advanced post at Nasiriyah, with a view to deterring as many of the hostile tribes on the Hai River as possible from joining forces with the enemy.

60. The major portion of the force at Nasiriyah accordingly moved out at the beginning of January and encamped in the neighbourhood of Butaniyah Lake. Early in February, when the object in view had been attained, the troops returned to Nasiriyah. On the return journey some of the villages, with whom friendly relations had hitherto obtained, apparently mistaking our movement for a retreat, treacherously attacked our rearguard. The attack was beaten off, a party of the Royal West Kents and the 30th Mountain Battery behaving very gallantly. A small force marched out the following morning from Nasiriyah, surprised and destroyed the offending villages in retaliation for their treachery.

Nothing of importance occurred on the Karun Line; that country and the neighbourhood of the Oilfields, as well as the country to the west and the south of Basrah, remaining quiet and undisturbed throughout the period under review.

61. When my predecessor, General Sir John Nixon, submitted his despatch of January 17th, 1916, he had had no opportunity of bringing to notice the names of those officers and men who had distinguished themselves during the actions at Shaikh Saad from 6th to 8th January, and at the Wadi River on 13th January 1916. I have therefore included them in this report.

62. I desire to place on record my appreciation of the services rendered by Lieutenant-General Sir F. Aylmer. Faced by great climatic and other difficulties, and unable, for reasons already referred to, to allow himself the time for reorganisation and preparation which under other circumstances he would have deemed essential, he applied himself to a difficult task with an energy, ability and determination which enabled him twice to defeat a brave enemy at least equal to himself in numbers, and which would in all probability have carried him to success at the Umm-al-Hannah position but for weather conditions which proved an almost insurmountable obstacle.

Major-General (temporary Lieutenant-General) Sir G. F. Gorringe has rendered valuable service to the State. As Chief of the Staff to the Tigris column from January 28th, and in command of the column from March 12th onwards he has shown untiring energy, ability and devotion, in dealing with the many difficult situations which he had to face. He is a commander of proved ability in the field.

Major-General C. V. F. Townshend has already shown himself a fine commander of troops in action and a tactician of no mean ability. It was mainly his personal example of cheerfulness, courage and resource which inspired the garrison of Kut to sustain a siege of nearly 5 months, under every sort of trial, until sheer starvation compelled surrender.

Major-General H. d'U. Keary, after commanding his division in France with distinction, has led it with resource and success throughout the operations under review. He could always be depended upon to handle his division with skill in any operation with which he was entrusted.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) H. T. Brooking has displayed much ability in his administration of the Euphrates area, and in the various minor operations which he has conducted.

63. This campaign in Mesopotamia has been one in which the difficulties experienced by the troops in actual contact with the enemy have been all but equalled by those which have had to be faced by the Headquarters and Lines of Communication Staffs and the Departments of the Army, upon whose exertions it depended that their comrades in the fighting line should be fed and supplied with the material they required to enable them to carry out their arduous task.

Major-General M. Cowper, as head of my Administrative Staff, has rendered most valuable service. His energy and ability when things threatened to go wrong and an awkward emergency had to be faced, have more than once saved the situation.

Major-General A. W. Money, as my principal staff officer, has shown himself an exceptionally able Chief of the General Staff. With wide experience and sound judgment, his advice has always been of the highest value to me on all occasions.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Beach, R. E., has continued to me the valuable assistance which he rendered to my predecessor. As head of my Intelligence Section he has displayed a cool well-balanced judgment of no mean order.

64. To Rear Admiral Sir Rosslyn Wemyss, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., D.S.O., Naval Commander-in-Chief, East Indies, I am indebted for much useful advice

and cordial co-operation. Captain Nunn, C.M.G., D.S.O., Commander Wason, and the other officers of the Royal Navy have afforded us the able assistance which we have become accustomed to receive from them.

I have referred elsewhere to the daring attempt made by the S. S. "Julnar" to run the gauntlet of the Turkish defences. Knowing well the chances against them, all the gallant officers and men who manned that vessel for the occasion were volunteers, among them Engineer Sub-Lieutenant Lewis Reed, the regular Chief Engineer of the vessel. I trust that the services in this connection of Lieutenant H. O. B. Firman, R.N., and Lieutenant-Commander C. H. Cowley, R.N.V.R., his assistant, both of whom were unfortunately killed, may be recognised by the posthumous grant of some suitable honour.

65. The Air Service, which includes both the Royal Naval Air Service and the Royal Flying Corps, has distinguished itself throughout by hard work and devotion to duty, and the assistance which it has afforded to the other arms has been invaluable. Never fully manned, it found itself, towards the end of the last advance, very short-handed and faced by one or more enemy machines of considerably greater speed and fighting capacity, but its efficient work was nevertheless maintained.

66. The manner in which the Signal Service, only recently organised, and augmented from time to time with but partially trained men, has succeeded in carrying out its duties reflects credit upon both officers and men.

67. None know better than the officers of the Royal Indian Marine how inadequate to meet the ever-increasing requirements of this force have been their resources, in personnel, in material, and especially in river craft. Their endeavours to satisfy those requirements have been unceasing, and the measure of success obtained has been highly creditable to all concerned. In addition to the permanent officers I would especially mention the temporary officers in command of the river steamers plying between the Tigris front and the Base, who, working always at high pressure and often under dangerous conditions, have displayed a patriotic devotion to duty worthy of high praise.

68. The energy and devotion to duty shown by the personnel of the Medical Services deserve commendation. Overworked and undermanned as they were during the advance in January—for the greater portion of the medical organisation then in the country had been shut up in Kut, and the medical units of the III and VII Divisions had only begun to arrive—they did their utmost with the means at their disposal to alleviate the sufferings of the sick and wounded. With the arrival in February of the first river hospital ship "Sikkim," and a steady increase in personnel, their power of dealing with the situation was considerably improved, as the action on March 8th showed.

69. No report on the Medical Services would be complete without reference to the splendid services rendered by Mr. T. A. Chalmers of Assam, who brought out, and himself drove, his specially designed motor boat "Ariel." He spent his whole time, frequently under fire, in conveying sick and wounded between collecting stations, field ambulances and river hospital craft, in a manner which no other boat in our possession could have imitated.

70. The Ordnance Services, under Colonel A. P. Douglas, with many serious difficulties to combat, have throughout worked quietly and efficiently to keep the force at the front supplied with the munitions they required.

71. The Supply and Transport Corps have had their establishment seriously reduced from sickness and other causes, and have always worked at high pressure. They have been constantly confronted with the difficulty that sufficient river transport tonnage could not be allotted to them to admit of the full scale of rations being delivered at the front.

72. The Military Works Services, though having to compete with an enormous and ever-increasing volume of demands with a staff whose increase was by no means commensurate, has carried through creditably an amount of work the sum total of which can only be realised by those who have seen it actually in progress.

73. The Remount and Veterinary Services, the Telegraph and Postal Departments have all worked very satisfactorily.

74. The Survey Department has performed valuable, if unostentatious work, often under very adverse conditions.

75. The Army Chaplains of all denominations have worked devotedly and given unstinted service to the force. In their ministrations to the wounded they have freely exposed themselves in the front line.

76. I wish to record my appreciation of the valuable work performed by the Officers of General Headquarters and my personal Staff, to whom I am much indebted for their loyal assistance on all occasions.

77. I would express my deep obligation to Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Percy Cox, Mr. Dobbs, I.C.S., and the officers of the Political Department for their valuable advice and assistance freely rendered on every occasion. The remarkably small amount of tribal interruption along our extensive Lines of Communication and the satisfactory condition of internal affairs throughout the occupied territory and adjoining districts are a high testimony to Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Percy Cox's ability, taet and experience.

78. Accompanying this despatch is a list of officers and men whose names I would bring to notice in connection with services rendered during the operations herein reported upon.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

P. LAKE, *Lieutenant-General,*

Commanding Indian Expeditionary Force "D."

The 13th October 1916.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1210.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Cecil Claude Wilson.	Dated 7th October 1916.
Robert Bruce Boswell.	Dated 10th October 1916
Frederick James Tabor Frost.	Dated 12th October 1916.

Infantry Branch.

Frederick Arthur Schomberg Thomas. Cyril Michael Galvin.	Dated 6th October 1916.
John Finlay. George William Baldwin. Frank Addison Adlard.	Dated 7th October 1916.
Stanley Clapham. Albert Gerald Benjamin Bridgewater. Samuel Arthur Roberts. Kenneth Preston.	Dated 10th October 1916.
John Stuart Armour.	Dated 11th October 1916.

No. 1211.—Milbourne Edward Coombs (Temporary Second Lieutenant, General List) to be Second Lieutenant in the Cavalry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 7th October 1916, but to rank from the 26th February 1915.

No. 1212.—Joseph Valentino Francies to be Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 15th September 1916. (Army Department Notification No. 1058, dated the 15th September 1916, so far as it relates to the appointment of this officer, is cancelled.)

No. 1213.—Second Lieutenant Albert John Moone, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while employed as Officer ommanding, Defence Light Section, Karachi, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 3rd October 1916.

No. 1214.—The date of the appointment of George Hamilton Ogilvie as a Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers is the 15th January 1915, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 876, dated the 23rd April 1915.

No. 1215.—In Army Department Notification No. 1068, dated the 29th October 1915, *for* " Vernon Godfrey " *read* " Edward Kenneth Macgregor Godfrey."

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1216.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Third Supplement dated the 7th September 1916, to the " London Gazette " of the 5th September 1916, pages 8788 and 8790.

War Office,
7th September 1916.

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The appt. of Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) L. C. Dunsterville, C.B., Ind. Army, as A.-D.-C., to The King, is antedated to 3rd June 1915.

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MEMORANDA.

Lt.-Col. d'A. C. Brownlow, C.I.E., Ind. Army, to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst empld. as a Base Comdt. 8th September 1916.

Lt. T. I. G. Thomas, Ind. Army, from temp. Capt., Hamps. R., retains his temp. rank whilst empld. as a Brig. Signalling Officer. 8th Sept. 1916.

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Second Supplement dated the 9th September 1916, to the London Gazette of the 8th September 1916, pages 8875, 8876, 8879 and 8880.

War Office,
9th September 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Brig.-Maj.—Capt. B. Turnbull, 23rd Pioneers, Ind. Army, *vice* Capt. (temp. Maj.) H. R. B. Reed, 39th Garhwal Rifles, Ind. Army. 14th Aug. 1916.

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Service Battalions.

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Second Reserve.

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R. W. Surr. R.—

Lt.-Col. E. G. R. Wilkins (Ind. Army) vacates the comd. of a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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Bord. R.

Brev. Col. C. H. M. Hitchins (ret., Ind. Army) vacates the comd. of a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

Midd'x R.

Lt.-Col. A. R. H. Garden (ret., Ind. Army) vacates the comd. of a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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Fourth Supplement dated the 11th September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 8th September 1916, pages 8892, 8893, 8896 and 8897.

War Office,
11th September 1916.

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Labour Battalions.

R. W. Surr. R.

Lt.-Col. E. C. B. Cotgrave (ret., Ind. Army) to comd. a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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VOLUNTEER FORCE.

The following appointments are made to date. 1st Sept. 1916 :—

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County of London Volunteer Regt.

7th Bn.—Bt. Col. Henry Bathurst Vaughan (late Indian Army) to be temp. Maj.

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13th Bn.—

Neville George de Bretton Priestley (late Col. and Hon. Col., Indian Vol. Corps) to be temp. Maj.

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"London Gazette," dated the 12th September 1916, pages 8906 and 8908.

War Office,
12th September 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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James Scott Pitkeathly, C.V.O., to be temp. Maj. 26th Aug. 1916.

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Second Supplement dated the 13th September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 12th September 1916, pages 8975 and 8977.

War Office,
13th September 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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Lt.-Col. H. P. Lane, 96th Berar Infy., Ind. Army, to be Col. 3rd June 1916.

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Lt.-Col. H. A. P. Lindsay, C.M.G., Ind. Army, to be temp. Col. whilst empld. as Dep. Dir. of Supplies and Trans. 10th May 1916.

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1217.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Captains to be temporary Majors.

28th July 1916.

John Harvey De Wiederhold Carruthers, 39th Garhwal Rifles.

11th August 1916.

Douglas Vere Willoughby, 1st Brahmans.

1st September 1916.

Otho Hugh Chartres Molony, 94th Russell's Infantry.

8th September 1916.

Arthur Sydney Clark, Supply and Transport Corps.

Lieutenants to be temporary Captains.

2nd September 1916.

John Allan Ferguson, 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).

Maurice Macaw Stevenson, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

3rd September 1916.

Leonard William Henry Mathias, 128th Pioneers.

Lancelot Cecil Torbock Graham, 9th Hodson's Horse.

John Alexander Dermot Morrogh Bernard, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Francis Travers Drake-Brockman, 7th Hariana Lancers.

James Mance Whittall, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

Charles Reginald Cambridge Lane, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).

Brian Henry O'Donnell, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.

Noel Louis St. Pierre Bunbury, 106th Hazara Pioneers.

Harold Arthur Andrews, 37th Dogras.

Percy Kenneth Rivett-Carnac, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).

Christopher Michael Maltby, 95th Russell's Infantry.

Roy Lancelot Lemon, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

William Richard Annesley Scott, 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).

Humphrey Vickers Gell, 69th Punjabis.

William Trevor Bird, 30th Lancers (Gordon's Horse).

Richard Travers Lawrence, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).

Percy Grey, 18th King George's Own Lancers.

John Clive Doveton Mullaly, 9th Bhopal Infantry.

Percival Benbow Hebbert, 44th Merwara Infantry.

Charles Mathew Fulton, 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.

Lachlan Loudoun MacLean, 8th Gurkha Rifles.

John Paul Surtees Minter, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).

Charles Oliver Robins Mosse, 120th Rajputana Infantry.

Theodore Thompson Laville, 11th Rajputs.

Arthur John Lunn, 82nd Punjabis.

Reginald Hugh Penrose-Welsted, 4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.

Edward Henry Ommanney Elkington, 36th Sikhs.

No. 1218.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

8th October 1916.

George Batthyany Sanford, Supernumerary List.

Henry George Young, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).

Kenlis Edward Nangle, 88th Carnatic Infantry.

Thomas Lane Ormiston, Supernumerary List.

Henry Warwick Berthon, Supernumerary List.

Stephen Henry Edmund Nicholas, 95th Russell's Infantry.

Frank Evelyn Coningham, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

9th October 1916.

Philip John Reynell Wigley, 90th Punjabis.

Michael Guy Percival Willoughby, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).

12th October 1916.

Lawrence Jameson Torrie, 26th Punjabis.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1219.—The date of promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant Archibald William Harrison, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is the 16th April 1915, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 649, dated the 9th June 1916.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Southern Army.

No. 1220.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain John Henry Joseph Hayhurst to be Commissary ;

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant William Edward Green, *seconded*, to be Deputy Commissary, *seconded* and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval ;

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant William Staveley to be Deputy Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval ;

Conductor Andrew Wilson to be Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval ;

Sub-Conductor William Henry Standen to be Conductor ; and

Staff-Serjeant Albert Webb to be Sub-Conductor on the General List ;

vice Commissary and Honorary Captain Andrew William Underwood, retired, with effect from the 12th June 1916.

No. 1221.—Sub-Conductor Benjamin James to be Conductor; and
Staff-Serjeant Albert Hull to be Sub-Conductor on the General List;
vice George Edward Clarke, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 17th June 1916.

No. 1222.—Conductor Michael Finn to be Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;
Sub-Conductor Ernest Fox, *seconded*, to be Conductor, *seconded*;
Sub-Conductor Alfred Charles Tinkler, *seconded*, to be Conductor, *seconded*;
Supernumerary Conductor Arthur Thomas Bardens to be absorbed; and
Staff-Serjeant William John Jones to be Sub-Conductor on the General List;
vice Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Arthur Thurston, deceased; with effect from the 30th July 1916.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

(Late) Bengal-Punjab List.

No. 1223.—Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant William John Lyttle to be Deputy Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor William John Kemp to be Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Sub-Conductor William Benjamin Hughes to be Conductor; and

Sub-Conductor Frank Holdaway, supernumerary, to be absorbed in the rank of Sub-Conductor;

vice Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Patrick McArdle, retired; with effect from the 3rd September 1916.

No. 1224.—Conductor (Supernumerary Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant) William Edgerley, to be absorbed in the rank of Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant;

Sub-Conductor Albert Cotton to be Conductor; and

Staff-Serjeant William Henry Lea, Amalgamated List, to be Sub-Conductor on the Amalgamated List;

vice Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant John Terry, deceased; with effect from the 10th September 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1225.—The following promotions are made:—

1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

Kot-Dafadar Abdul Hamid Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd November 1915, Kot-Dafadar Fateh Muhammad Khan and Dafadar Muhammad Sanah Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 28th July 1916; to complete the establishment.

14th Murray's Jat Lancers.

Ressaidar Mansa Ram to be Risaldar, with effect from the 6th July 1916; to complete the establishment.

17th Cavalry.

Dafadar Muhammad Hasan Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th July 1916, and Dafadar Bahadur Ali Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th August 1916; and to be seconded.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.

Havildar Rangasami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st July 1916 and Colour-Havildar Parthasarathy to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

Railway Battalion, Sappers and Miners.

Subadar Pande Khan to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 15th April 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.

Jemadars Ram Sing Bhandari, Gulab Sing Negi, and Nain Sing Gusain to be Subadars, Havildars Jhagar Sing Bisht, Mastu Sing Gusain, Dhum Sing Chauhan, Autar Sing Negi, Pan Sing Ghariya, Bahadur Sing Barthwal and Bhawan Sing Rawat to be Jemadars, with effect from the 20th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

43rd Erinpura Regiment.

Havildar Khuma to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd June 1916; to complete the establishment.

53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Teja Singh [54th Sikhs (Frontier Force)] to be Subadar, with effect from the 17th June 1916, Jemadar Dost Muhammad [54th Sikhs (Frontier Force)] to be Subadar, with effect from the 11th July 1916, Havildar Kehr Singh, I.O.M., to be Jemadar, with effect from the 4th June 1916, Havildar Santokh Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th June 1916, and Colour-Havildar Muhammad Sher [54th Sikhs (Frontier Force)] to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th July 1916; to complete the establishment.

56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

Subadar Bakhshi Chand to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 11th July 1916, Jemadar Jodh Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 27th June 1916, Jemadar Bakhshish Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 11th July 1916 and Havildar Niyaz Ali to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th June 1916; to complete the establishment.

62nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Wazir Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 29th January 1916, Jemadar Tirkha Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 22nd February 1916, Colour-Havildar Lal Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 4th February 1916, Colour-Havildar Harlal Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd February 1916; and Colour-Havildar Sher Gul to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th May 1916; to complete the establishment.

86th Carnatic Infantry.

Jemadar Govindasami to be Subadar and Havildar-Major Sayyid Ahmad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st September 1916; *vice* Narayanasami, transferred to the pension establishment.

105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

Subadar Ganpati Kenjle to be Subadar-Major and Jemadar Gopal Waje to be Subadar, with effect from the 17th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

107th Pioneers.

Jemadar Ali Juma (I) (106th Hazara Pioneers) to be Subadar, with effect from the 26th May 1916; to complete the establishment.

113th Infantry.

Jemadars Chainsukh Ram and Hukam Singh to be Subadars and Colour-Havildars Sanwaliya Singh and Jas Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st September 1916; to complete the establishment.

122nd Rajputana Infantry.

Colour-Havildars Nazar Muhammad Khan and Abdul Ghani Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 20th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 123rd Outram's Rifles.

Havildar Sukh Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd September 1916; and to be seconded.

2nd Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Havildars Kharkai Cnarti, Jangbir Thapa and Keshbir Thapa to be Jemadars, with effect from the 24th July 1916. Havildars Rampershad Thapa, Badal Sing Gurung and Harak Sing Thapa to be Jemadars, with effect from the 24th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

No. 1226.—The honorary rank of Jemadar is conferred on No. 1614 Dafadar and Head Salutri Rehman Beg, 17th Cavalry, in recognition of his long and meritorious service.

No. 1227.—The honorary rank of Jemadar is conferred on No. 1829 Dafadar and Head Salutri Shadil Khan, 38th King George's Own Central India Horse, for long and meritorious service.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 1228.—Second Lieutenant John Mackinnon Goulding, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 13th October 1916.

RETENTIONS.

BARRACK DEPARTMENT.

No. 1229.—Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant George William Boulter, Barrack Department, will be retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 24th October 1916, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1230.—Captain Harry George Claude Hynes, 4th Gurkha Rifles, has been transferred by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to the Temporary Half-Pay List, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 8th October 1916.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

(Late) Bengal-Punjab List.

No. 1231.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Patrick McArdle has been permitted to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 3rd September 1916.

REWARDS.

No. 1232.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction, under the provisions of Army Regulations, India, Volume II, paragraph 470, the special promotion of the undermentioned warrant officer, for services during the operations on the North-West Frontier of India, 1915.

The promotion will have effect from the 10th September 1916:—

Conductor Albert Edward Nash, Supply and Transport Corps, to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

No. 1233.—The awards of the Indian Order of Merit and the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the Indian officers, non-commissioned officers and men mentioned in Army Department Notification No. 849, dated the 28th July 1916, have effect from the 3rd June 1916.

SPECIAL.

No. 1234.—With reference to paragraph 305, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the undermentioned officers, having been absent from military duty for 10 years, are transferred to the Supernumerary List, with effect from the dates specified:—

Captain (temporary Major) Denis Grey Wilson, Political Employ,—9th July 1916.
Captain Walter Gordon Neale, Political Employ,—25th July 1916.
Captain (temporary Major) John Aloysius Brett, Political Employ,—27th August 1916.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Simla Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1235.—Lieutenant Philip Alan Cooper to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Cawnpore Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1236.—Harold Adam Whyte to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1237.—Surgeon-Lieutenant Robert Vickers Clayton to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Agra Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1238.—Major Thomas Cuthbertson Jones, V.D., to be Commandant with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, *vice* J. W. Hose, C.S.I., resigned. Dated the 7th July 1916.

Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1239.—Captain Charles Herbert Macnutt resigns his commission. Dated the 25th August 1916.

No. 1240.—Lieutenant Bernard Bodley Scott (Supernumerary List) to be Captain, *vice* C. H. Macnutt, resigned. Dated the 25th August 1916.

Gilbert Whitaker to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 7th September 1916.

William John Smyth to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 7th September 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 13th October 1916.

LEAVE.

No. 45.—Mr. W. R. Shepherd, Assistant Constructor, Bombay Dockyard, is granted 1¼ months' privilege leave combined with 10¾ months' leave on medical certificate, under Articles 246, 260 and 336, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 26th June 1916.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 46.—The following provisional promotion is made in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from 14th September 1916 :—

To be Lieutenant.

Sub-Lieutenant Harold Charles Beauchamp.

No. 47.—The following promotion is made in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from 21st September 1916 :—

To be Engineer.

Assistant Engineer George Semark Miskin.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 11th October, 1916.

No. 317-E.-16.—Mr. F. Gantzer, Press Superintendent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is on return from leave, appointed Superintendent, Printing and Stationery, North Western Railway.

No. 317-2-E.-16.—With reference to Notification No. 317-E-16, dated 11th October 1916, Mr. G. Samms Hudson, Superintendent of Stationery, North Western Railway, is appointed Superintendent, Printing and Stationery, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

No. 906-E.-16—Mr. Frederick John deSouza, who has been appointed as an Assistant Engineer, State Railways, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, is posted to the North Western Railway.

The 12th October, 1916.

No. 821-E.-16—Mr. J. S. Goss, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent in class III, grade 2, and officiating District Locomotive Superintendent in class II (Supy.) of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, on special duty under the Director of Ordnance Inspection, is promoted to class III, grade I and class II, grade 5, temporary (Supy.) of that establishment, with effect from the 4th September 1916.

No. 1750-E.-16.—Mr. E. S. Aslett, Assistant Carriage and Wagon Superintendent, North Western Railway, in class III, grade 3, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Carriage and Wagon Superintendent in class II of that establishment, with effect from the 31st August 1916 and during the absence of Mr. C. F. White, District Carriage and Wagon Superintendent, on privilege leave.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

INDIAN INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 12th October, 1916.

The Indian Industrial Commission will assemble at Delhi on Wednesday, the 25th October 1916.

All communications intended to reach the President, Members or Secretary should be addressed to—

Indian Industrial Commission,
Camp.

without the addition of any post town.

R. D. BELL,
Secretary, Indian Industrial Commission.

ASSAM SECRETARIAT.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

L. S.-G. BRANCH.

NOTIFICATION.

Shillong, the 2nd October, 1916.

No. 4370-M.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 5 and 5-A of the Scheduled Districts Act, XIV of 1874, and with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Chief Commissioner of Assam is pleased to extend the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), to the Station of Sibsagar in the district of Sibsagar :

Provided that for the purposes of the application of the said Act so extended all references therein to the *Calcutta Gazette* shall be read as references to the *Assam Gazette.*

A. W. BOTHAM,
Second Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

No. 810.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 5th October 1916.

RESOLUTION.

The annual reports showing the mortality caused by wild animals and venomous snakes have been received from the local Governments and Administrations.

The number of persons killed by wild animals in British India in 1915 was 1,923. The number killed in the previous year was 1,702. As in 1914 the highest total of deaths in any one province (684) is reported from Bihar and Orissa, where tigers alone killed 376 persons. In the three districts of Angul, Hazaribagh and Singhbhum there were 232 deaths from tigers and the offer of special rewards for man-eaters in parts of these districts is said to have had no effect. Altogether 748 persons were destroyed by tigers in British India, a total which compares unfavourably with the corresponding figure of 646 for 1914. In the United Provinces one man-eating tiger in the Almora district killed 10 persons out of the provincial total of 20; and in the Punjab two deaths are reported which are the first caused by tigers in that province for seven years. The figures for casualties from elephants, bears, leopards, and hyenas require no comment. The unclassified head "other animals" includes figures for pigs and crocodiles or alligators which accounted for 186 and 248 deaths respectively.

2. The total number of deaths from snake-bite among human beings rose from 22,900 in 1914 to 26,385 in 1915. An increase is noticeable in all provinces except Madras and the North-West Frontier Province. As usual the casualties were most numerous in Bihar and Orissa (6,795), the United Provinces (6,629) and Bengal (4,709). The deaths reported from the Punjab under this head amount to 1,590, which is the highest figure yet recorded for that province. Special measures organised in the districts of Gujranwala and Sialkot resulted in the destruction of nearly 10,000 snakes. In the Bombay Presidency nearly 80,000 venomous snakes were destroyed in the Ratnagiri district, where deaths from snake-bite are more numerous than anywhere else in the Presidency. Sir Lauder Brunton's lancets are said to have effected a fair number of cures in cases in which they were used but on the whole the information furnished in these reports is not sufficient for a definite verdict on the efficacy of the instrument.

3. The number of wild animals destroyed during the year under review was 25,036 including 1,582 tigers, 6,623 leopards, 2,775 bears and 2,191 wolves. A sum of Rs. 1,89,409 was paid in rewards. The total number of snakes destroyed was 1,84,663 as compared with 1,18,816 in 1914. Rs. 18,214 were disbursed altogether in rewards for the destruction of snakes.

4. The number of fresh licenses issued under the Indian Arms Act, 1878, in forms XVI, XVII and XVIII was 23,123 as compared with 23,016 in 1914. The total number of licenses in force in the year under review was 175,890 against 176,779 in the preceding year.

5. The compilation of the returns showing the number of cattle destroyed by wild animals and snakes has involved in the past an amount of labour disproportionate to the interest of the subject, and the accuracy of the returns

themselves has always been open to question. The Government of India have therefore decided that the submission of these returns should be discontinued.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution (and annexure) be forwarded to local Governments and Administrations * and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India* for general information; also that a copy be forwarded to the Director of Statistics.

* Including the Chief Commissioners of the North-West Frontier Province and Ajmer-Merwara and the Resident in Mysore.

S. R. HIGNELL,

Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 1.

NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED in each PROVINCE of BRITISH INDIA by WILD ANIMALS (specifying the principal kinds) and SNAKES in each calendar year from 1911 to 1915.

Province.		By wild animals.								By snakes.	Grand Total.
		Elephants.	Tigers.	Leopards.	Bears.	Wolves.	Hyenas.	Other animals.	Total.		
Madras ...	1911	8	167	70	12	6	3	19	285	1,608	1,89[illegible]
	1912	4	164	89	13	6	1	45	322	1,530	1,85[illegible]
	1913	5	173	74	14	4	...	38	308	1,695	2,00[illegible]
	1914	1	156	89	18	5	...	37	306	1,520	1,82[illegible]
	1915	1	109	37	11	4	3	23	198	1,498	1,69[illegible]
Bombay ...	1911	...	5	3	2	...	...	16	26	1,395	1,42[illegible]
	1912	...	7	4	...	...	...	18	29	1,140	1,16[illegible]
	1913	...	3	8	...	...	1	8	20	1,406	1,42[illegible]
	1914	...	3	7	...	...	...	8	18	1,608	1,62[illegible]
	1915	1	10	0	4	1	...	24	46	1,789	1,83[illegible]
Bengal (as constituted up to March 1912).	1911	3	385	65	30	135	20	267	905	9,344	10,24[illegible]
Bengal ...	1912	15	117	55	12	4	4	201	408	4,471	4,87[illegible]
	1913	16	84	38	4	3	...	148	293	4,491	4,78[illegible]
	1914	16	60	49	6	2	1	201	333	4,356	4,68[illegible]
	1915	28	87	78	12	1	1	216	423	4,709	5,132
United Provinces ...	1911	2	36	22	5	44	5	28	142	5,76[illegible]	5,90[illegible]
	1912	...	71	14	9	44	...	22	160	5,214	5,374
	1913	5	30	30	12	35	2	23	137	5,166	5,303
	1914	...	9	12	6	55	2	38	122	5,513	5,635
	1915	1	20	40	25	48	4	39	177	6,629	6,806
Punjab (including Delhi) ...	1911	...	...	1	...	2	...	3	6	905	911
	1912	...	...	2	...	1	3	2	8	793	801
Punjab ...	1913	...	...	2	...	3	2	3	10	899	909
	1914	...	...	...	1	15	...	...	16	1,169	1,185
	1915	...	2	2	1	...	...	...	5	1,590	1,595
Burma ...	1911	4	36	10	5	...	...	8	63	1,437	1,500
	1912	5	44	20	13	...	...	13	95	1,231	1,326
	1913	0	31	8	5	...	...	6	59	1,084	1,143
	1914	11	30	0	8	...	...	9	67	1,312	1,379
	1915	7	40	8	6	...	...	5	66	1,558	1,624
Bihar and Orissa ...	1912	7	396	40	23	197	17	127	807	5,816	6,623
	1913	7	251	43	30	103	7	105	546	5,640	6,186
	1914	4	289	47	31	54	12	110	547	5,968	6,515
	1915	8	376	54	33	90	20	103	684	6,795	7,479
Central Provinces and Berar ...	1911	...	44	43	16	2	...	24	129	1,244	1,373
	1912	...	40	34	6	2	1	40	133	1,003	1,136
	1913	...	36	29	27	4	...	29	125	1,155	1,280
	1914	...	59	39	14	5	1	51	163	1,198	1,361
	1915	...	41	39	18	13	2	48	161	1,439	1,600
Eastern Bengal and Assam ...	1911	31	80	39	18	1	...	169	338	2,563	2,901
Assam ...	1912	22	45	3	12	...	...	30	112	150	262
	1913	20	33	4	13	...	...	32	102	167	269
	1914	24	49	4	11	...	...	38	126	150	276
	1915	29	62	2	16	1	...	37	147	256	403
North-West Frontier Province ...	1911	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30
	1912	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	32
	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	29	3
	1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	40	41
	1915	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	14	30	44
Coorg ...	1911	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	1912	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	1914	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	1915	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4
Delhi ...	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	13	14
	1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	22
	1915	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	36	37
Ajmer-Merwara ...	1911	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	25	28
	1912	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	20	21
	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	24
	1914	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	3	44	47
	1915	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	53
Total ..	1911	48	762	253	80	190	28	537	1,898	24,312	26,210
	1912	53	885	261	88	255	26	498	2,066	21,461	23,527
	1913	62	641	236	105	152	12	395	1,603	21,770	23,373
	1914	57	646	251	95	137	16	496	1,702	22,900	24,602
	1915	75	748	267	120	158	30	519	1,923	26,385	28,308

No.

NUMBER of WILD ANIMALS and SNAKES DESTROYED and AMOUNT of REWARDS

Province.		Particulars of animals destroyed. Elephants.	Tigers.	Leopards.	Bears.	Wolves.	Hyenas.	Other animals.	Total number of animals destroyed.	Snakes.
Madras	1911	...	74	550	41	...	1	1,544	2,219	...
	1912	...	82	589	19	...	...	1,380	2,070	...
	1913	...	83	714	54	...	...	1,387	2,238	...
	1914	...	79	711	43	...	...	1,074	1,907	...
	1915	...	71	598	84	...	...	939	1,692	...
Bombay	1911	...	48	207	8	155	15	2,850	3,283	28,157
	1912	...	55	226	9	162	11	2,564	3,027	27,038
	1913	...	36	242	6	186	47	2,954	3,471	27,336
	1914	...	47	231	10	126	43	3,540	3,097	27,751
	1915	...	54	219	8	161	29	3,347	3,818	92,042
Bengal (as constituted up to March 1912) ...	1911	1	188	424	167	217	230	905	2,132	25,212
Bengal	1912	3	132	327	26	18	2	1,604	2,112	12,674
	1913	6	180	466	37	19	6	2,141	2,858	17,134
	1914	1	205	439	48	15	18	2,098	2,824	10,215
	1915	2	275	496	37	23	5	1,931	2,769	11,893
United Provinces	1911	...	69	741	245	1,590	226	200	3,071	7,144
	1912	...	67	763	377	1,324	152	142	2,825	7,080
	1913	1	62	681	270	1,252	255	138	2,659	5,310
	1914	...	76	714	278	1,227	296	871	3,462	5,782
	1915	...	78	592	104	1,370	277	984	3,455	9,002
Punjab (including Delhi)	1911	...	15	135	255	2,052	...	24	2,482	3,693
	1912	...	3	181	127	3,131	4	23	3,469	2,760
Punjab	1913	...	...	149	197	2,033	1	...	2,380	3,080
	1914	...	...	167	158	845	...	...	1,170	8,854
	1915	...	2	135	74	336	1	...	548	14,648
Burma	1911	16	503	1,696	1,123	...	...	381	3,719	99,964
	1912	24	511	2,400	1,502	...	...	972	5,409	45,788
	1913	39	455	2,588	1,562	...	...	667	5,311	16,222
	1914	33	506	2,399	1,760	...	...	319	5,017	44,299
	1915	21	532	2,828	1,712	...	...	1,259	6,352	34,757
Bihar and Orissa	1912	1	106	415	172	243	277	390	1,604	15,044
	1913	...	96	345	157	206	234	512	1,550	16,784
	1914	4	100	415	199	659	249	1,134	2,760	17,204
	1915	1	105	386	192	156	247	265	1,352	16,566
Central Provinces and Berar	1911	...	159	807	292	128	...	503	1,889	1,471
	1912	...	192	867	307	58	1	456	1,881	1,028
	1913	...	192	870	344	77	...	419	1,902	1,265
	1914	...	161	852	275	122	...	419	1,832	1,350
	1915	...	131	791	251	92	...	466	1,731	1,508
Eastern Bengal and Assam	1911	8	361	733	240	15	3	1,806	3,166	5,275
Assam	1912	2	251	539	230	1	2	695	1,720	1,983
	1913	4	256	523	295	3	10	897	1,988	1,981
	1914	9	285	558	305	5	2	1,447	2,611	2,168
	1915	9	327	533	253	...	3	1,935	3,060	2,952
North-West Frontier Province	1911	...	...	5	2	94	...	...	101	751
	1912	...	...	34	1	161	5	117	318	567
	1913	...		14	...	76	...	...	90	595
	1914	...	...	25	...	62	5	...	92	540
	1915	...	...	9	...	49	...	...	58	478
Coorg	1911	2	9	36	1	...	...	283	331	13
	1912	2	15	34	...	...	...	108	159	...
	1913	4	14	42	...	...	...	106	166	5
	1914	6	19	40	...	...	...	142	207	...
	1915	2	7	35	...	...	...	107	151	4
Delhi	1913	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...
	1914	...	...	...	...	2		...	2	...
	1915	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...
Ajmere-Merwara	1911	...	...	11	...	...	2	...	13	21
	1912	...	1	4	...	2	7	4	18	13
	1913	...	...	4	...	4	6	...	14	16
	1914	...	...	6	...	1	4	11	22	26
	1915	...	...	1	...	1	7	28	37	59
Bangalore	1911	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	275
	1912	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	254
	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	458
	1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	627
	1915	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	754
TOTAL ...	1911	27	1,426	5,335	2,374	4,251	477	8,496	22,406	1,71,976
	1912	32	1,415	6,379	2,770	5,100	461	8,455	24,612	1,14,229
	1913	54	1,374	6,638	2,922	3,859	559	9,224	24,630	90,186
	1914	53	1,481	6,557	3,076	3,054	617	11,055	25,903	1,18,816
	1915	35	1,582	6,623	2,775	2,191	869	11,261	25,036	1,84,663

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(in rupees) paid for their DESTRUCTION in each calendar year from 1911 to 1915.

REWARDS PAID FOR DESTRUCTION OF									GRAND TOTAL
Elephants.	Tigers.	Leopards.	Bears.	Wolves.	Hyenas.	Other animals.	Total.	Snakes.	
Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	4,045	9,952	164	...	...	2,234	17,395	...	17,395
...	4,151	10,694	83	...	...	2,800	17,818	...	17,818
...	4,956	14,076	241	...	...	2,558	21,831	..	21,831
...	4,003	15,247	284	...	...	1,943	21,477	...	21,477
...	3,927	12,817	808	...	...	1,722	19,274	...	19,274
...	882	2,110	59	304	...	2,305	5,660	128	5,788
...	699	2,164	30	278	...	1,637	4,808	106	4,914
...	500	2,352	12	286	...	1,925	5,084	73	5,157
...	798	2,196	102	284	..	2,772	6,152	75	6,227
...	801	2,054	45	335	...	2,024	5,269	2,187	7,456
...	14,559	2,052	250	2,102	405	425	19,793	157	19,950
50	11,138	1,343	60	...	2	694	13,287	190	13,477
250	13,060	5,109	25	...	10	998	19,052	172	19,224
100	14,018	1,650	10	15	26	1,658	17,477	157	17,634
...	15,205	1,621	22	28	6	1,096	17,978	179	18,157
...	20	5,883	1,078	11,312	390	2,280	20,963	73	21,036
...	200	6,878	1,571	8,387	243	1,125	18,404	11	18,415
...	800	5,681	683	8,250	452	1,080	16,952	26	16,978
...	...	5,662	603	8,459	487	1,355	16,556	32	16,698
...	...	4,794	384	10,860	485	1,599	18,122	34	18,156
...	132	875	1,163	5,123	.	...	7,294	551	7,845
...	33	1,179	781	6,573	...	8	8,574	469	9,043
...	...	1,062	1,441	5,880	...	..	8,383	387	8,770
...	..	1,162	959	2,601	...	...	4,722	1,363	6,085
...	30	982	502	1,272	...	...	2,786	2,183	4,969
100	17,330	27,151	10,362	...	...	695	53,038	35,783	91,721
...	19,110	37,280	13,410	...	...	880	70,680	5,782	76,462
100	16,810	39,951	13,495	...	...	760	71,116	1,373	72,489
200	18,850	36,775	15,132	...	...	935	72,092	5,680	77,772
...	19,540	41,084	15,173	...	...	1,277	80,074	12,641	92,715
...	4,700	3,024	405	2,893	496	123	11,641	77	11,718
...	5,572	1,874	361	3,477	460	92	11,836	56	11,892
...	2,963	1,760	341	9,715	372	250	15,401	92	15,493
...	4,087	1,760	396	2,615	372	87	9,317	63	9,380
...	3,205	11,192	1,554	598	...	6,570	23,110	666	23,785
...	3,200	12,225	1,798	310	5	6,330	23,867	481	24,348
...	2,802	12,220	2,083	487	...	5,538	23,130	403	23,533
...	2,345	12,477	1,659	645	...	5,923	22,049	531	23,480
...	1,855	11,072	1,596	506	...	6,232	21,261	463	21,724
250	8,040	5,249	1,079	5	...	731	15,354	341	15,695
50	5,860	4,920	1,025	2	5	420	12,282	148	12,430
69	4,528	4,280	1,135	10	7	555	10,584	122	10,706
100	5,385	4,703	1,058	47	5	700	11,998	71	12,069
275	6,788	4,520	1,078	...	...	959	13,620	212	13,832
...	...	32	10	338	...	...	380	104	484
...	...	85	5	637	...	15	742	95	837
...	...	92	...	352	...	...	444	91	535
...	...	38	...	249	..	...	287	106	393
...	...	62	...	242	...	...	304	92	396
...	415	822	...	...	...	90	1,327	...	1,327
...	696	783	...	...	...	70	1,549	...	1,549
...	640	985	...	...	...	210	1,835	1	1,836
...	950	800	...	...	...	20	1,860	...	1,860
...	350	780	...	...	...	90	1,220	...	1,220
...	...	...	...	15	...	...	15	...	15
...	...	...	...	10	...	...	10	...	10
...	...	...	...	15	...	...	15	..	15
...	...	26	...	...	3	...	29	3	32
...	5	20	...	6	21	16	68	2	70
...	...	15	...	12	18	...	45	2	47
...	...	30	...	3	12	55	100	3	103
...	...	5	...	3	21	140	169	8	177
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	96	96
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	124	124
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	132	152
350	48,628	65,345	15,719	19,782	798	16,632	1,67,230	37,866	2,05,118
100	49,722	80,595	19,168	19,086	772	14,207	1,83,720	7,421	1,91,141
419	52,277	84,697	19,482	18,769	947	13,716	1,90,307	2,802	1,93,109
400	49,312	82,790	20,238	22,028	902	15,511	1,91,181	8,234	1,99,415
275	52,583	84,561	20,004	15,876	884	15,226	1,89,409	18,214	2,07,623

No. 3.

UMBER of LICENSES ISSUED in Form XVI (for purposes of sport, protection or display) and Forms XVII and XVIII (for purposes of destruction of wild animals doing injury to human beings, cattle or crops) under the INDIAN ARMS ACT, 1878, in each calendar year from 1911 to 1915.

Provinces.		Number of licenses granted in the year.	Number of licenses granted in previous years and still in force.	Total number of licenses in force in year.
adras	1911	2,807	48,109	50,916
	1912	3,023	45,032	48,055
	1913	3,090	44,415	47,511
	1914	2,732	40,730	43,462
	1915	2,868	36,986	39,854
mbay	1911	2,832	12,319	15,151
	1912	3,730	11,865	15,595
	1913	2,727	12,504	15,231
	1914	1,939	12,803	14,742
	1915	1,383	12,912	14,295
ngal (as constituted up to March 1912)	1911	2,694	24,674	27,368
ngal	1912	2,458	25,013	27,471
	1913	3,230	23,731	26,961
	1914	2,993	23,016	26,009
	1915	2,457	23,651	26,108
ited Provinces	1911	2,408	19,802	22,210
	1912	2,114	20,201	22,315
	1913	3,162	19,790	22,952
	1914	2,457	20,132	22,589
	1915	2,067	20,616	22,683
unjab (including Delhi)	1911	1,640	11,316	12,956
	1912	2,119	11,332	13,451
unjab	1913	1,636	12,240	13,876
	1914	1,665	12,317	13,982
	1915	3,879	14,080	17,959
urma	1911	844	844	1,688
	1912	977	6,007	6,984
	1913	1,330	6,060	7,390
	1914	1,122	6,539	7,661
	1915	1,114	6,416	7,530
ihar and Orissa	1912	1,005	12,696	13,701
	1913	753	12,046	12,799
	1914	759	11,815	12,574
	1915	709	11,355	12,064
entral Provinces and Berar	1911	5,083	9,917	15,000
	1912	6,385	9,608	15,993
	1913	7,613	8,457	16,070
	1914	7,311	8,688	15,999
	1915	6,270	9,773	16,043
astern Bengal and Assam	1911	1,242	29,669	30,911
ssam	1912	156	13,034	13,190
	1913	216	12,830	13,046
	1914	240	12,684	12,924
	1915	392	12,833	13,225
North-West Frontier Province	1911	1,733	3,075	4,808
	1912	1,533	3,451	4,984
	1913	1,805	3,712	5,517
	1914	1,523	4,145	5,768
	1915	1,939	3,126	5,063
Coorg	1911	70	841	911
	1912	50	869	919
	1913	20	882	902
	1914	55	863	918
	1915	27	891	918
Delhi	1913	9	27	36
	1914	7	31	38
	1915	9	27	36
Ajmer-Merwara	1914	...	...	...
	1915	...	...	...
Bangalore	1911	95	...	95
	1912	23	79	102
	1913	30	91	121
	1914	113	...	113
	1915	9	101	110
TOTAL	1911	21,448	1,60,566	1,82,014
	1912	23,573	1,59,187	1,82,760
	1913	25,627	1,56,785	1,82,412
	1914	23,016	1,53,763	1,76,779
	1915	23,123	1,52,767	1,75,890

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 13th October, 1916.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 7th October 1916 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...	......	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	8	8
		Surat Town and Port	7	3
		Surat District	2	1
		Kurla Port	6	4
		Bandra Port	1	1
	Central	Ahmednagar District	1,2[illegible]6*	855*
		Poona Town	278	325
		Poona District	168	143
		Nasik District	49	41
		Satara District	175	137
		Sholapur Town	12	7
		Sholapur District	212	174
	Southern	Thal Port	2	2
		Ratnagiri Port	1	1
		Ratnagiri District	3	
		Belgaum District	73	49
		Hubli Town	15	13
		Dharwar District	177	93
		Kanara District	9	5
		Bijapur District	465	259
	Sind ...	Karachi Town and Port	1	1
	Political Charges	Baroda State	4	5
		Mangrol Port	4	1
		Kathiawar Agency	[illegible]	36
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	2[illegible]3	206
		Bijapur Agency	1	3
		Satara Agency	1	...
		Savanur State	31	22
		Akalkot State	9	2
		TOTAL	3,2[illegible]	2,397

* For two weeks.

In the return for the week ending 30th September 1916, add West Khandesh District 170 cases [illegible] deaths.

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Madras Presidency	...	Madras City	6 (*a*)	4 (*b*)
		Anantapur District	6	4
		Bellary District	73 (*c*)	37 (*c*)
		Coimbatore District	294 (*d*)	199 (*e*)
		Salem Town	1 (*e*)	1 (*e*)
		Salem District	64 (*e*)	48 (*e*)
		North Arcot District	19 (*f*)	12 (*d*)
		Nilgiris District	3	3
		Madura Town	1 (*e*)	...
		Madura District	1	1
		Total	468	309
Bihar and Orissa	Patna ...	Shahabad District	5	3
	Tirhut ...	Saran District	12	9
		Darbhanga District	2	1
		Total	19	13
United Provinces	Rohilkand	Moradabad District	1	1
	Allahabad	Cawnpore City	1	1
	Benares	Ghazipur District	27	9
		Ballia District	2	2
	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur District	48	21
		Basti District	6	4
		Azamgarh District	...	1
	Lucknow	Unao District	5	4
	Fyzabad ..	Fyzabad District	4	4
		Total	94	47

(*a*) Six imported. (*b*) Four imported. (*c*) Two imported. (*d*) Three imported. (*e*) One imported. (*f*) Seven imported.

In the return for the week ending 30th September 1916, against Ghazipur District, read 9 deaths *for nil*.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Forts.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Lahore ...	Gujranwala District	1	2
	Rawal-pindi.	Gujrat District	1	1
		Jhelum District	2	...
		Rawalpindi District	71	44
		Attock District	1	...
		TOTAL .	76	47
BURMA	Pegu ...	Rangoon Town	9	9
		Hanthawaddy District	2	2
		Tharrawaddy District	5	2
		Prome District	3	3
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	...	1
		Henzada District	3	2
	Tenasse-rim	Toungoo District	3	3
		Amherst District	6	6
	Meiktila...	Kyaukse District	2	2
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	2	2
		TOTAL .	35	32
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur...	Nagpur Town	339	334
		Nagpur District	27	21
		Kamptee Cantt.	18	14
		Bhandara District	2	...
		Wardha District	154	96
		Chanda District	33	25
	Jubbul-pore	Jubbulpore Town	...	1
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	57	43
		Betul District	10	9
	Chhatis-garh	Drug Town	2	1
	Berar ...	Amraoti District	13	11
		Yeotmal District	7	3
		Akola District	100	65
		Buldana District	108	43
		TOTAL .	870	666
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	Coorg	...	1
		TOTAL .	...	1

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	59	38
		Bangalore City	53	46
		Bangalore District	97	75
		Mysore City	52	39
		Mysore District	99	61
		Hassan District	21	13
		Kadur District	30	17
		Shimoga District	28	16
		Chitaldroog District	13	13
		Tumkur District	18	7
		Kolar Gold Fields	45	29
		Kolar District	17	12
		TOTAL	532	366
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	265	227
		Bir District	56	62
		Parbhani District	133	112
		Nander District	20	20
		Gulbarga District	32	24
		Raichur District	14	7
		Usmanabad District	13	10
		Atrafibalda Sarfikhas District	57	33
		Bidar District	65	63
		Medak District	22	26
		Nizamabad	2	2
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	6	3
		Adilabad District	1	...
		TOTAL	686 (a)	589 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore City	59	31
		Dhar State	13	7
		TOTAL	72 (b)	38 (b)
RAJPUTANA	...	......	...	...
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	6,107	4,507

(a) From the 25th September to the 1st October 1916.
(b) For the week ending 30th September 1916.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 12th October 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. On the disappearance of the depression, which was in the Central Provinces at the close of the previous week, rainfall gradually decreased and during the greater part of the week under review both branches of the monsoon current were feeble. The week's rainfall was thus considerably lighter than usual in Burma and the Peninsula, although it was much above the average in the central parts of the country and northeast India.

2. *Burma.*—Only local falls of rain were reported.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Rainfall was nearly general over the whole division except Orissa on the 5th and 6th, and in Bengal and Chota Nagpur on the 7th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Nearly general rain fell in Central India and the west of the United Provinces on the 5th and in the east of the United Provinces on the 6th. Heavy rain fell locally in the Central Provinces on the 5th.

Northwest India.—Scattered falls of rain were reported.

The Peninsula.—There was nearly general rain in Mysore on the 7th and in the Bombay Deccan on the 10th.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

October 5th. Akyab 1·77", Myitkyina 1·89", Dhubri 1·34", Silchar 1·74", Shillong 4·00", Cherrapunji 17·74", Chittagong 2·73", Barisal 1·60", Jessore 2·31", Mymensingh 3·85", Bogra 2·64", Jalpaiguri 4·60", Naya Dumka 1·80", Meerut 1·07", Saugor 1·22", Jubbulpore 4·80", Seoni 1·02", Pendra 1·80", Masulipatam 1·75", Kodaikanal 1·29" and Salem 2·02".

" 6th. Dibrugarh 1·32", Sibsagar 1·71", Tezpur 3·26", Gauhati 3·10", Dhubri 2·31", Silchar 6·21", Shillong 5·40", Cherrapunji 16·54", Chittagong 1·29", Narayanganj 2·64", Mymensingh 2·39", Bogra 1·48", Dinajpur 3·52" and Purnea 1·42".

" 7th. Akyab 2·39", Myitkyina 3·85", Chittagong 3·06", Darjiling 1·31", Darbhanga 2·10", Bangalore 1·99" and Mysore 2·27".

" 8th. Patna 1·82", Simla 1·09", Madura 1·33" and Waltair 2·06".

" 9th. Mergui 1·44", Yamethin 1·40", Berhampore 1·25" and Coimbatore 1·80".

" 10th. Calcutta 1·27", Hazaribagh 1·53" and Ahmadnagar 1·82".

" 11th. Madura 1·09".

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Burma, Orissa, Berar, the Konkan, Hyderabad, Malabar, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. No rain fell in the Punjab Southwest and the North-West Frontier Province, but the absence of rain is a normal feature of the weather in those divisions at this time of the year. Rainfall was 20 per cent or more in excess in Assam, Bengal, Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces West, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana West, Gujarat, Central India and the Central Provinces, and was within 20 per cent of the normal elsewhere.

The rainfall from the 28th April to date is in defect by as much as 20 per cent in Kashmir alone. It is 20 per cent or more in excess in Bihar, the United Provinces, the Punjab East and North, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Central India, Berar, the Konkan, Hyderabad, Mysore and the Madras Deccan, and differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent in the remaining divisions.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 12th October 1916.			Rainfall data from 28th April to 12th October 1916.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal. This week.	Percentage departure from normal. Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	0·6	2·9	—2·3	89·2	91·0	—1·8	—2	+1
Lower Burma	1·1	2·2	—1·1	135·9	134·0	+1·9	+1	+2
Upper Burma	0·8	1·1	—0·3	37·8	38·0	—0·2	—1	0
Assam	4·3	1·3	+3·0	70·2	75·7	—5·5	—7	—11
Bengal	3·7	1·1	+2·6	78·6	66·6	+12·0	+18	+14
Orissa	0·3	1·3	—1·0	53·5	54·2	—0·7	—1	+1
Chota Nagpur	1·6	0·6	+1·0	42·9	47·8	—4·9	—10	—13
Bihar	2·6	0·8	+1·8	61·7	48·4	+13·3	+27	+24
United Provinces, East	0·7	0·6	+0·1	49·0	38·4	+10·6	+28	+28
United Provinces, West	0·5	0·2	+0·3	50·5	38·7	+11·8	+30	+30
Punjab, East and North	0·1	0·1	0	30·3	21·3	+9·0	+42	+42
Punjab, South-West	0	0	0	9·4	8·1	+1·3	+16	+16
Kashmir	0·1	0·1	0	6·7	8·4	—1·7	—20	—20
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0	0	11·0	5·8	+5·2	+90	+90
Baluchistan	0·1	0	+0·1	4·2	2·3	+1·9	+83	+78
Sind	0·1	0	+0·1	12·9	4·8	+8·1	+169	+167
Rajputana, West	0·2	0	+0·2	22·9	11·3	+11·6	+102	+101
Rajputana, East	0·1	0·1	0	31·6	22·8	+8·8	+39	+39
Gujarat	0·2	0	+0·2	25·2	23·2	+2·0	+9	+8
Central India, West	0·7	0·1	+0·6	39·9	29·3	+10·6	+36	+34
Central India, East	0·5	0·3	+0·2	48·2	40·3	+7·9	+20	+19
Berar	0	0·4	—0·4	41·0	29·6	+11·4	+39	+40
Central Provinces, West	1·3	0·2	+1·1	49·4	43·8	+5·6	+13	+10
Central Provinces, East	0·8	0·5	+0·3	47·6	46·7	+0·9	+2	+1
Konkan	0·2	0·8	—0·6	116·7	94·0	+22·7	+24	+25
Bombay Deccan	0·6	0·7	—0·1	28·4	25·1	+3·3	+13	+14
Hyderabad, North	0·1	0·2	—0·1	38·6	31·4	+7·2	+23	+28
Hyderabad, South	0	0·5	—0·5	34·0	27·7	+6·3	+23	+25
Mysore	1·6	1·9	—0·3	28·1	23·0	+5·1	+22	+26
Malabar	0·1	2·1	—2·0	85·3	86·9	—1·6	—2	0
Madras, South-East	1·5	1·5	0	17·8	15·5	+2·3	+15	+16
Madras Deccan	0	1·0	—1·0	24·9	20·3	+4·6	+23	+29
Madras Coast, North	1·0	1·5	—0·5	26·2	24·7	+1·5	+6	+9

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

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SIMLA;
Dated the 12th October 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 7th October 1916.

Burma.—General rain fell throughout the Province. In Lower Burma it was moderate and in Upper Burma including the dry zone it was good. Agricultural operations for the main rice crop have been completed. Cultivation of the miscellaneous cold weather crops in Upper Burma is proceeding. Harvesting of sesamum, maize and groundnut and plucking of cotton are progressing. Standing crops are generally good. Cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice has fallen to Rs. 121 per hundred baskets and is normal. The market for white rice is weak.

Assam.—The weather is rainy and cloudy and unfavourable for standing crops in most districts. The rainfall during the week was very heavy in the Surma Valley and moderate in the Assam Valley. Floods have been reported from Cachar and Manipur. Transplantation of winter rice and cutting and steeping of jute are nearly finished. Hoeing, plucking and manufacture of tea and harvesting of autumn rice are going on. Prospects of winter rice are good to fair and those of tea, cotton and sugarcane are generally fair. The average price of common rice is steady. Cattle disease prevails in three districts.

Bengal.—During the week under report moderate to very heavy rain was general throughout the Province. The fall was particularly heavy in the Eastern Districts. In Birbhum another flood of somewhat less intensity occurred during the week further damaging both houses and crops in the tracts previously affected. Adequate relief measures are being taken. Reports of damage to standing crops either by excessive rainfall or floods have been received from several other places of both Eastern and Western Bengal. Harvesting of autumn paddy and jute still continues in places. Weeding of winter rice continues. The prospects of the crop are so far fairly satisfactory. Cattle disease is reported from three districts only. The average price of common rice has risen by about 0·4 per cent as compared with that of the previous week.

The weekly report on famine in Bankura is as follows :—The condition of the affected areas is improving. Harvesting of autumn paddy and of other autumn crops has been almost finished. Prospects of winter paddy are good. The condition of the people on relief works is good. Relief measures are adequate. Prices are stationary. The price of rice is 8¾ seers per rupee. The number of persons on relief works was 8,160 and in receipt of gratuitous relief 20,489, total 28,649. The number of persons relieved on private works was 1,861. The decrease in the number on relief works is due to the gradual closing of works on account of harvest.

Bihar and Orissa.—During the week under report rain was general over the Province, the fall being mostly moderate to heavy. Harvesting of autumn crops continues. Standing crops are on the whole doing well. The average price of common rice has remained almost stationary as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder is generally sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from ten districts. The attendance of persons on test works in Singhbhum was 6,287 and gratuitous relief was given to 1,116 persons in this district. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—Rain fell throughout the Provinces during the week. Damage from excessive rain and from floods is reported from a few districts but otherwise standing crops are generally doing well. Harvesting of autumn crops, picking of cotton, sowing of gram and preparation of fields for the next spring crop are going on. Prospects are generally good. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Cattle disease is reported from twenty-one districts. Prices are practically stationary.

Punjab.—Light or moderate rain was received in parts of all the reporting districts. It was heavy in parts of a few South Eastern and submontane districts. Rain was generally beneficial to the standing autumn crops and to the sowing of spring crops. Standing crops are in good condition. Picking of cotton and reaping and harvesting of millets and maize are in progress with outturn normal to good. Sowings of gram, barley and oilseeds continue and those of wheat have commenced in a few districts and are generally normal. Cattle are healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary but have a slight downward tendency. In the case of wheat they range between normal and warning rates and in other cases between normal and scarcity rates. Prices of wheat are:—Ambala, Ferozepore, Lahore, Rawalpindi and Lyallpur 10½ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—During the week under report rain fell throughout the Province except in Peshawar. The weather is moderate and clear. The condition of standing crops both on irrigated and unirrigated areas is average throughout the Province Sowing of barley, spring oilseeds and vegetables in some places in Peshawar and that of gram in Bannu are proceeding. In Dera Ismail Khan preparation of land for spring sowings is in progress. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is not running. The public health is generally good Prices are high but are stationary in Bannu. Prices of barley, gram and maize in Peshawar and of *bajra* in Dera Ismail Khan are falling while that of gram in Dera Ismail Khan is slightly rising.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat is selling from 9 to 13 and maize from 12 to 19 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Cattle disease prevails in the Ramnagar and Jasmergarh Tehsils. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was insignificant. Autumn crops are being harvested. Prospects are fair though rice crops have been damaged slightly. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are normal.

Rajputana.—The weather is generally cloudy. The rainfall during the week was general, the maximum fall being 3 inches 15 cents in Jaisalmer. Standing crops are in good condition except in places in Kotah, Alwar and Merwara where some damage is reported by excessive rain Harvesting of autumn crops and preparation of land for spring crops are in progress Prospects are hopeful Agricultural stock is in good condition but for some disease among cattle in Kotah, Tonk and Ajmer. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are generally falling.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was general and sufficient everywhere. Autumn crops are being weeded and harvested in Indore and the Southern States. The crops have been retarded owing to excessive rain in Gwalior and Nagod and portions of Baghelkhand. Land for spring crops is being prepared. Standing crops and their probable outturn are fair in Indore and Bhopal and good elsewhere. Crops have been damaged by insects and heavy rains in a few parganas of Gwalior, Ajaigarh and Chhatarpur and by floods in the Bhind pargana of Gwalior. Agricultural stock is good except in some villages of the Karera pargana of Gwalior, Mhow and Depalpur parganas of Indore, Baoni of Bundelkhand and parts of Dhar and Barwani where there is cattle disease. The supply of fodder is sufficient. Prices are normal in Baghelkhand, slightly fluctuating in Indore and are steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—Light to heavy rain was received throughout the Provinces but weather is now bright and warm. The largest quantity of rainfall registered at headquarters was 9 inches at Mandla and Narsinghpur. Slight damage from excessive rain is reported in places but the condition of the autumn crops is on the whole satisfactory. Preparation of land and sowing of the spring crops are being delayed by the rain. The supply of fodder and water is adequate and cattle are in good condition. The prices of wheat and grain show a downward tendency; otherwise there are no important variations.

Feudatory States.—The States received moderate to heavy rain. The crops are generally in good condition.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week in the Presidency Proper. Standing crops are thriving except for slight damage by locusts in two talukas of Karachi, Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar and Nawab Shah and in three talukas of Larkana, by rats in four talukas of Karachi, by insects and continuous rain in two talukas of West Khandesh and by excessive rain in the eastern talukas of Sholapur. Harvesting of autumn crops continues generally. Sowing of spring crops is progressing. The supply of fodder is adequate. Agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Irrigation water is deficient in parts of Panch Mahals and Kaira. Prices of food grains have slightly fallen in Sind and Gujarat; have risen in the Karnatak and are generally steady elsewhere.

The weekly report on scarcity in Kathiawar is as follows:—Public health is good. There is no wandering or emaciation. Gratuitous relief has been discontinued.

Hyderabad.—Little or no rain fell during the week. This has proved beneficial as the standing crops were suffering from incessant rain.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was light in Kolar Hassan and Chitaldrug and *nil* elsewhere. The price of rice has fallen in Kolar and that of *ragi* has risen in Shimoga. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. *Ragi*, sugarcane and paddy are being harvested. Rain is wanted in the greater part of the State. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—The rainfall during the week was one inch eight cents. The rice crop is in good condition. Picking of cardamom continues and reaping of dry crops in North Coorg has commenced. Prices of food grains are rising. Public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was light or *nil* in Kurnool, Bangalore, Bellary, Anantpur, Nellore, Chitoor, Ramnad, Tinnevelly, South Canara and Travancore, fair in Guntur, Cuddapah, Coimbatore, Malabar and Cochin, heavy in South Arcot and good elsewhere. Standing crops are fair to good generally but are suffering from want of rain in one district. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowing of paddy and dry crops is proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The supply of water is insufficient in parts of Ganjam, the Carnatic, the central parts except Coimbatore and Trichinopoly and the southern parts except Tanjore and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is generally sufficient. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts in which famine has been declared.

Name of Province or State.	Preceding week (revised).			Present week.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
British Provinces.							
(*Bengal.*)							
Bankura	18,483	19,819	38,302	8,160	20,489	28,649	—9,653

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

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tement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 30th September 1916.

	Name of District or State.	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF.							TRACTS UNDER OBSERVATION AND TEST.	
		Area affected in square miles.	Estimated population of area in column 3.	Number of persons employed on relief works.	NUMBER OF PERSONS ON GRATUITOUS AND SPECIAL RELIEF. Dependants of relief workers, relieved on works.	Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc.	Total.	Grand total on relief.	Number of persons on test works.	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
				BENGAL.						
1	Bankura	2,621	1,136,070	18,483	...	19,819	19,819	38,302	...	...
				BIHAR AND ORISSA.						
1	Manbhum ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Singhbhum ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,277	835
	Total, Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,277	835
				BOMBAY.						
1	Kathiawar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87

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APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

September 25.

2743. J. W. Cook, T. E. Leigh and J. Jowett. *Improvements in or relating to apparatus for stripping carding engines.*

September 27.

2744. J. L. Patterson and D. A. Reid. *Improved method of and means for securing and locking the hatch covers of barges and ships.*

September 29.

2745. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate Limited. *Improvements in or relating to automatic type casting machines.*

2746. Film Fire Prevention and Motion Picture Equipment Corporation. *Improvements in motion picture machines.*

2747. Societe Francaise de Prothese Scientifique. *Improvements in artificial members.*

2748. F. Bradbury. *Improvements in and relating to the weaving and production of bags and the like.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

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2575. J. G. Fulton. *Combination hub for cart wheels.*

2637. J. Wilson. *Improvements in and relating to sugar-cane and like mills.*

2644. A. A. C. Dickson. *An automatic receiver and deliverer of electric line clear tablets or other objects for running trains.*

2661. W. C. Clifford. *Humidifiers.*

2682. C. T. Grenon. *An improved process of treating grass, leaves, bark and other similar materials with a view to converting the same into paper.*

2689. W. P. Warren. *Improvements in cement sheets and the like.*

2693. R. L. Datta. *Process of producing iodine.*

2701. W. H. Biddle. *Improvements in and connected with automatic railway signalling train control or the like.*

PATENTS SEALED.

2281. Tainton.
2547. Khannah & Sons and Khannah.
2587. Willans and Luard.
2596. Holden.

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150 of 1905. Lundquist. (To 29 September 1917.)
157 of 1907. Hamm. (To 24 September 1917.)
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46 of 1911. Freymuth. (To 30 August 1917.)
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534 of 1912. Rechnitzer. (To 30 September 1917.)
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"Rajniti" (new annotated edition), prescribed as an alternative text-book for the Proficiency examination in Hindi; price R3 per copy.

"Selections for the Lower Standard examination in Persian"; price R2 per copy.

Waqayi'-i Ni'mat Khan-i'Ali, edited by Mr. Otto Rothfeld, I.C.S., one of the text-books prescribed for the Degree of Honour examination in Persian; price R2 per copy.

NOTE.—Two fully qualified instructors, natives of Persia and Arabia, respectively, are maintained by the Government of India, for the convenience of officers wishing to study Persian and Arabic. The services of these instructors may be obtained in Calcutta, on application to the Secretary, Board of Examiners.

The following list of Munshis who are qualified to teach Urdu under India Army Order No. 162 of 1907 is published for the information of all those students of this language who are desirous of obtaining competent teachers:—

AGRA.

1. M. Gulzari Lall	Regimental Munshi, 6th Hampshire Regiment, Agra Cantonment.

ALLAHABAD.

1. M. Jawala Prasad, I	5th Hampshire Regiment, Sadar Bazar, Allahabad.
2. M. Syed Mazhar-ul Husain	253A, Mohtashim Ganj, Allahabad.
3. M. Shaikh Mohammad Ismail	South Malaka, Allahabad.

AMBALA.

1. M. Mohd. Miyan Khan . . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
2. M. Mohd. Akbar Khan . . . . . . The Oriental Lodge, Ambala.
3. M. Sita Ram Mahta . . . . . . Near Kali Bari, Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
4. M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey . . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment.
5. M. Anand Sarup . . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment (winter only).

BANNU.

1. M. Mul Chand Khurana . . . . . Mission Clerk, Bannu.

BAREILLY.

1. M. Rashid Ahmad Khan . . . . Old City, Sailani, Bareilly.
2. M. Chhote Lal . . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Bareilly.
3. M. Jawala Parshad, II . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Sudder Bazar, Bareilly.

BELGAUM.

1. M. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni . . . Pandit, 1809, Kelkar Bag, Belgaum.

CALCUTTA.

1. M. Mohd. Gholam Kibriya . . . . 17/1, Noorallah Doctor's Lane, Balligunge Road, Calcutta.
2. M. Badruddin Ahmed, B.A. . . . . . 8, Elliot Lane, Calcutta.
3. M. Hossain Mirza . . . . . . 1, Syed Ismail Lane, or 4-1, Collin Lane, Calcutta.
4. M. Mohd. Israil Khan . . . . . 11, Goristan Lane, Calcutta.
5. M. Syed Nawab Ali . . . . . 11, Colootola Street, Calcutta.
6. M. Mohd. Abdul Hamid . . . . . 36, Indian Mirror Street, Calcutta.
7. M. Daliluddin Ahmed . . . . . 12, Agha Muhammad Mehdi Street, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
8. M. Abdul Wajid . . . . . . 106, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
9. M. Syed Mohammad . . . . . 12, Waliullah Lane, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
10. M. A. M. Ubaidur Rashid, B.A. . . . . 1, Korabardar Lane, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
11. M. Mohd. Muslim . . . . . . 12, Damzen's Lane, Chinapara, Calcutta.
12. M. Nisar Ahmad Khan . . . . . C/o Munshi A. K. Nashtar, 1, Jhowtolla Lane, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
13. M. Imdad Hussain . . . . . . 9, Baloo Huckak's Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
14. M. Abdul Habib Khan . . . . . 89, Jhowtollah Road, P. O. Balligunge, Calcutta.

DALHOUSIE.

1. M. M. C. Saihgal . . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Balun Bazar, Dalhousie.

DELHI.

1. M. Mithan Lal, B.A. . . . . . . Muhalla Churi Walan, Delhi.
2. M. Akbar Khan Haidari . . . . British Garrison Meer Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.
3. M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi) . . . Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.

DINAPORE.

1. M. Syed Hadi Hussain . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Orderly Bazar, Dinapore.
2. M. Farzand Ali Khan (of Patna) . . . Regimental Munshi, attd. 2nd Devon Battery, Dinapore.

FEROZEPORE.

1. M. J. Kishori Lall . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 82nd Coy. R. G. A. and 6th Sussex Battery, R. F. A., Sadar Bazar, near Jain Mandar, Ferozepore Cantonment.
2. M. Suraj Narain, B.A. . . . . . Kahani Bazar, Ferozepore.

FORT WILLIAM—CALCUTTA.

1. M. Abdul Karim . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Fort William, Calcutta.

GORAKHPORE.

1. M. Ram Charan Lal . . . . . . Sub-Deputy Inspector of Schools, Gorakhpore.

JHANSI.

1. M. K. R. Mehta . . . . R. A. Munshi, Jhansi.

JHELUM.

1. M. Thakur Das Pahwa . . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JUBBULPUR.

1. M. Abdur Rahim . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Battalion, The York and Lancaster Regiment, Jubbulpur.

JULLUNDUR.

1. M. Karam Chand . . . . . . C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

KAMPTEE.

1. M. S. Karim Bukhsh . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 5th Battalion, The Buffs, East Kent Regiment, Gora Bazar, Kamptee.

KARACHI.

1. M. Mukhtar Ahmad . . . . . . Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.
2. M. Anandram Thadmal . . . . . 30, Jethmal Buildings, Garrikhata, Karachi.

KASAULI.

1. M. Anand . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

LAHORE CANTONMENT.

1. M. Sham Lal Bhargava . . . . . . Dungar Street, Sadar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.
2. M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
3. M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman Sabri . . Chhawni Manawala, Sammian Street, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

LUCKNOW.

1. M. Abdul Alim . . . . Near the Police Post, Hussaingunge, Lucknow.
2. M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil) . . Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
3. M. S. M. Shahabuddin . . . . . . Near Police Out Post, Hussaingunge, Lucknow.
4. M. Farhat Ali Suhail . . . . . . C/o M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil), near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.

MAYMYO (BURMA).

1. M. Saiyed Amir Ali (of Delhi) . . . . Regimental Munshi, 4th Border Regiment, Alexandra Barracks, Maymyo, Burma.

MEERUT.

1. Pt. Hriday Narain . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1-1st Wiltshire Battery, R. F. A., R. A. Bazar, Meerut.

MULTAN.

1. M. Mohd. Ishaq . . . . R. F. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Multan Cantonment.
2. M. Sultan Mohamed . . . . Regimental Munshi, Multan.

MURREE HILLS.

1. M. Abdul Ghani (of Nowshera) . . . . C/o Syed Jafar Shah, Regimental Munshi, 1st Yorkshire Regiment, Barian Camp, Murree.
2. M. S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence European School, Ghoragali P. O., Murree Hills.
3. M. Bodh Raj . . . . Officers' Munshi, Murree Hills.

NAINI TAL.

1. M. Faqir Ulla . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

1. M. Muhammad Din . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).
2. M. Ghulam Jilani . . . . R. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
3. M. S. Abdul Ghani . . . . Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
4. M. Mohamed Sarwar . . . . New Mohalla Sudder Bazaar, Nowshera.

PATNA.

1. M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

1. M. Ahmed Din . . . . 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
2. M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.
3. M. Safdar Khan . . . . Near Anaj Mandi, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

1. M. Sher Mahomed . . . . C/o Barkat Ali, Regimental Munshi, 2nd Royal Irish Fusiliers, Quetta.
2. M. Sheikh Abdul Aziz . . . . Islamabad, Quetta.
3. M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . Regimental Munshi, Cadet College, Quetta.
4. M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

1. M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
2. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
3. M. Fazal Ahmed . . . . Persian House, Rawalpindi.
4. M. Abdul Waheed . . . . C/o Coffee Shop, 2nd Rifle Brigade, West Ridge, Rawalpindi.
5. M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.
6. M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh Gyani . . . . Officers' Munshi, Ahata Sultan, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

1. M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

1. M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

In addition to the above, the following, who were examined in Urdu previous to the institution of the examination mentioned in the above India Army Order, are also, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, qualified to teach:—

1. M. Mohd. Arif	12, Harinbari Lane, Calcutta.
2. Maulvi Syed Abu Zafar	36, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta.
3. M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	14, Karaya Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
4. M. Badru-z-Zaman	29, Ice Factory Lane, Entally, Calcutta.
5. M. Abdul Badi	5, Ramsanker Roy's Lane, Calcutta.
6. M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 21, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
7. M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	25, Tiljalah 1st Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
8. M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nurali Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
9. M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
10. M. Mohd. Shuaib	Chowk Masjid, Agrah.

N.B.—It is requested that Munshis who have passed this examination, and whose names do not appear above, should communicate their present addresses to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, so that their names may be published also.

Whenever any munshi changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3¼ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. Post system*, and are obtainable from The Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1916 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	R
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	21-8 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	22-8 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 „

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 „

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 „

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4: and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage Re.	0	10	0
„ „ 2 „	„ 6 „	„ Re.	1	0	0
„ „ 3 „	„ 9 „	„ Re.	1	8	0

N.B.—Postage stamps will not be accepted as revenue.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

Claimants who have attained their majority.

It is hereby notified that claims from the undermentioned individuals on account of the patrimony due to them should be submitted to the Controller of Military Accounts, Bolarum, through the Staff Officer of the station at which each claimant may be residing :—

Names of Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Brooks, John, Sergeant, Infantry Veteran Company	Caroline Brooks (daughter).* Dennis Brooks (son).
Brandon, John, Gunner, European Artillery Veteran Company	John Brandon (son).* Charles Brandon (son).
Clarkson, Samuel, Artificer, Carnatic Ordnance Department	Ann Clarkson (daughter).
Carroll, J., Sergeant, 2nd European Light Infantry	Elizabeth Carroll (daughter). Joseph Carroll (son). Agnes Carroll (daughter).
Cosser, J., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	John Cosser (son).
Crawley, Sergeant	George Wellington Crawley (son).
Doyle, I., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery	James Doyle (son).
Danford, S., Gunner, 3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery	Amelia, *alias* Emma Danford (daughter).
Furlong, I., Corporal, 3rd Madras European Regiment	John Furlong (son).
Flynn, J., Corporal, 1st Madras Fusiliers	James Flynn (son). William Flynn (son). Joseph Flynn (son).
Grimstone, R., Sergeant, 3rd Madras European Regiment	Perquira Grimstone (daughter). Richard Grimstone (son).
Hawkins, Richard, Private, European Infantry Veteran Company	Jeremiah Mitchell Hawkins (Foster-son). George Hawkins (son).
Hunsley, W., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	Charles Hunsley (son).
Hutchins, James, Gunner, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	George Henry Hutchins (son).
Healey, P., Hospital Sergeant	Edward Healey (son). Frank Healey (son).
Keleker, I. T., Bombardier, 3rd Battalion Artillery	Mary Keleker (daughter).
Knowles, W. S., Bugler, D. Company, 1st Battalion, Madras Artillery	Andrew James Knowles (son).
McDonald, B., 2nd Corporal, Sappers and Miners	James McDonald (son).
McGuire, Michael, Staff Barrack Sergeant, B. Company, 4th Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew McGuire (son).
McManus, J., Foreman, Carnatic Ordnance Artificers Corps	Agnes Maude McManus (daughter). Mary Elizabeth McManus (daughter). Reith McManus (daughter). Patrick John McManus (son).
Murphy, I., Private, 3rd Madras European Regiment	James Murphy (son).
Nicholson, T., Shoeing Smith	Arabella Hannah Nicholson (daughter).
Rothe, R., Corporal, 2nd European Light Infantry	Catherine Rothe (daughter).
Scully, E., Sub-Overseer	Eleanor Scully (daughter). John Scully (son).
Smith, Michael, Colour-Sergeant, 1st Madras Fusiliers	Mary Ann Smith (daughter).
Smithes, R., Sergeant, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	Henry Smithes (son).
Sheepard, J., Sergeant, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery	John Sheepard (son). Ellen Sheepard (daughter).
Wallace, J., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Artillery	John Wallace (son). Thomas Wallace (son).
Wiggins, R., Gunner, Madras Artillery	John M. Wiggins (son).

* Claim received, but claimant has not yet appeared to receive payment.

H. C. SZCZEPANSKI, Major,
Controller of Military Accounts.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF MILITARY ACCOUNTS,
9TH (SECUNDERABAD) DIVISION, BOLARUM;
30TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 9th October 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 7th October 1916.

	Total amount of notes in circulation.			Reserve. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (Purchase price).		Total.	Remarks.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	Total.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	1,41,56,500	23,61,30,410	25,02,86,910	5,58,88,875	53,32,560	36,81,481	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 13,06,09,630	41,47,62,492	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R13,88,01,571. (c) Includes Treasury bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R4,56,03,434.
Cawnpore	...	3,07,62,370	3,07,62,370	2,66,11,509	1,82,10,030	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	4,48,21,539	
Lahore	...	5,96,10,295	5,96,10,295	2,02,84,822	2,10,87,548	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,13,72,370	
Bombay	2,15,69,275	18,74,02,540	20,89,71,815	7,46,37,340	3,91,70,287	85,03,369	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,23,10,996	
Karachi	..	2,27,98,055	2,27,98,055	1,06,14,517	36,97,215	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	1,43,11,732	
Madras	8,25,890	8,83,75,730	8,92,01,620	1,62,16,470	1,13,30,850	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,75,47,320	
Rangoon	...	5,44,54,995	5,44,54,995	3,83,80,851	99,19,230	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,83,00,081	
	3,65,51,665	67,95,34,395	71,60,86,060	24,26,34,384	10,87,47,720	1,21,84,850	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	13,06,09,630	71,34,26,530	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			38,59,530	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									12,00,000	
Total Circulation R			71,22,26,530	Total Reserve R									71,22,26,530	

Gold worth £78,000 (Rs. 11,70,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 7th October 1916.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 7th October 1916 to 1,68 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 7th October 1916.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,08,00,000 A. 0 P. 0; Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* Rs. 50,00,000 A. 0 P. 0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 1,18,35,071 A. 5 P. 3; Public Deposits at Branches Rs. 1,24,90,248 A. 9 P. 1	2,43,25,319	14	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	19,71,48,115	0	1
Bank Post Bills, etc.	10,80,333	2	5
Sundries	10,33,405	8	5
RUPEES	26,43,87,173	9	3

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	6,52,66,682	12	0
Other authorized Investments	1,12,22,160	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	3,10,46,338	4	1
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	5,68,80,609	6	0
Bills discounted and purchased	2,96,42,853	6	0
Balances with other Banks	42,37,872	10	6
Bullion	......		
Dead Stock	29,29,793	14	2
Stamps	12,556	15	2
Sundries	4,70,462	7	8
	20,17,09,329	11	7
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 2,28,72,659 A. 0 P. 5; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† Rs. 3,98,05,184 A. 13 P. 3	6,26,77,843	13	8
RUPEES	26,43,87,173	9	3

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,480 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 8,65,837 8 0

Rs. 12,17,317 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 12th October 1916.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 7 per cent.
Percentage 28·03

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—
   (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL SIDE.

NOTIFICATION.

The 29th September 1916.

The Hon'ble the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, appointed Babu Nursing Chunder Mookerjee, an Assistant Registrar on Rs. 200—300 a month, to be an Assistant Registrar in the Taxing Office on Rs. 300 a month in the place of Babu Narayan Chunder Bose deceased, with effect from the 1st August 1916.

By order,

J. H. HECHLE,

Registrar.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF FORESTS.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 7th October 1916.

No. 765-205-6.—The five weeks' privilege leave granted to Mr. R. E. Marsden, Deputy Conservator of Forests, and Sylviculturist, at the Forest Research Institute and College, Dehra Dun, in this office notification No. 606-205-3, dated 7th August 1916, is extended by two days.

G. S. HART,

Inspector General of Forests.

ASSAM SECRETARIAT.

Judicial Department.

Judicial Branch.

NOTIFICATION C.

The 11th October 1916.

No. 6149-J.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5 and 5A of the Scheduled Districts Act, 1874 (XIV of 1874), and with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to extend the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, to the Cantonment of Shillong and to that portion of the municipality of Shillong which is British territory, subject to the following restrictions and modifications, namely :—

(1) Except in reference to proceedings against European British subjects, or persons jointly charged with European British subjects, the expression "High Court" shall mean the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

(2) In addition to the powers conferred by the said Code, the District Magistrate shall have the powers of an Additional Sessions Judge in respect of cases committed by any other Magistrate than himself, and when exercising these powers shall try such cases only as the Sessions Judge, by general or special order, may make over to him for trial.

B. C. ALLEN,

Chief Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 3rd October 1916.

No. 3098-*R*.—Mr. J. W. N. Cumming, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd grade and City Magistrate, Quetta, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 9th October 1916 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 3099-*R*.—Mr. H. G. R. Adie, *s. p. t.* Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th grade and Treasury Officer, Quetta, is posted as City Magistrate, Quetta, *vice* Mr. J. W. N. Cumming.

No. 3100-*R*.—Mr. B. H. Ford, Superintendent and Registrar of the office of the Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan and *s. p. t.* Superintendent of the office of the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan is appointed to officiate as an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th grade and posted as Treasury Officer, Quetta.

No. 3102-*R*.—The privilege leave for 20 days granted to Khan Sahib Rana Muhammad Ali Khan, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Chagai, in this office Notification No. 1454-R., dated the 8th May 1915, and subsequently extended by two days in this office Notification No. 1672-R., dated the 29th May 1915, is hereby further extended by one day.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA, AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 3rd October 1916.

No. 3154.—Mr. E. D. Smith, Assistant Superintendent, Government Railway Police, Indore, is temporarily transferred to Ajmer as Assistant Superintendent of Police, Ajmer-Merwara, for a period of six weeks with effect from the 10th October 1916.

No. 3161.—Mr. J. G. Hogan, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Ajmer-Merwara, on return from leave is appointed to officiate as Personal Assistant to the Inspector General of Railway Police, Rajputana, during the absence on leave of Mr. E. G. B. Peel with effect from the date of assuming charge.

By order,

H. G. RICHARDSON,

Police Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 3rd October 1916.

No. 3108-*R*.-*Addendum*.—The following is added to rule 18 of the rules under the Land Improvement Loans Act (XIX of 1883) promulgated with the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 542, dated the 1st March 1909, as subsequently amended :—

"Loans repaid within six months from the date of their payment will be charged interest for six months".

No. 3110-R.—*Addendum*.—The following is added to rule 12 of the rules under the Agriculturists' Loans Act (XII of 1884) promulgated with the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 549, dated the 1st March 1909, as subsequently amended :—

" Loans repaid within six months from the date of their payment will be charged interest for six months. "

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

Secretary.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 2nd October 1916.

No. 6668-*Military*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 4 (1) of the Punjab Military Transport Act, 1916 (I of 1916), as applied to the Province of Delhi by the Government of India Notification No. 1038-C., dated the 22nd March 1916, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased hereby to declare that the Tahsildar, all Naib Tahsildars and Zaildars shall be Transport Assistants for the purposes of the said Act within the Tahsil, their circles and zails respectively.

Delhi, the 5th October 1916.

No. 6751-*Home*.—In continuation of notification No. 6582-Home, dated 27th September 1916, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi is hereby pleased to notify that 9th October 1916 shall be observed as a public holiday (on account of Id-ul-Zuha) within the meaning of section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act XXVI of 1881, in all the public offices in the Province of Delhi.

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY.

Personal Assistant to Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE.

Delhi, the 10th October 1916.

No. 1505-E.—Mr. H. M. Griffiths, Executive Engineer, V Project Division, 2nd Circle, Delhi is granted privilege leave for one month under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 10th October 1916 or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

Mr. J. C. Stronach, Assistant Engineer, will hold charge of the V Project Division as officiating Executive Engineer, during the absence of Mr. Griffiths on leave.

H. T. KEELING,

Secretary, P. W. D.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATION.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 2nd October 1916.

No. 26.—The undermentioned officers are granted leave out of India on Medical Certificate with effect from the dates and for the periods specified against their names.

Temporary Lieutenant W. J. Singleton, R.I.M., 6 months with effect from 4th October 1916.

Temporary Engineer J. G. Smith, R.I.M., 6 months with effect from 4th October 1916.

F. J. WILSON,

Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 173 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 22nd September 1916.

In the matter of Maung Po Kun, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Kun of Dalhousie Street, Clerk in Messrs. Irrawaddy Flotilla & Co., Ld., Rangoon, on the 21st day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Po Kun.

CASE No. 174 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 22nd September 1916.

In the matter of Edward Robert Mellican, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Edward Robert Mellican, Clerk, residing at No. 6, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 21st day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Edward Robert Mellican.

CASE No. 171 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 25th September 1916.

In the matter of Mariaviyagapa Devasagayam, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mariaviyagapa Devasagayam, Clerk, General Post Office, residing at No. 68, 35th Street, Rangoon, on the 18th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mariaviyagapa Devasagayam.

CASE No. 175 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 27th September 1916.

In the matter of Kelly Hugh Knight, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kelly Hugh Knight, Assistant Accountant, Port Commissioner's Office, residing at No. 28, Lewis Street, Rangoon, on the 26th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kelly Hugh Knight.

CASE No. 176 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 27th September 1916.

In the matter of Premchand Virchand and Chundulal Nehalchand, Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Premchand Virchand and Chundulal Nehalchand, both lately carrying on business in copartnership as jewellers under the style of Premchand Chundulal & Co., at No. 100, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 26th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Premchand Virchand and Chundulal Nehalchand.

CASE No. 177 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 27th September 1916.

In the matter of Vadamalai Chinnasami Munusami Pillay, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Vadamalai Chinnasami Munusami Pillay, Contractor, formerly of Rangoon, at present residing at East Kamayut on the 26th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Vadamalai Chinnasami Munusami Pillay.

CASE No. 178 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 2nd October 1916.

In the matter of P. Baboo Naidu, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by P. Baboo Naidu, Clerk, residing at No. 36, 52nd Street, Rangoon, on the 29th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said P. Baboo Naidu

CASE No. 179 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 3rd October 1916.

In the matter of Narayanan Nair, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Narayanan Nair, Clerk, residing at No. 6, Pudupettia, Insein District, on the 3rd day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of Insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Narayanan Nair.

CASE No. 180 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 4th October 1916.

In the matter of Saka Muthialoo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Saka Muthialoo, Trader, residing at No. 42, 8th Street, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Saka Muthialoo.

J. HORMASJI,
Registrar.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 51 OF 1916.

Dated the 1st September 1916.

In the matter of Ismail and Sipedar, sons of Shadal, Pathan of Shahdara, Delhi Province, Debtors.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 26th July 1916, on behalf of the said debtors and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent,

FORM No. 5.

Order appointing a Receiver.

SECTION 18.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 51 OF 1916.

Dated the 1st September 1916.

In the matter of Ismail and Sipedár, sons of Shadal, Pathan of Shahdara, Delhi Province, Debtors.

Whereas Ismail and Sipedár were adjudicated insolvents by order of this court, dated 1st September 1916, and it appears to the court that appointment of a Receiver for the property of the insolvents is necessary.

It is ordered that a receiving order be made against the insolvents, and a receiving order is hereby made against insolvents, and Clerk of Court is hereby constituted Receiver of the property of the said insolvents.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 52 OF 1916.

Dated the 2nd September 1916.

In the matter of Shamsuddin, son of Mohamad Fazal, of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 26th July 1916, on behalf of the said debtor, and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM No. 5.

Order Appointing a Receiver.

SECTION 18.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 52 OF 1916.

Dated the 2nd September 1916.

In the matter of Shamsuddin, son of Mohamad Fazal, of Delhi, Debtor.

Whereas Shamsuddin was adjudicated an insolvent by order of this court, dated 2nd September 1916, and it appears to the court that appointment of a Receiver for the property of the insolvent is necessary.

It is ordered that a receiving order be made against the insolvent and a Receiving order is hereby made against insolvent, and Clerk of Court is hereby constituted receiver of the property of the said insolvent.

FORM No. 8.

Notice to creditors of the date of consideration of a composition (or scheme of arrangement).

SECTION 27.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSE AT DELHI.

(INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION.)

In the matter of Insolvency of Baij Nath, son of Jugal Kishore, of Delhi.

SUIT No. 15 OF 1916.

Dated the 10th October 1916.

To

The Creditors.

Take notice that the Court has fixed the 19th day of October 1916 for the consideration of a composition (or scheme of arrangement) submitted by Baij Nath, the debtor in the above insolvency petition. No creditor who has not proved his debt before the aforesaid date will be permitted to vote on the consideration of the above matter.

If you desire to be represented at the above mentioned hearing you should be present in person or by duly instructed pleader with your proofs.

RAHIM BAKHSH,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
590—1916	Moreba Fakirji Agri	Hindu	Near Byculla Station, B'bay.	Carpenter in the employ of Alcock Ashdown & Co.	3rd	October	1916	3rd	October	1916
592—1916	Atmaram Abaji Bhisey	„	Cathedral Street	Chunam merchant in partnership with Anant Kashinath Wagle in the name of Bhisey Wagle & Co., and a brick merchant in partnership with Anant Kashinath Wagle and Shamrao Sunderji Choghe in the name of Bhise Wagle & Co.	„	„	„	„	„	„
593—1916	Moolji Soonderji Thakur	„	Champagully Cross Lane	Lately cloth merchant carrying on business in partnership with Anantrai Bhaichandbhai under the name, style and firm of Anantrai Bhai Chandbhai and thereafter in partnership with Gatoolal Vithaldas under the name, style and firm of Gatulal Vithaldas and thereafter servant in the employ of the said Gatulal Vithaldas, and now unemployed.	„	„	„	„	„	„
594—1916	Balkrishna Ganoo Moray *alias* Balkrishna Ganshah Moray *alias* Balvet Gambet Moray.	„	Hornby Road	Lately petty dealer in country tobacco and cocoanuts, etc., and now unemployed.	4th	„	„	4th	„	„
595—1916	Gorgonio Gasper Fernandez	Portuguese	Lower Parel	Painter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway workshop, Parel.	„	„	„	„	„	„

597—1916	Mahanji Jiwan Sha	Hindu	Old Hanuman Lane	Servant in the employ of Ardesir Naserwanji & Co.	5th	October	1916	5th	October	1916
596—1916	Jamnadas Amerchand Sha	„	Bhoiwada 3rd Lane	Till lately speculator in cotton share and stocks in different Companies and now unemployed.	„	„	„	„	„	„
598—1916	Shridhar Dadabhai Mastaker	„	Khetwadi Main Road	Draftsman and Surveyor	7th	„	„	7th	„	„
599—1916	Mahadeo *alias* Mahadu Vithoba *alias* Vithoo Torankar.	„	Girgaum Back Road	Lately servant in the employ of Tukaram Babaji Bhatkar and now unemployed.	„	„	„	„	„	„
601—1916	Dhondu Govind Kadoo	„	1st Lane Nowroji Hill Dongri.	Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway	9th	„	„	9th	„	„
600—1916	Joseph Elias Gonsalves	Eurasian	Mazagon	Lately manager in the employ of the St. Bernard Dairy Company and now unemployed.	„	„	„	„	„	„

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT,
Bombay, this 9th day of October 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 10th October 1916.

No. 2454-*G*.—Mr. W. H. Johnston, temporary Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 1st (Peshawar) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that division with effect from the 20th September 1916.

No. 2455-*G*.—Mr. S. Raghavulu Chettiar, Accountant, 1st grade, in the office of the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office from the 28th July to the 13th August 1916.

No. 2456-*G*.—Mr. S. Raghavulu Chettiar, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, reverts to his own grade, with effect from the 19th September 1916.

No. 2457-*G*.—Mr. J. W. Glancey, Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 4th (Quetta) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that division from the 16th October 1915 to the 27th August 1916. He is appointed as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), in the same division, with effect from the 28th August 1916.

No. 2458-*G*.—Mr. D. S. Anderson, Accountant, 1st grade, in the Field Account Office, Egyptian Expeditionary Force, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office from the 2nd January to the 1st September 1916.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant General.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 5th October 1916.

No. 2690s-*Ap*.—Mr. K. S. Sheppard, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, Madras, pay Rs. 100, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 5th September 1916, and until further orders.

The 6th October 1916.

No. 2701s-*Ap*.—Mr. S. C. W. Rose, Deputy Postmaster-General, 2nd grade, is granted privilege leave for 36 days with effect from the 16th October 1916 or from the date on which he will be relieved of his appointment of Inspector-General, Railway Mail Service and Sorting, Northern Circle.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 7th October 1916.

No. 2405s-*E.-E*.—In this Department Notification No. 2159s-E.-E., dated the 21st September 1916, against the name of Mr. L. W. White—

For 11th August 1916 *read* 11th August 1915.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 12th October 1916.

No. 5029-*T*.—Mr. A. J. E. Falloon, Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, is appointed to officiate in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch as Assistant Superintendent, Calcutta Telegraph Office, with effect from the 1st September 1916, in the arrangements *vice* Mr. A. C. Board.

No. 5033-*T*.—Mr. A. Cabral, Telegraph Master, pay Rs. 220—250, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, in the arrangements *vice* Mr. A. C. Board on leave for one month from the 1st September 1916.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

SURVEY OF INDIA—NORTHERN CIRCLE.

NOTIFICATION.

Mussoorie, the 10th October 1916.

No. 5.—In supersession of this Office Notification No. 4, dated 21st July 1916, Mr. Moqimuddin, Extra Assistant Superintendent, is granted privilege leave for 3 months from 31st July 1916 under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

C. L. ROBERTSON, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Offg. Superintendent, Northern Circle.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 13th October 1916.

No. 757.—Major H. H. Turner, R.E., Deputy Superintendent, was granted privilege leave for one month from 11th August to 10th September 1916, both dates inclusive, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

S. G. BURRARD, Colonel, R.E.,
Surveyor General of India.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

The following is a statement of the cash balances at the Home Treasury of the Government of India on the last day of August 1916 and of the form in which they were held:—

	General Balance.	Gold Standard Reserve.
	£	£
Cash at the Bank of England	1,022,440	...
Short loans	5,332,382	6,267,618
Total Home Treasury balances as shown in the accounts	6,354,822	6,267,618
	12,622,440	

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

THE TREASURY;
Calcutta, the 13th October 1916.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1ST TO 7TH OCTOBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.												Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.										
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for Coinage transferred from currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	41‡	...	...	41	26	...	26	60	73*	21	3	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	35	...	35	...	145†	11	5	161	3	3	...	...	...	...

* Exclusive of 42 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
† Exclusive of 96 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
‡ Includes 15 received from Bombay Mint.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 12th October 1916.

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Memoirs of the Geological Survey of India, Palæontologia Indica, New Series Volume VI, Memoir No. 1, F. R. Cowper Reed, Sc.D., F.G.S., Supplementary Memoir on New Ordovician and Silurian Fossils from the Northern Shan States (with plates I to XII). Rs. 3.

Memoirs of the Geological Survey of India, Palæontologia Indica, New Series, Vol. V, Memoir No. 3, by Prof. Henri Douvillé. Le Crétacé et L'éocène du Tibet Central. Rs. 4.

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PUBLICATIONS ISSUED BY THE METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

Monthly Weather Review for November 1915 to January 1916. Re. 1 per month.

Memoirs of the Indian Meteorological Department—

Volume XXI, Part XIV, by S. M. Jacob, I.C.S., Correlation of rainfall and the succeeding crops with special reference to the Punjab. Re. 1.

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PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

LOST.

The Government Promissory Note No. 080545 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of the Bank of Bengal and last endorsed to I. J. Engles, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that the payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The Public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of the advertiser—I. J. ENGLES,

Residence—Lahore, Sub-Inspector of Police, C.I.D., Punjab.

NOTICE.

Notice under Section 206 of Indian Company's Act No. VII of 1913.

The public is hereby informed that the shareholders of the Ganesh Beopar Company, Limited, Beawar, in their extraordinary meeting, dated the 15th November 1914, had passed resolution to the effect that Company's work be wound up and Lala Chandmal be appointed "Liquidator" of the said Company.

(Sd.) CHANDMAL, Liquidator,

The Beopar Company, Limited, Beawar.

KHARWA;

The 7th September 1916.

LOST.

The Government Promissory Note No. 070402 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 10,000 (Ten thousand) originally standing in the name of Mohamad Umar Khan, the proprietor by whom it was never endorsed to any other person having been lost between the night of the 24th and 25th August 1916, at the Delhi Railway Station, notice is hereby given that the payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office and that application is about to be made for the issue of a duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are hereby cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

QAZI MOHAMAD UMAR KHAN,
son of QAZI ABDUR RAHIM, Pensioner,
Resident of Ganj, Peshawar City.

PESHAWAR;
Dated 30th August 1916.

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SUPPLEMENT TO

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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

A SUPPLEMENT *to the* GAZETTE OF INDIA *will be published from time to time containing such official papers and information as the Government of India may deem to be of interest to the Public, and such as may usefully be made known. The debates of the Legislative Council of His Excellency the Governor General will in future be published in* PART VI *of the* GAZETTE.

Non-Subscribers to the GAZETTE *may receive the* SUPPLEMENT *separately on a payment of Rupees five per annum if delivered in Calcutta, or Rupees eight if sent by post. The* SUPPLEMENT *and* PART VI *of the* GAZETTE *can also be subscribed for separately on a payment of Rupees six per annum if delivered in Calcutta, or Rupees nine if sent by post.*

No Official Orders or Notifications, the Publication of which in the GAZETTE OF INDIA *is required by Law or which it has been customary to publish in the* CALCUTTA GAZETTE, *will be included in the* SUPPLEMENT. *For such Orders and Notifications the body of the* GAZETTE *must be looked to.*

COTTON PRESS RETURN.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 15th August, 1916.
(Season 1915-16, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1915, to 31st August, 1916.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (*a*) (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Number of bales (of 400 lbs. each) pressed in the half-month	Total number of bales from 1st September to date
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,010,000	26·5	218	9	2,967	653,773
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	1,106,000	29·0	167	...	...	1,089,112
Madras	357,000	9·3	55	24	(*b*)10,402	325,359
Punjab (including Native States)	196,000	5·1	92	...	...	188,643
United Provinces	262,000	7·0	80	...	...	235,449
Sind	51,000	1·3	14	...	...	47,514
Burma	27,000	0·7	16	...	...	24,175
Bihar and Orissa	16,000	0·4	...	...	...	...
Bengal	30,000	0·8	3	...	...	18,723
Assam	10,000	0·2	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	6,000	0·2	1	...	...	930
Ajmer-Merwara	2,000	0·1	14	(*c*)	(*c*)	(*c*)
Delhi	...	...	1	...	...	1,320
Hyderabad	450,000	11·8	41	...	...	18,617
Central India	216,000	5·6	32	(*c*)	(*c*)	(*c*)
Rajputana	66,000	1·7	10	...	...	26,859
Mysore	14,000	0·3	3	...	...	25,509
TOTAL	3,819,000	100	747	33	13,369	2,655,983

(*a*) The figures in column 2 are the estimates for 1915-16 as published in the Final General Memorandum on the Cotton crop of 1915-16, dated the 24th February, 1916.
(*b*) Figures for the weeks ending 5th and 12th August, 1916.
(*c*) No returns received.

I.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 15th August, 1916.

(Season 1915-16, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1915, to 31st August, 1916.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton (in bales of 400 lbs. each) received in the half-month	Total number of bales from 1st September to date
1	2	3	4	5
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	180	33	6,528	310,882
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	9	63	77,210
Madras	17	10	(a) 5,150	120,769
Punjab	3	1	330	11,557
United Provinces	15	1	71	43,356
Sind	2	(b)	(b)	(b)
Bengal	10	...	...	68,803
Ajmer-Merwara	2	(b)	(b)	(b)
Delhi	2	2	57	11,854
Hyderabad	3	...	..	4,102
Central India	3	2	2,077	21,567
Rajputana	1	(b)	(b)	(b)
Mysore	2	...	...	3,182
TOTAL	250	58	14,276	673,282

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(a) Figures for the weeks ending 5th and 12th August, 1916.
(b) No returns received.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
September 29, 1916

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue)

[In thousands of Rupees]

	In the six months, April to September, of									
	1907-08	1908-09	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
SEA CUSTOMS										
IMPORTS										
Special Import Duties										
Arms, ammunition, and military stores	2,41	2,33	2,32	2,81	2,11	2,71	3,16	3,01	2,64	4,76
Coal, coke, and patent fuel (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
Cotton manufactures (b)—										
Piecegoods, grey	34,07	26,64	29,22	28,60	30,18	42,46	44,69	38,36	35,49	29,76
" white	18,84	15,50	10,78	15,81	17,67	21,61	25,48	20,16	18,26	28,97
" coloured	18,02	19,35	12,70	19,45	20,06	22,66	33,02	20,71	12,62	24,96
Other goods	2,99	3,12	2,71	3,74	3,69	4,08	6,02	3,42	1,95	4,38
Liquors—										
Ale, beer, porter, cider and other fermented liquors	1,88	2,49	2,43	3,87	3,75	4,27	3,98	3,30	2,46	4,21
Spirits and liqueurs	44,24	45,77	45,03	51,43	50,74	49,52	54,38	55,10	48,84	53,53
Wines	1,75	1,73	1,62	2,47	2,30	2,29	2,46	3,18	2,21	2,98
Opium and its alkaloids (c)	2	2	1	4	3	3	4	2	3	3
Petroleum	22,24	26,84	22,87	26,72	36,64	34,27	30,57	40,21	33,13	22,34
Silver, bullion and coin (d)	26,95	35,74	31,88	96,95	50,67	63,28	45,76	79,39	63,52	11,28
Silver plate, silver thread and wire, and silver manufactures, all sorts (e)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,68
Sugar (countervailing duties, 1899 and 1902)	...	...	...	1	...	11	...	...	...	...
Sugar, all sorts (b)	19,39	19,96	26,80	26,67	26,49	30,46	39,85	21,67	23,46	54,58
Tobacco (d)	1,79	1,69	2,28	13,84	12,80	12,76	14,29	13,09	12,47	24,87
General Import Duties										
Articles of food and drink (excluding sugar)	10,16	11,58	10,32	10,93	10,72	11,99	12,96	11,98	12,94	22,47
Chemicals, drugs and medicines, and dyeing and tanning materials, all sorts	7,11	6,34	6,76	7,92	7,61	8,39	9,29	7,80	7,06	16,41
Metals (excluding silver, bullion and coin) and manufactures thereof	19,14	25,29	20,73	24,54	24,54	23,14	33,75	32,45	18,24	42,04
Oils (excluding petroleum)	1,30	78	60	73	56	70	87	87	87	1,81
Manufactured articles	45,58	49,10	43,17	53,58	57,11	63,30	76,01	60,11	55,86	1,21,59
Raw materials and unmanufactured articles	6,55	8,57	7,19	7,29	6,95	8,75	6,65	7,67	6,41	10,79
TOTAL IMPORTS	2,83,93	3,02,84	2,79,37	3,96,40	3,64,07	4,06,78	4,43,18	4,21,50	3,58,46	4,78,50
EXCISE DUTY ON COTTON GOODS	13,64	13,68	15,06	15,93	18,48	20,81	21,73	17,91	16,93	19,13
Export Duties										
Jute (raw), including cuttings (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15,68
Jute manufactures (a)—										
Sacking	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8,60
Hessians and all other descriptions	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10,17
Rice, husked or unhusked, including rice-flour	45,89	32,89	39,57	52,40	59,43	66,81	56,39	37,95	33,45	38,43
Tea (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17,74
TOTAL EXPORTS	45,89	32,89	39,57	52,40	59,43	66,81	56,39	37,95	33,45	90,62
LAND CUSTOMS AND MISCELLANEOUS	5,18	4,37	4,95	4,89	5,58	6,39	6,56	6,57	6,57	7,89
GRAND TOTAL	3,48,64	3,53,78	3,38,95	4,69,62	4,47,51	5,00,29	5,27,86	4,83,93	4,15,41	5,96,14
Provincial distribution of Imports and Exports										
Bengal — Imports	1,08,51	95,98	97,39	1,21,49	1,24,59	1,36,11	1,60,42	1,47,29	1,27,91	1,75,03
Bengal — Exports	4,26	2,08	4,99	8,43	10,34	13,56	9,24	5,41	1,91	51,51
Bihar and Orissa — Imports	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa — Exports	—	—	—	—	—	52	64	13	...	...
Bombay — Imports	1,04,24	1,14,00	1,04,80	1,82,24	1,40,03	1,63,65	1,62,14	1,67,07	1,40,83	1,75,57
Bombay — Exports	77	99	1,42	92	60	52	99	1,08	1,26	2,94
Sind — Imports	22,61	31,44	25,93	33,95	35,90	39,69	40,70	34,59	31,58	41,97
Sind — Exports	1,98	76	1,12	79	88	81	1,60	1,05	1,30	2,36
Madras — Imports	22,28	27,81	24,80	27,43	30,79	31,21	35,74	37,87	27,64	48,43
Madras — Exports	5,73	5,47	3,33	2,96	4,12	3,81	4,23	4,26	6,47	7,20
Burma — Imports	26,29	33,61	26,95	31,39	32,76	36,12	44,18	34,68	30,55	42,50
Burma — Exports	33,20	23,64	28,71	39,30	43,49	47,29	39,69	26,02	22,51	26,71

(a) Not subject to duty prior to March 1916
(b) Figures prior to March 1916 represent "*General Import Duties*"
(c) The duty on alkaloids of opium for the years previous to 1910-11 is included under the head "Chemicals, drugs, etc."
(d) Figures for the years previous to 1910-11 represent "*General Import Duties*"
(e) Figures prior to March 1916 are included with "Manufactured articles"

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics
H. F. HOWARD,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

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MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 19th October, 1916.

No. 4946-M.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General will leave Simla by special rail motor from Summer Hill Station on the afternoon of Friday, the 20th October 1916. His Excellency's departure will be private.

His Excellency will visit Dehra Dun, Delhi, Agra, Jaipur, Chitor, Udaipur, Ajmer, Delhi, Allahabad, Burma, Calcutta, Barrackpore and Bankipore and arrive at Delhi on the evening of the 13th January 1917.

The party accompanying the Viceroy will be :—

Her Excellency the Lady Chelmsford, C.I.

The Hon'ble Joan Thesiger.

The Hon'ble Anne Thesiger.

The Hon'ble Mr. J. B. Wood, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., Political Secretary. (At Jaipur, Udaipur and Bharatpur only.)

J. L. Maffey, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S., Private Secretary.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Verney, Military Secretary.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. Austen Smith, I.M.S., Surgeon.

Captain W. A. Brown, A.-D.-C.

Captain W. Holland-Hibbert, A.-D.-C.

Captain R. H. Sheepshanks, D.S.O., A.-D.-C.

All communications of an urgent nature intended to reach His Excellency and party during the tour should be addressed "Viceroy's Camp" without the addition of any post town : all others to the headquarters of the several departments at Simla.

By Command,

R. VERNEY, *Lieutenant-Colonel,*

Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 19th October 1916.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 1241.—In continuation of Notification No. 1209 of the 12th October 1916, a list of officers, non-commissioned officers and men brought to notice by Lieutenant-General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., in connection with the operations of Indian Expeditionary Force "D" from the 19th January to the 30th April 1916, is published for general information :—

Royal Navy.

Bickford, J. E. P., Lieutenant-Commander.

Cameron, E., Staff Surgeon.

Chapman, H. P., Mr.

Eddis, C. J. F., Lieutenant.

Firman, H. O. B., Lieutenant in Command (killed).

Hitch, F. G., Surgeon.

Nunn, W., Captain, C.M.G., D.S.O.

Robertson, G. W. T., Lieutenant.

Rutherford, E. M., Commander.

Wake, D. St. A., Commodore.

Wason, C. R., Commander.

Webster, R. P. D., Lieutenant in Command.

Wemyss, Sir R. E., Vice Admiral, K.C.B, C.M.G., M.V.O.
Wright, S. J., Paymaster.
Ham, J. B., Gunner.
Robertson, J., Petty Officer.
Spanner, J. B., Gunner.
D. N. 190329, Wakeling, W. H., Petty Officer.

Staff and Headquarters.

Alexander, R. G., Captain, 11th Lancers.
Anderson, B. E., Major, 59th Rifles.
Apthorpe, E. H. F., Major, 90th Punjabis.
Ashton, F. J., Captain, I.A.R.O.
Austin, H. H., Brigadier-General.
Aylmer, Sir F. J., Lieutenant-General.
Bartelott, Sir W. B., Major, Coldstream Guards.
Beach, W. H., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, R.E.
Belgrave, H. D., Major, Royal West Kents.
Black, G. C. S., Captain, 11th Rajputs.
Boulton, H., Lieutenant-Colonel, I.M.S.
Boxwell, A., Major, 119th Infantry.
Broke-Smith, P. W. L., Major, R. F. C.
Brooking, H. T., Major-General.
Browne, H. J. P., Brigadier-General.
Brownlow, d'A. C., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Brownrigg, W. D. S., Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel, Notts and Derby Regiment.
Buckland, G. C. B., Captain, D.S.O., 2-8th Gurkhas.
Burnett, A. H., Captain, 72nd Punjabis.
Buda Singh, Jemadar, 67th Punjabis.
Cahusac, C. F., Captain, 36th Jacob's Horse.
Cassels, R. A., Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel, 32nd Lancers.
Cayley, W. de S., Brigadier-General, C.B.
Campbell, W. N., Major, I.A. (Retired).
Campbell, L. W. Y., Brigadier-General.
Chapman, G. H., Captain, 53rd Sikhs (F. F.) (killed).
Christian, G., Brigadier-General.
Christian, A. J., 2nd-Lieutenant, 3rd Gloucester Regiment.
Coffin, C., Lieutenant-Colonel, C.M.G., R.E.
Cook-Young, A. W., Major, I.M.S.
Costello, E. W., Major, V.C., 22nd Punjabis.
Cowper, M., Major-General, C.I.E.
Davies, W. P. L., Lieutenant-Colonel, R.A.

Dawson, F. D., Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant.
DeCourcy, Hon. M. W. R., Captain, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Dick Lauder, J. N. D., Captain, 16th Cavalry.
Dick, R. N., Major, Royal Sussex Regiment.
Douglas, J. A., Brigadier-General, C.M.G.
Douglas, A. P., Colonel, R.A.
Duffy, T. A., Honorary Captain, I.M.L.
Eadie, J. I., Captain, 97th Deccan Infantry.
Edwards, A. C., Major, 102nd Grenadiers.
Egerton, R. G., Major-General, C.B.
Elsmie, A. M. S., Brigadier-General, C.M.G.
Etheridge, F., Captain, 7th Rajputs.
Ezra, E., 2nd-Lieutenant, I.A.R.O.
Evans, H. J. L., 2nd-Lieutenant (Temporary Captain), I.A.R.O.
Forbes, R. M. N., Captain, R.G.A.
Foster, T. F. V., Captain, Connaught Rangers.
Franklin, H. S. E., Major, D.S.O., 15th Sikhs.
Fraser, T., Lieutenant-Colonel, C.M.G., R.E.
Gambier-Parry, M.D., Captain, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.
Gaunt, C. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Reserve of Officers.
Godfrey, R., Lieutenant (Honorary), I.M.L.
Gordon, L. A. C., Brigadier-General, C.B.
Gorringe, Sir G. F., Lieutenant-General.
Grant, J. D., Major, V.C., 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Hall, F. G., Captain, 3rd Dorset Regiment.
Hamilton, E. G., Captain, Connaught Rangers.
Hamer, M. A., Major, 129th Baluchis.
Harway, D., Captain, 31st Punjabis.
Harvey, W. J. St. J., Brigadier-General (died of wounds).
Hawes, C. H., Major, M.V.O., 23rd Cavalry.
Hildyard, R. J. T., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, D.S.O., R. West Kents.
Hill, E. F. J., Major, R.E.
Holdich, H. A., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, 1-5th Gurkha Rifles.
Hopwood, H. R., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, 33rd Cavalry.
Hoskyn, J. C. M., Major, 44th Merwara Infantry.
Howell, N. E., Captain, 82nd Punjabis (killed).
Hughes, J. W., 2nd-Lieutenant, Bombay Light Horse.
Ingram, C. R., Major, 2nd R. West Kent Regiment.
Irvine, G. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, I.M.S.
Indar Singh, Jemadar, 67th Punjabis.
Joyner, H., Lieutenant (Honorary), I.M.L.

Keary, H. D'U., Major-General, C.B., D.S.O.
Kemball, G. V., Major-General, C.B., D.S.O.
Kensington, E. C., Major, 130th Baluchis.
Killick, S. H., Captain, South Lancashire Regiment.
Lang, E. B., Colonel, I. A. (Retired).
Leachman, G. E., Major, Royal Sussex Regiment.
Leslie, G. A. J., Lt.-Col., C.M.G., R.E.
Leslie, W. S., Major, 31st Punjabis.
Lewis, R. F., Lieut. (Tempy. Capt.), 21st Cavalry.
Lewin, A. C., Brig.-General, D.S.O.
Lindsay, H. A. P., Lt.-Col., C.M.G., S. and T. Corps.
Longhurst, A. L., Major, 2-7th Gurkha Rifles.
Loverock, R. C., 2nd-Lieut. (Tempy. Capt.), Oxford and Bucks. L. I.
Lynch-Staunton, R. K., Major, D.S.O., R.A.
MacIlwaine, A. H., Captain, R.A.
Maclean, G. G. C., Captain, 104th Rifles.
Macdonald, H., Captain, 11th K.E.O. Lancers.
Mackenzie, H. J., Captain, 51st Sikhs.
Macquoid, C. E. E F. K., Lieut.-Col., D.S.O., 4th Cavalry.
Macrae, J. C., Captain, 19th Punjabis.
Maude, F. S., Major-General, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.
McWatters, H. C., Major, 24th Punjabis.
Musgrave, A. D., Lieut.-Col., R.A.
Moberly, H. S., Major, 66th Punjabis.
Mohammed Walyat, Havr., Indian Coast Arty.
Money, A. W., Major-General, C.B.
Morphett, G.C., Major, Royal Sussex Regt.
Norie, C. E. deM., Brig.-General, D.S.O.
North, H. N., Captain, R.E.
Norton-Fagge, F. W. L., Lieut., I.A.R.O.
O'Dowda, J. W., Brig.-General.
Ogilvie, E. C., Lieut.-Col., R.E.
Ogle, N., Captain, 67th Punjabis.
Parsley, R. C., 2nd-Lieut. (Tempy. Capt.), Norfolk R.
Peebles, E. C., Brig.-General, D.S.O.
Plinston, G. H., Captain, 11th Rajputs.
Pulford, H. St. G. J., Captain, 4th Rajputs (since deceased).
Qasi Shakirullah.
Queripel, L. H., Lt.-Col. (T.), D.S.O., R.F.A.
Rattray, C., Brig.-General.
Reinhold, H. E., Major, 27th Punjabis.

Reynolds, H. L., (Hony.) Lieut., I.M.L.

Rice, G. H. B., Brig.-General (since deceased).

Remington, J. C., Tempy. Major-General, R.E.

Rowlandson, M. G. D., Captain, 38th Dogras.

Scott, H. L, Captain, 1-1st Gurkha Rifles.

Shore, O. B. S. F., Brigadier-General.

Simpson, W. M., Captain, Worcester Regt.

Spankie, C. G., Captain, 42nd Deoli Regiment.

Squires, E. K., Captain, R.E.

Stallard, S. F., Lieut.-Colonel, R.F.A.

Stapleton, F. H., Major, Oxford and Bucks. L. I.

Stewart, J. W. K., Tempy. Lt.-Col, D.S.O., 39th Garhwals.

Stephens, R., Captain, Oxford and Bucks. L. I.

Stephen, R. C., Brigadier-General.

St. John, R., Major (Tempy. Lt.-Col.), 20th Infantry.

Swifte, E. L., Lieut.-Colonel, 57th Wilde's Rifles.

Tate, A. E., Colonel, A.M.S.

Tidswell, E. C., Brig.-General, D.S.O.

Townshend, C. V. F., Major-General.

Tyrrell, J. F, Major, R.A.

Umar Hayat Khan, Hon'ble Sir Malik, Captain, K.C.I.E., M.V.O.

Walton, G., Major (Tempy. Lt.-Col.), 46th Punjabis.

White, G. F., Brig.-General.

Williams, L. G., Captain, 5th Cavalry.

Willoughby, D.V., Captain, 1st Brahmans.

Wilmer, E. R. G., Major, D.S.O., R.F.A.

Wilson, R. C., Captain, 114th Mahrattas.

Wilson-Johnston, W. E., Major, 36th Sikhs.

Winter, C. B., Lieut.-Colonel, 112th Infantry.

Whitley, A., Mr.

Whittall, C. E., Captain, Oxford and Bucks. L. I.

Younghusband, Sir G. J., Major-General, K.C.I.E., C.B.

Arnott, H., Staff Sergeant, Indian Miscellaneous List.

Baker, C. H., Conductor, Indian Miscellaneous List.

9396 Bamber, J. C., Private (Local Sergeant), 2nd K.O.R. Lancs.

Brooks, H., Staff Sergeant, Indian Miscellaneous List.

Brown, W., Staff Sergeant, Indian Miscellaneous List.

4662 Enstice, E. J., Corporal (Local Sergeant), 3-4th Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

Floyed, T., Sergeant, Corps of Military Staff Clerks.

8241 Ford, F., Private (Local Sergeant), 2nd Dorset Regiment.

2972 Fosbury, L. F., Private (Local Sergeant), 1-4th Hants Regiment.
Goddard, W. H., Sergeant, Corps of Military Staff Clerks.
7608 Hoggatt, J., Lance Corporal, 2nd Norfolk Regiment.
Howey, J. R., Staff Sergeant, Indian Miscellaneous List.
9363 Jackson, W. G., Private (Local Sergeant), 2nd R. West Kent R.
Lanfear, J. H., Sergeant, C.M.S.C.
9152 Lofts, W., Corporal, Royal West Kents.
Marriott, J. P., Sergeant, Corps of Military Staff Clerks.
McDermott, Sergeant Ditto.
Owen, E., Army Schoolmaster.
Prescott, W., Sergeant, Corps of Military Staff Clerks
Price, A. H., Sergeant . Ditto.
Rice, J. R., Sergeant Ditto.
Roffy, H. R., Conductor, Indian Miscellaneous List.
Somerfield, G. J., Staff Sergeant, Indian Miscellaneous List.
Stewart, S. H., Sergeant; Corps of Military Staff Clerks.
Samuel, A. D., 4th Grade Clerk.
5528 Sumpster, A. C., Company Sergeant-Major, 3rd Sappers and Miners.
Warren, W. H., Army Schoolmaster.
8896 Whetstone, P., Sergeant, Somerset Light Infantry.

Royal Flying Corps.

Cuff, B. E., Lieutenant (S.R.)
Dickinson, C. T., Lieutenant, 16 Cav.
Thompson-Glover, I. W., Captain, 35th Sikhs.
Massey, S. D., Bt. Major, 29th Punjabis.
McCrindle, I. R., 2nd-Lieutenant (S.R.)
Orton, J. O. C., Captain, 2nd Norfolks.
Petre, H. A., Captain, Australian Flying Corps.
Wills, W. R., Captain, I.A.R.O.
43 Mackinoety, G., Sergeant.
4474 Tomlinson, R. G., Flight Sergeant.
4477 Webb, A., Sergeant.

14th King's Hussars.

Featherstonhaugh, A. E. H., Captain.
Fooks, O. J. F., Lieutenant.
Hewitt, R. W., Major.
Pope, A. V., Lieutenant.
3796 Goddard., J., R.S.M.
8456 Ilott, J. A., Sergeant.

Royal Horse Artillery "S" Battery.

Renny Tailyour, I. W., Major.

ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

Corps Ammunition Park.

Herbert, P. T. C., Lieut.-Colonel.

4th Bde. Ammunition Column.

Cockaday, W. G. C., Lieutenant and temporary Captain.

2nd Battery.

Cowey, N. K., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Fawcett, A. M., 2nd-Lieutenant.

7th Battery.

Kiddle, G, Captain (T.).

8th Battery.

Thesiger, Hon. F. I., 2nd-Lieutenant.
5786 Daly, A. C., F. Q. M. S.
46491 Elliot, H., Sergeant.

14th Battery.

Greenshields, D. T., Captain.
70367 Bell, W. H., Corporal.
54596 Day, J. W., Bombardier.

19th Battery.

Hazlet, R. K., Major.
Norman, G., 2nd-Lieutenant.
37376 Stanton, T., Corporal.

20th Battery.

Anderson, T. R., Captain (T.).
Leck, G. M., Lieutenant.
42622 Hardy, H., Gunner.

28th Battery.

Goodfellow, E. H., Lieutenant (T.).
48350 Barclay, J., Sergeant.
68782 Carroll, A. A., Corporal.
58166 Davies, V., A.-Br.
49430 Horne, F. W., A.-Br.

44th Battery.

46344 Trapp, C. J., Corporal.

60th How. Battery.

Tidy, C., 2nd-Lieutenant.
42962 Smith, T., A.-Br.

66th Battery.

Crofton, M. R. H., Major.
Marson, H. A., Captain (T.).
15356 Beaumont, J., F. Q. M. S.
39329 Buchan, P., A.-Br.
72468 Hope, H. B., Gunner.
65912 Jones, E. B., Corporal.
90635 Smith, J., Gunner.

H. Q. 96th Brigade.

Mansell-Pleydell, H. P. M., Lieutenant (T.).
22816 McCreckin, G., Corporal.

"A" Battery, 66th Brigade.

5384 Iles, H. H., Corporal.

"B" Battery, 66th Brigade.

82379 McKim, W., Bombardier.

"D" Battery, 69th Brigade.

94252 Brown, F., Bombardier.

1-1st Sussex Battery.

Whyley, D. H. Fitz T., Lieutenant.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

72nd Battery.

Bennett, F. L., Major.
Merrett, A. B., Lieutenant.
7397 Burton, T., Sergeant.
209 Cullen, P., B. Q. M. S.

77th Battery.

Riddell, R. B., Major.

1-104th Battery.

Jenkins, W. M., Lieutenant.
21592 Davis, W. C., Sergeant.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Atkinson, W., Lieutenant, I.A.R.O.
Bird, A. J. G., Captain.
Chapman, O. G., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Deed, L. C. B., Captain.
Greenstreet, C. B. L., Major.
Hudson, J. R., Captain (Commissary).
Humfress, H. T., Captain, I.A.R.O.
Hunter, R. G. P., Captain.
Mason, K., Captain.
Nicolle, A. V., 2nd-Lieutenant, I A.R.O.
Roome, H. E., Captain.
Swiney, A. J. H., Colonel (Temporary).
Wildeblood, J. P., Lieutenant, I.A.R.O.
Young, E. de L., Captain.
37312 Andrew, J., Corporal (72nd Company).
Barnett, J., Staff Sergeant.
Barrett, J., Staff Sergeant.
Barwise, A. O., Staff Sergeant.
Oliver, H. H., Q.M.S.
43767 McDonnell, P. M., Sergeant.
42624 Pollock, L., Sergeant (72nd Company).
Shewring, J., Staff Sergeant
Banarse Das, Accountant.
Dharmalingam, Havilder, 2nd Sappers and Miners.
Shaikh Rahman, Colour-Havildar, 3rd Sappers and Miners.

Signal Service.

64737 Brown, A., Sapper.
45533 Higgs, N. T., Sergeant.
66507 McColgan, N., Sergeant.
33 Ormond, J., Sergeant.
2380 Stanlake, J., Staff Sergeant.
64763 Wooley, G. E., Lance-Corporal.

BRITISH INFANTRY.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment.

Evans, F. M., 2nd-Lieutenant (attached 9th Royal Warwickshire Regiment).

1-5th Buffs (East Kent) Regiment.

Adam, A. G. A., Captain.

Body, J., Captain.

Frasere, J. S., Major (Killed).

Goschen, Hon. G. J., 2nd-Lieutenant (Died of wounds).

Maco, J. M., Lieutenant-Colonel (T. D.).

Jessel, G., 2nd-Lieutenant.

6th King's Own (Royal Lancaster) Regiment.

Saunders, A., Captain (T.).

Weingberg, J., Captain.

Yates, H. P., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).

19250 Hodgson, F., Private.

11636 Lyddiate, S., Corporal.

19023 Nunn, J., Private.

9th Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Baker, H. S, Captain.

Barnott, W. W., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Gething, P. J., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Marshall, E. S., Captain.

4022 Bull, R., Lance-Corporal.

8649 Farmer, E., C. S. M.

805 Harper, S., Private.

12563 Johnstone, A., Private.

Lincolnshire Regiment.

Baines, A. E. C., Captain (attached 8th B. W. Fusiliers).

1-6th Devonshire Regiment.

Dunn-Pattison, R. P., Captain.

Fox, R. W., Lieutenant-Colonel.

Radcliffe, N. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, D.S.O.

Verney, F. C., Lieutenant.

2208 Hudson, W. G., R. S. M.

2686 Shutt, H., Private.

1-5th Somerset Light Infantry.

Goodland, E. S., Lieutenant (attached 1-5th Buffs).

2nd Leicestershire Regiment.

Bello, A., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Billings, H., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Brodie, H. C., Lieutenant and Quartermaster.

Buckingham, O. H., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Byers, H. D., 2nd Lieutenant.
Grimble, H. N. H., Lieutenant.
Lewis, F., Major, D.S.O.
McIntyre, A. S., Captain (3rd Battalion).
McIntyre, R. J., Captain (3rd Battalion).
Cox, Regimental Sergeant-Major.
11500 Bonner, G., Sergeant.
9129 Garton, F. E., Sergeant.
5048 Good, M., R.Q.M.S.
8176 Keeling, J., Sergeant.
7296 Lawrence, J., Sergeant.
7345 Rose, G. W., C.M.S.
8498 Turner, C., Private.

8th Cheshire Regiment.

Cullimore, J., Lieutenant.
Gover, W. W. B., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).
Mathews, A., Lieutenant.
Thomas, D. R., Captain.
10586 Christie, J., Sergeant.
11503 Hall, D., Private.
12377 Keenan, H., Lance-Corporal.
25779 Kirkham, S., Lance-Corporal.
17836 Mears, F., Private.
10710 Noden, J., Private.
10733 Potts, R., Sergeant.
28254 Richards, C., Private.
6416 Trueman, D., Private.
28251 Wilson, T., Private.

8th Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Hay, A., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).
Powell, S., Captain.
Stretch, E. A., Captain.
11570 Bunnell, W., Private.
12600 Dale, F., Private.
5364 Davies, J., C. S. M.
12277 Hannon, J., Sergeant.

4th South Wales Borderers.

Buchanan, A., Lieutenant.
Cahusac, A. N., Captain (3rd Battalion).
Keighley, F. W., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Kitchen, C. E., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).
Mellsop, J. A., Lieutenant and Quartermaster.
9748 Anderson, J., Sergeant.
12752 Cornish, H. A., R.S.M.
11220 Fynn, J. H., Private.
12757 Harcourt, E. W., Private.
13171 Maloney, J., Private.
13221 Stevens, J., Private.
14745 Symonds, T., Private.
14289 Whitcombe, T., Private.

7th Gloucestershire Regiment.

Clarke, A. V., 2nd-Lieutenant.
25827 Hodges, H., Lance-Corporal.
22555 House, W., Sergeant.
21249 Jenkins, J., Lance-Corporal.
9762 Sheppard, H. J., Sergeant.
20970 Timmins, A. W., Private.
8182 Yeates, Y.

9th Worcestershire Regiment.

Conybeare, E. B., Captain.
Dobson, H. P., Captain.
Faviell, W. F. O., Major.
Myles, E. K., Lieutenant.
Polack, B. J., 2nd-Lieutenant.
West, B. H., 2nd-Lieutenant.
19282 Bloomer, J., Sergeant.
8811 Gillard, A., Corporal.

6th East Lancashire Regiment.

Harris, W. A., Lieutenant.
McCormick, H. B., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Spowers, A., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Travis, J. J., Captain.
Watson, J. H., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Watson, T. P., Captain (T.).
8344 Carrington, H. R. S. M.
9238 Cunningham, M. H., Sergeant.
6581 Haigh, G., R. Q. M. S.
8057 Horner, J., C. S. M.
11291 Massey, A., Lance-Corporal.
11598 Odgen, G., Private

Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

Murphy, L., Captain (3rd Bn., attd. 5th Wiltshire Regt.).

1-4th Hants Regiment.

Bowker, F. J., Lieutenant-Colonel (Killed).
Roberts, F. W. P., Captain.
1827 Butler, J., Sergeant-Major.
2035 Norman, F., Lance-Sergeant.

2nd Dorset Regiment.

Case, H. A., Major.

6th South Lancashire Regiment.

Cattarns, G. R., Captain.
Ward, P. M. W., Captain.
12756 Butler, B., Private.
11542 Martin, F., Private.
19188 O'Brien, T., Private.

Welsh Regiment.

19376 Blake, W. J., Lance-Corporal (12th attached 8th Welsh Pioneers).
6017 Davies, T. M., Sergeant (3rd Battn., attached 8th Welsh Pioneers).
24657 Hart, C. J., Private (12th Battn., attached 8th Welsh Pioneers).

2nd Black Watch.

Anderson, J., Hony. Lieutenant, Quartermaster.
Cumming, A. B., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Dixon, J. F. C., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Dundas, R. H., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Forrester, M. F., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Gilmour, C. D., Captain.
Grassie, J. T., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Hamilton-Johnston, D. C., Captain.
Henderson, T. A., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Inglis, J. N., Captain.
Macewen, W. D., Lieutenant.
Paterson, J. C., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Soutar, F. H., 2nd-Lieutenant (Killed).
Wauchope, A. G., Major (Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel), D.S.O.
Young, W. A., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Johnstone, J., Regimental Sergeant-Major.
8874 Fairfull, A., Private.
976 Grant, T., Sergeant.

760 Graham, H., Corporal.
9260 Humm, T., Sergeant.
2702 Logan, W., Corporal.
1885 Minich, J., Lance-Corporal.
1993 Mitchell, G., Sergeant.
11180 Nicol, A., Private.
9912 Proudfoot, R., C. S. M. (killed).
9359 Wallace, W., C. S. M.

Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire L. I.

Carter, L. J., Major.
Foljambe, J. W. S., Brevet Major (since deceased).
Hammick, S. F., Captain (since deceased).
5666 Dancey, G., R. S. M.

6th Loyal North Lancashire Regiment.

Fairlie, J. G., Lieutenant-Colonel (killed).
Pennefather, R. J. B., Captain.
Tottenham, E. L., 2nd-Lieutenant.
18707 Batty, G., Private.
16498 Gavin, F., Private.
11915 Lloyd, J. T., Corporal.
10958 Smith, J., Private.

2nd Royal West Kent Regiment.

8130 Hawkes, H., Sergeant (attached Connaught Rangers).

5th Wiltshire Regiment.

Bosanquet, A. P., Captain.
Dewhurst, R. M., Lieutenant.
Greany, J. W., Captain, D.S.O.
Throckmorton, R. C. B., Major (Tempy. Lieutenant-Colonel).
6036 Kepner, J. A., C. S. M.

1st Manchester Regiment

Assig, H. L., 2nd-Lieutenant (3rd Battalion).
Burdon, J., Lieutenant.
Campbell, R. J. P., Lieutenant.
Hardcastle, R. N., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.), D.S.O.
O'Brien, P., Lieutenant and Quartermaster.
Parminter, R. H. R., Captain.
Ruddy, T., Lieutenant.
Smith, R. W., Lieutenant.

2088 Armisted, N. C., Lance-Corporal.
4166 Bickell, R., Lance-Corporal.
9350 Cross, W., Private.
899 Duffy, T., Sergeant.
5764 Goodson, J., R. Q. M. S.
31 Hughes, A. H., Sergeant.
9859 Kearns, J., Lance-Corporal.
1448 Mullinger, A., Lance-Corporal.
2047 O'Brien, F., Corporal.
1041 Ryder, W., Lance-Corporal.
1910 Scarlett, A., Private.
2085 Smith, J., Corporal.
15818 Stringer, G., Private.
2087 Summers, T., Private.
1505 Thirlwell, R., Lance-Corporal.
1462 Walsh, J., Lance-Corporal.
3631 Williams, J., Corporal (Lance-Sergeant).
1138 Worcester, J., Lance-Corporal.
2830 Yeo, C., Private.

7th North Staffordshire Regiment.

Andrus, T. A., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.), C.M.G.
Armes, R. L., Captain (T.)
Dingley, A. C., 2nd-Lieutenant (T. Capt.), 10th Battalion.
Edwards, W. S., Major (attached 9th Worcestershire Regt.)
Hart, E. A., Captain.
15054 Parkes, J., Corporal.

1st Highland Light Infantry.

Emblow, A. C., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Hill, C. E. C., Lieutenant.
Hope, J. H., Major.
Knox, R., Captain.
6960 Breslin, J., R. S. M.
8609 Caldwell, J., Sergeant.
8939 Findlay, A., Sergeant.
6348 Hammill, T., C. S. M.
9156 Morgan, E. H., R. Q. M. S.
21295 Robertson, A., Private.

1st Seaforth Highlanders.

Anderson, F., Captain.
Campbell, D., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Christie, T. C., Lieutenant (A. & S. Highlanders).
Geddes, D., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Harvey, J., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Macleod, T., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Reid, N., Lieutenant and Quartermaster.
Schomberg, R. C. F., Captain.
Stewart, B., Lieutenant.
Stewart, R. J., 2nd-Lieutenant (died of wounds).
Thomson, W. M., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).
7074 Mackenzie, H., Private.
10284 Malcolm, J., Private.
10132 Marshall, J. W., Private.
10272 Richford, T., Private.
920 Ware, S., Corporal.
161 Wells, G., Private.

1st Connaught Rangers.

Deacon, H. R. G., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).
Durrant, E. N., Lieutenant.
Greer, D. A., Lieutenant.
Hamilton, W. A., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).
Hewitt, H. T., Captain.
Kelsey, T., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Murray, S., Lieutenant-Colonel.
8318 Cassidy, P., Private.
5225 Croskery, J., Lance-Corporal.
9331 Dorrigan, L., Private.
9679 Fagan, J., Lance-Corporal.
6434 Finucane, P. J., R. Q. M. S.
5252 Grady, E. J., Private (Acting Corporal).
8282 Kirwan, D., Private.
11996 Macdonald, V., Private.
4243 McLoughlin, J., Corporal.
4665 Presnell, H. W., Private.
4037 Silke, F., Sergeant.
4626 Thompson, J., Private.
5089 Tobin, J., Lance-Corporal.

Royal Army Medical Corps.

Allan, R. M., Captain.
Chapman, F. H. M., Captain.
Collins, D. J., Lieutenant-Colonel.

Crossley, H. J., Major.
Dowling, F. T., Captain.
Duncan, R. W., Captain.
Foster, J. G., Major.
Garson, H. L., Captain.
Glen, A., Captain (S. R.).
Graham, W. T., Captain.
Green, S. F. St. D., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Ireland, A. J., Lieutenant.
Kyle, S. W., Captain.
MacDonald, W. C., Lieutenant.
Minns, A. N., Captain.
Mitchell, T. J., Captain.
O'Riordan, W. H., Captain.
Palmer, F. J., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Sloan, J. M., Bt.-Colonel, D.S.O.
Thackeray, J., Lieutenant.
Vivian, R. J., Captain.
Warwick, H. F., Captain.
With, P. A., Captain.
3016 Brown, D., Sergeant, 40th F. A.
56716 Burton, J., Private, 39th F. A.
8878 Hawkins, H., Private, 3rd F. A. (Ox. and Bucks.)
27344 Hodson, W., Private, 40th F. A.
49287 Jones, D. J., Corporal, 39th F. A.
60825 Kay, M., Private, 39th F. A.
8601 Locke, E., Private, 3rd F. A. (2nd Dorsets).
27707 Simpson, A., Private, 40th F. A.
7013 Wall, S., Private.
5469 Wright, D., Sergeant, 3rd F. A. (1st Ox. and Bucks.).

Political.

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Birch, O. W., Rev.
Irwin, R. J. B., Rev.

Jervis, E. O., Rev.
Macfarlane, A., Rev.
Marshall, C. H., Rev.
McNeill, J. H. A., Rev.
Nott, W., Rev.
Peal, S. T., Rev. Father.
Young, R. E., Rev.

INDIAN CAVALRY.

4th Cavalry.

Farran, G. L., Captain.
Harenc, R. E., Captain.
Johnston, R., Captain.
Stainforth, H. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, C.M.G.
Abdul Rauf Khan, Jemadar & W. Major.
Ram Singh, Risaldar.
2506 Rahmat Ali Khan, Sowar.
2100 Sheo Ram, Daffadar.

7th Hariana Lancers.

Carnegy, G. P. O., Major.
Cook, C. C, Lieutenant-Colonel.
Hunt, J. V., Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Trench, C. F., Captain.
Balwant Singh, Risaldar.
Chet Ram, Risaldar.
Milki Singh, Risaldar.
Thakur Singh, Jemadar.
3376 Barayan Singh, Lance-Daffadar.
3590 Tulsi Ram, Daffadar.

8th Cavalry.

Mears, C. D., Major, M.V.O. (attached 16th Cavalry).

9th Hudson's Horse.

2870 Mir Hussain, Sowar (W. O. attached 111th I. F. A.).

10th Lancers.

Willoughby, M. G. P., Lieutenant (attached 16th Cavalry).

16th Cavalry.

Hill, H. W. D., Captain.
Whitford-Hawkey, H., Lieutenant.
Agia Ram, Risaldar Major.
1029 Gurdit Singh, Kot Daffadar.

23rd Cavalry.

Sherer, J. C., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Younghusband, L. N., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Hissamuddin Khan, Risaldar-Major.

27th Cavalry.

891 Dalput Singh, Daffadar.

32nd Lancers.

Keogh, J. B., Major.

33rd Cavalry.

Collins, G. E., Captain.
Kenworthy, W., Captain.
Meiklejohn, J. F., Captain.
Sheldrick, A. H. W., 2nd Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Stack, C. S., Lieutenant-Colonel.
2695 Allauddin Khan, Sowar (attached 20th Cavalry).
2231 Alim Ali Khan, Sowar.
2283 Ismail Khan, Daffadar.
2827 Kasim Ali Khan, A. L. Daffadar.
3361 Mugli Khan, Sowar.
3501 Mukarrab Khan, Sowar.
3452 Nur Mohammed Khan, Lance-Daffadar.
3567 Rukmuddin Khan, A. L. Daffadar.
3225 Wazir Singh, Trumpeter.
3087 Yakub Khan, A. L. Daffadar.

36th Cavalry.

969 Kasim Khan, Sowar (attached 33rd Cavalry).
1169 Munshi Ram, Sowar (attached 33rd Cavalry).

MOUNTAIN ARTILLERY.

23rd Mountain Battery.

Hunt, W. M., Major.
Keogh, J. H., Major.
108 Ali Akbar, Naik.
34 Mehr Singh, Gunner.
4 Bagga Singh, Havildar.
108 Dewa Singh, Havildar.
71 Harnam Singh, Naik.
372 Sultan Bakhsh, Naik.

SAPPERS AND MINERS.

1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

Atkinson, W., Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Wheeler, E. O., Lieutenant.
3185 Henly, H. T., Q. M. S.
Abdul Aziz Khan, Subadar.
Alam Khan, Jemadar.
Fazal Shar, Subadar.
Harnam Singh, Jemadar.
Ram Rup Singh. Jemadar.
785 Bhoolan Khan, Naik.
1178 Kirpal Singh, Naik.
616 Manowar Shah, Col. Hav.
764 Sawan Singh, Naik.
939 Sharaf Din, Naik.
1856 Ramayan Singh, Hav.

2nd Q. V. O. Sappers and Miners.

Bradney, E., Captain.
Cruickshank, A. J. Lieutenant.
Pemberton, S., Captain.
Anthoni, Jemadar.
Hanumantu, Subadar.
Punnusama, Jemadar.
4214 Arumugam, Sapper.
4167 Chinnapanikar, Sapper.
4127 Chokilingam, Sapper.
4127 David, L.-Naik.
3604 Krishna Sami, Naik (T. Hav.).
4170 Loganadah, Naik.
3831 Narayansami, Sapper.
2948 Ramasami, Hav.
2782 Thandaravan, Hav.
3786 Vellavan, Naik.

3rd Sappers and Miners.

Arbuthnot, A. D. S., Captain.
Everett, M., Captain.
Mair, R., 2nd-Lieut., I. A. R. O.
Venables, A. V., 2nd-Lieut., I. A. R. O.
Sardar Khan, Jemadar.
2764 Amir Ali, Hav.

2864 Sardar Ali. Hav.
3167 Chanda Singh, Hav.
3108 Gurmuk Singh, Naik.
4116 Mahtab Khan, Sapper.

Wireless Signal Squadron.

Wilkinson, R. J., 2nd-Lt., I. A. R. O.
12 Nicholson, G., 2nd-Corpl.
18 Petchey, J., Corpl.
19 Saif Ali, L.-Naik (attd. 7th Div. Sig. Coy.).

Signal Troops.

586 Jones, E., Sergeant (7th Queen's O. Hussars).

1-3rd I. A. C. Signal Company.

Le Cornu, C. G. S., Captain (56th Rifles).
8308 Chapman, C. W., Corpl.
Hubble, S. Sergt. (I. M. List).
20 Tutty, H., L.-Cpl. (I. U. L.).
16[illegible]0 Sirdar Khan, Sepoy (108th Infy.).

3rd Divisional Signal Company.

Morse, L. H., Captain.
Pott, D., Captain (13th Lancers).
43 Elmes, A. G., Sergt.
18 Fiddes, A., Sergt.
26 Kinnard, G. H., Sergt. (U.L.).
Lehru, Subadar.
57 Allah Dad Khan, L.-Naik.
1156 Indar Singh, Naik (3rd Horse).
1626 Singar Khan, Sepoy.
3 Khan, Sapper-Sowar.
5 Umar Din, Hav.

7th Divisional Signal Company.

Allen, H. I., Captain (North Staffs).
St. John, F. O., Captain (1st Royal Scots).
9420 Collier, S., C. S. M. (Welsh Regt.).
14859 Farwaker, T., S.-Sergt. (R. Es.).
9030 Munn, H., Private (2nd Leicesters).
10 Pearson, H. H., Sergeant.
2251 Abdul Gafoor, L.-Naik (17th Infantry).
1476 Bur Singh, Hav. (89th Punjabis).

544 Imam Baksh, Hav. (5th Mule Corps).
1209 Mohommed Fazal, Sepoy (69th Punjabis).
10 Puran Singh, Hav.

33rd Divisional Signal Company.

Pelly, H. R., Captain (89th Punjabis).
Warden, W. R., Captain (75th Infantry).

12th Divisional Signal Company.

Radley, H. P., Lieutenant (72nd Punjabis).
7968 Harrison, G. E., Private.
93 Karam Dad, L.-Naik.
84 Hari Singh, Sapper.

INDIAN INFANTRY.

2nd Rajputs.

Griffith, W. R. C., Captain.
Noyes, C. B., Captain.
Pahlad Singh, Jemadar.
Raghubir Singh, Jemadar.
2157 Bihari Singh, Sepoy.
2304 Chunni Singh, Sepoy.
1424 Desraj Singh, Hav.
1789 Harnam Singh, Sepoy.
2241 Kankaiva Singh, Sepoy.
2006 Mittar Singh, L.-Naik.
1859 Mukund Singh, Hav.
2202 Pahluram, Bugler.
1860 Ramsarup Singh, Sepoy.
2379 Richpal Singh, Sepoy.
1779 Udai Singh, Hav.

3rd Brahmans.

White, W. E., Lt.-Col.

6th Jats L. I.

Ives, G., 2nd-Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Mcpherson, A. B., Captain.
Ross, R. C., Captain.
Wells, F. W. A., Captain.
3751 Dezram, Sepoy.
3574 Kenaya, Sepoy.
4075 Ram Singh, Sepoy.

3619 Sukh Ram, Naik.
3495 Siri Chand, L.-Naik.
3852 Sheo Ram, Sepoy.
3857 Maya Ram, Sepoy.

9th Bhopals.

Jamieson, G. A., Major.
Roberts, F. C., 2nd-Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Smith, H. H., Major (T.).
Buniad Ali, Jemadar.
Gobind Singh, Subadar.
Sheodarshan Tiwari, Subadar.
3398 Chatta Singh, Sepoy.

10th Jats.

3353 Bhola, Sepoy (attd. 6th Jats).

11th Rajputs.

Ward, C. H., Lieutenant-Colonel.

19th Punjabis.

Heath, L. M., Captain (attd. 59th Rifles).
Abdulla Shah, Subadar (attd. 59th Rifles).
1194 Lal Khan, L.-Naik (attd. 59th Rifles).
1385 Muhamed Islam, Sepoy (attd. 53rd Sikhs).
1635 Said Abbas, Sepoy (attd. 59th Rifles).

23rd Sikh Pioneers.

Renney, H. F., Captain (attd. 34th Pioneers).
4268 Lahora Singh, Lance-Naik (attd. 34th Pioneers).

24th Punjabis.

Gul Akbar, Subadar.

25th Punjabis.

Hakam Khan, Subadar (attd. 59th Rifles).
2361 Kajir Khan, Havildar (attd. 59th Rifles).

26th Punjabis.

Fulton, J. D., Captain (T.).
Walton, L. B., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Gul Akbar, Subadar.
1739 Labh Singh, Sepoy.
4711 Sher Singh, Sepoy.

27th Punjabis.

Carey, O. W., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Pitman, C. R. S., Lieutenant.
Rolt, P. J., Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Vernon, H. B., Captain.
Aman Gul, Subadar.
Bhusawa Singh, Jemadar.
Mir Akbar, Sub-Major.
2244 Hira Singh, Havildar.
4642 Makhmad Din, L.-Naik.
231 Pahlwan Khan, L.-Naik.
4851 Santa Singh, L.-Naik.

28th Punjabis.

Chichester, A. G. de V., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Norrish, E. B. H., 2nd-Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Nugent, J. F. H., Captain (T.).
Tomkins, H. L., Bt. Lieutenant-Colonel, D. S. O.
Mirza Khan, Jemadar.
Tara Singh, Jemadar.
Gulmir, Subadar-Major.
Sundar, Subadar-Major.
810 Gul Baz, L.-Naik.
980 Lachman Singh, Sepoy.
474 Lakham, Sepoy.
4204 Mohamed Din, Sepoy.
4186 Multan, Havildar.
3837 Nizam Din, Naik.
3810 Jiwan Singh, Havildar.
830 Gopal Singh, Sepoy.
4350 Ghulam Sarwar, Havildar.

29th Punjabis.

Campbell, J., Captain (attd. 92nd Punjabis).

34th Sikh Pioneers.

Bailey, P. H. H., Captain.
Cullen, E. H. S., Lieut.-Col., C.M.G., M.V.O., D.S.O.
Hickman, H. T. D., Captain.
Natha Singh, Subadar.
1560 Sham Singh, Havildar.
1740 Mangal Singh, Havildar.
1613 Tara Singh, Colour-Havildar.

35th Sikhs.

Gunning, O., Lieut.-Col, C.M.G. (attd. 36th Sikhs).
McDonald, R. W., Major (T) (attd. 36th Sikhs).
Dula Singh, Subadar (attd. 47th Sikhs).
Mula Singh, Jemadar (attd. 36th Sikhs).
2103 Bir Singh, Havildar.

36th Sikhs.

Elkington, H. O., Lieutenant.
Grey, J., Captain.
Knox, E. F., Major.
Harnam Singh, Jemadar.
Jaimal Singh, Subadar.
Sewa Singh, Jemadar.
4439 Atma Singh, Sepoy.
4157 Bakhshish Singh, Sepoy.
3871 Dalip Singh, Sepoy.
3402 Nahar Singh, Sepoy.
3543 Nand Singh, Sepoy.
3550 Sucha Singh, Naik.
3358 Sundar Singh, L.-Naik.

37th Dogras.

Andrews, H. A, Lieutenant (attd. 41st Dogras).
Dunlop, C. A.M., Captain (attd. 41st Dogras).
McCrea, A. C., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Nicholson, F. L., Captain.
Nicholson, W. H., Major (killed).
Chaggar Singh, Subadar-Major.
Tega, Subadar.

41st Dogras.

Bignell, R. L., Major (T.)
Lindop, A. H. E., Lieutenant (died of wounds).
501 Lala, L.-Naik.
724 Partap Singh, Naik.
894 Kehar Singh, Sepoy.
1247 Bhop Singh, L-Naik.

42nd Deoli Regiment.

Burnett, R. F. D., Captain (attd. 89th Punjabis).
Mallock, A. R. O, Captain.

47th Sikhs.

Davidson, S. R., Bt. Lt.-Col.
Drysdale, A. E., Captain.
Phelps, A. A., 2nd Lieut.
Rooth, A. V., 2nd Lieut., I. A. R. O.
Faruja Singh, Jemadar.
1090 Dewa Singh, Havildar.
2362 Dial Singh, Sepoy.
633 Hazara Singh, Havildar.
3319 Jewala Singh, Havildar.
728 Mastan Singh, Naik.
999 Ram Singh, Naik.
4037 Saudagar Singh, Sepoy.
4010 Serain Singh, Bugler.

51st Sikhs.

Beadon, W., Lieut.-Col. (Killed).
Beddy, P. L., Major.
Forbes, H., Captain.
Knapp, P. E., Major (Killed).
Lockhart, R. M. M., Lieut.
Akbar Khan, Jemadar.
Bhagwan Singh, Subedar.
Bhagat Singh, Subedar.
Khan Baz Khan, Subedar.
Labh Singh, Jemadar.
Sher Gul, Subedar.
1446 Barkat Shah, Havildar.
2042 Habib Shah, Sepoy.
435 Karram Singh, L.-Naik.
1189 Khan Khel, Naik.
1561 Mangtu, Sepoy.
1288 Prem Singh, Havildar.
1940 Zunda Khan, Sepoy.
853 Hazara Singh, Naik.
1623 Awal Khan, L.-Naik.
1363 Chathu, Sepoy.
225 Sundar Singh, Havildar.
2843 Sundar Singh, Sepoy.

52nd Sikhs.

Gordon, J. G. B., Captain (attached 59th Rifles).

2217 Bahadur Shah, Hav. (attached 59th Rifles).
2665 Ghulam Hassan, Naik (attached 59th Rifles).
2266 Indar Singh, Hav. (attached 59th Rifles).
2989 Sander Singh, Naik (attached 59th Rifles).

53rd Sikhs.

Bruce, G. E., Captain.
Chapman, G. H., Capt. (since deseased).
Davies, C. H., Lieut.-Col., D. S. O.
Finnis, J. F., Lieut.-Col. (died of wounds).
Hadden, A., 2nd Lieut., I. A. R. O.
Ghulam Mahomed, Jemadar.
Mangal Singh, Sub.-Major.
Santa Singh, Subedar (died of wounds.)
2710 Arjan Singh, Havildar.
376 Bazan Ali, Sepoy.
3353 Harbens Singh, Naik.
3276 Mir Awas, Havildar.
4176 Saudagar Singh, Sepoy.
3451 Tara Singh, Naik.
3175 Arjan Singh, Naik.

54th Sikhs.

28 Jhanna Singh, Sepoy (attached 53rd Sikhs).

55th Rifles.

de Butts, F. C., Captain.

56th Rifles.

Browne, F. D., Major (died of wounds).
Curtis, O. O., Lieutenant.
Woodhouse, R. C. H., Lieutenant (died of wounds).
Mardan Ali, Subedar.
2353 Bagga Singh, Sepoy.
1532 Bishn Singh, Sepoy.
2694 Dehru Khan, Sepoy.
2452 Lahrasab Khan, Lance-Naik.
2498 Suba Singh, Sepoy.
468 Walidad, Colour-Havildar.

59th Scinde Rifles.

Inskip, R. D., Captain.
Leeds, T. L., Bt. Lieut.-Colonel.

Stirling, H. F. D., Captain.
Sahib Haq, Jemadar.
Tola Singh, Subedar.
4551 Ali Faqir, Lance-Naik.
4104 Gundarab Singh, Naik.
3590 Mit Singh, Havildar.
3601 Saida Khan, Lance-Naik.

62nd Punjabis.

Grimshaw, Lieut-Colonel (killed).
Harrington, H. H., Lieut.-Colonel.
Morse, L. H., Captain.
Wemyss, A. F., 2nd Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
558 Mahl Singh, Havildar.
1966 Moti Singh, Lance-Naik.

64th Pioneers.

Watson, S. B., Major.

66th Punjabis.

1903 Santa Singh, Sepoy (attached 92nd Punjabis).
2210 Tilok Singh, Sepoy (attached 92nd Punjabis).

67th Punjabis.

Colan, W. R. B., Lieutenant-Colonel.

82nd Punjabis.

Morris, C. T., Major.
Tweddell, H., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Hira Singh, Subedar.
1413 Kesar Singh, Sepoy.
2000 Sadda Ram, Sepoy.

89th Punjabis.

Crawford, J. D., Captain.
Geoghegan, N. M., Major.
Wood, P., Captain.
Allayar Khan, Subedar.
Gulab Khan, Subedar.
1218 Bahadur Khan, Bugle Major.
2225 Bhagel Singh, L.-Naik.
1334 Ghulam Muhammed, Colour-Havildar.
1653 Gurdit Singh, Havildar.

2495 Harnam Singh, Sepoy.
1766 Jageo Dube, Havildar.
1841 Mahtab Ali, Naik.
2824 Nawab Khan, Sepoy.
1585 Sakkhi Muhammad, Colour Havildar.
2720 Saudagar Khan, Sepoy.
1605 Shahmad Khan, Naik.
2578 Sher Muhammad, Sepoy.
2378 Teja Singh, Havildar.
1903 Wadhawa Singh, L -Naik.

91st Punjabis.

Nixon, C. H. F., Captain (attached 41st Dogras).

92nd Punjabis.

Bland, E. G., 2nd Lieut., I. A. R. O.
Clibborn, C. H., Captain.
Cloete, H. D., Captain.
Fawcett, E. B , Captain.
Fox-Male, W. C. E. T., Captain.
Maclachlan, T. R., Lieut -Colonel
Taylor, N. C , Captain
Abdul Akbar, Jemadar.
Pertab Singh, Jemadar.
2907 Channan Singh, L.-Naik.
1610 Diwan Ali, L.-Naik.
2353 Harnam Singh, L.-Naik
1906 Ghulam Mahommed, Sepoy.
1585 Nanga Khan, L.-Naik.
2470 Mast Khan, Sepoy.
Rahim Dad (2120), Sepoy.
2484 Sapooran Singh, Sepoy.
2022 Sohan Singh, Sepoy.
2052 Tek Singh, Naik.
2690 Tilok Singh, Sepoy.
1826 Ahmed Khan, Sepoy.
2735 Ashar Singh, Sepoy.
2605 Baz Singh, Sepoy.

93rd Infantry.

Cummings, E , Captain.
Haycraft, W. C. S., Lieutenant.
Morgan, B. E., Captain (T. Major).

Simpson, W. H., Major.
Subedar Fazal Hussein.
2646 Bahadur Khan, Naik.
2922 Ghulam Muhammad, Sepoy.
2828 Bhan Singh, Sepoy.
2818 Kishen Singh, Sepoy

94th Infantry.

Martin, J., Major (T.) (attached 6th Jats).

95th Infantry.

Goldsmith, H. A., Captain, (Commanding Jaipur Transport Train).

96th Berar Infantry.

Lane, H. P., Lieutenant-Colonel.

97th Infantry.

De Lisle, R. deB , 2nd-Lieutenant.
Jenkins, R. A., Captain (killed).
Menzies, V. G., Major.
Preston, W. J. P., Major.
2188 Shaikh Fakir Mohammed, Havildar.

102nd Grenadiers.

Boome, E. H., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Coats, S. B., Captain.
Stockley, J. P., Major (killed).
Subedar Agdi Singh.
Jemadar Khan Muhammed.
2737 Bohut Ram, Lance-Naik.
2702 Mamchand Ram, Lance-Naik.
2926 Hira Ram, Sepoy.

104th Rifles.

Butler, H. M., Major.
Kiddle, J. A. C., 2nd-Lieutenant (I.A.R.O., attached 125th Rifles).

106th Hazara Pioneers.

Ashburner, H. W., Major (attached 107th).
Ali Shafa, Jemadar.
1239 Raz Ali, Sepoy (attached 107th).
1859 Sher Muhammed, Sepoy (attached 107th).

107th Pioneers.

Hari Singh, Subedar.

Laximan Jankas, Subedar.
Muhammed Sharif, Jemadar.
906 Ali Shafa, Naik.
3274 Bolaka Singh, Havildar.
829 Haidar Ali, Colour-Havildar.
771 Juma Ali, Havildar.
4340 Narayan Kadam, Havildar.
1385 Nawaz Khan, Havildar.
3293 Nizam Khan, Naik.
399 Shah Ghasi, Havildar.
4654 Kadir Khan, Sepoy.

110th Mahrattas.

Frazer, G. S., Colonel.

116th Mahrattas.

Murari Sinde, Subedar (attached 102nd Grenadiers).
826 Vithal Rao Kathar, Naik (attached Comp. Mahratta Battalion).

117th Mahrattas.

Potter, R. J. K., Captain.
White, A. W., Captain.

120th Infantry.

912 Asghar Ali, Lance-Naik (attached 125th Rifles).

121st Pioneers.

Macleod, W. B., Captain (attached 107th Pioneers).
Tugwell, W. B. F., Captain (attached 107th Pioneers).
1381 Naurang Khan, Havildar (attached 107th Pioneers).

123rd Rifles.

1470 Nur Din, Rifleman (attached 125th Rifles).

124th Baluchistan Infantry.

Chauncy, C. H. K., Major (attached 47th Sikhs).

125th Napier's Rifles.

Hughes, L. W., Lieutenant.
Maynard, F. H., Captain.
Ruda Ram, Subadar.
Gopi Singh, Subadar.
2436 Goru Ram, Rifleman.
2398 Jeysat Ram, Rifleman.

2327 Mukanda Ram, Lance-Naik.
2370 Seochand Ram, Lance-Naik.
1771 Sher Khan, Havildar.
3886 Ahmed Khan, Bugle-Major.
2674 Makla Ram, Rifleman.
2637 Pertab Singh, Colour-Havildar.
2691 Mangna Ram, Rifleman.
2128 Ramnath Singh, Havildar.

127th Baluchis.

672 Fateh Muhammed, Sepoy.

128th Pioneers.

Birch, H., Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Creagh, A. H. D., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Farebrother, F. H., Captain.
Kriekenbeek, R. E. E., Major.
Karm Singh, Subedar.
Krishna Bhosle, Subedar.
Sher Afzal, Jemadar.
Krishna Jadhow, Naik.

1-1st Gurkhas.

Anderson, W. C., Lieut-Colonel.
Baldwin, M. C., Captain.
Keatinge, F. W., 2nd-Lieut., I A.R.O.
Pahar Singh Gurung, Jemadar.
2540 Gangamani Thapa, Riflemen.
1606 Jasbir Newar, Naik.

1-2nd Gurkha Rifles.

Harka Sing Gurung, Jemadar.
Khamba Sing Gurung, Rifleman.
Lal Sing Rama, Havildar
Lal Bahadur Gurung, Havildar.
Atibal Gurung, Havildar.
Padam Sing Thapa, Rifleman.
Raskar Gurung, Rifleman.

1-4th Gurkha Rifles.

Phayre, R. B., Captain.

2-7th Gurkha Rifles.

1830 Danbir Rai, Sepoy (attached 3rd F. A.).

1-9th Gurkhas.

Berry, E. F., Lieut.
Mackinnon, A. C. B., Captain.
Birkesar Sahi, Jemadar.
Ratan Bir Khattri, Subedar.
Tikaram Majhi, Subedar.
4977 Kubir Nam Rai, Rifleman (Assam M. P.).
1490 Kul Bahadur Karki, Havildar.
2412 Lal Bahadur Sen, Havildar.
1893 Matbar Thapa, Naik.

Supply and Transport Corps.

Bond, G. W. Major.
Brown, W., Captain.
Campbell, W., Captain.
Carrigan, P., Dep. Com. and Hon. Capt.
Carter, F. G., Lieut.
Dallas, A.E., Lieut.-Golonel.
De laMotte, R.B , Captain.
Edgerley, W. J., Asst. Com. and Hon. Lieut.
Evans, R. J., Lieut., I.A.R.O.
Fulton, F. C. R., Lieut -Col. (tempy. Colonel).
Flashman, H. C., Lieut.
Frost, F. D., Captain.
Gilbert, H. H., Captain
Gilbertson, G., Captain.
Hume-Spry, W. E., Captain.
Hurst, I., Lieut.
Lyttle, W. J., Lieut. (Asst. Comy.).
Lyster, C. J. H., Captain.
MacMahon, H. F. E., Major.
Morris, C. O., Major.
Polle, I. M. C., Major.
Preston, E. E., Major.
Robinson, C. W., Major.
Rowan-Robinson, J. R., Major (T.)
Stevenson, H. D. M., Captain.
Williams, W., Lieut. and Asst. Commissary.
Wright, R., Lieut, and Asst. Commissary.
Bennett, E., Sub-Conductor.
Bingham, E. G., Conductor.
Brown, W. H., Staff Sergeant.

Cheesman, E. J., Conductor.
Darby, W. A., Conductor.
Dunne, J., Sub-Conductor.
Edgerley, H. F., Sub-Conductor.
Gates, T. H., Sub-Conductor.
Gordon, W. D., Conductor (12th Mule Corps).
Graham, R., Sub-Conductor.
Heywood, T., Staff Sergeant.
Mackiernan, E. J., Sub-Conductor.
Martinant, E., Staff Sergeant.
North, S. A., Ditto.
Pailthorpe, H. N., Ditto.
Tanner, P., Ditto.
Thomas, W. H., Sub-Conductor.
Waugh, C. R., Ditto
Jall, A. M., Clerk (6th Grade).
Ragunath Rai, 6th grade clerk.
39 Bahadur Khan, Duffadar (7th Mule Corps).
Dewan Chand, Temporary 1st Class Agent.
533 Mir Zaman, Naick (2nd Mule Corps).
317 Tiwana Khan, Naick (5th Mule Corps) (attd. 128th Pioneers).
Ram Chunder Agarwal, 3rd grade clerk.
121 Feroze Din, Kot Duffr (26th Mule Corps).
Rahim Ali, Naick, Temy. Duffr., Cavalry Grass Mule Corps.
Sher Ali, Naick 30th Mule Corps.
Mukerjee, J. C., 4th grade clerk.
Muhammad Latafat Hussain, 2nd grade clerk.

Indian Medical Service.

Anderson, S., Bt. Lieut.-Colonel.
Bannerjee, M. N., Tempy. Lieutenant.
Bradley, R. J., Major.
Canteenvalla, J. P., Temporary Lieutenant.
Connor, F. P., Major.
Fraser, F. C., Captain.
Fitzgerald, D. C., Captain.
Gillitt, W., Major.
Gross, E. S., Captain.
Goodbody, C. M., Major, D. S. O.
Green-Armytage, P. D., Captain.
Hamilton, W. H., Captain.
Herrick, R. de S. B., Captain.

Hislop, J. H., Captain.
Horton, J. H., Major, D. S. O.
Jones, J. W., Captain.
Kelsall, R., Major
Kirwan, Captain.
Lack, L. A. H., Captain.
Lloyd, R. A., Major.
Mackworth, N. W., Major.
Martin, J. S. S., Captain.
Macgregor, R. F. D., Captain.
Nott, A. H., Lieut.-Colonel.
Patton, W. S., Major.
Perry, E. L., Lieut.-Colonel.
Rai Diwan Hakumat, Captain.
Rowntree, H. K., Captain.
Shaw, C. C. C., Captain.
Sinton, J. A., Captain.
Sweet, R., Captain.
Sundar Das Sondhi, Lieutenant.
Wells, R. T., Captain.
White, W. W., Colonel.
Jyotilal Sen, Captain.

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

Aling, G. E., 4th Class Assistant Surgeon.
Blaker, G. H., 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon.
Coombes, W. K., 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon.
D'Nette, C. I., 4th Class Assistant Surgeon.
Eates, E. A., 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon.
Lamond, J. D. M., 4th Class Assistant Surgeon.
Lopez, W. J., 2nd Class Assistant Surgeon.
MacQueen, H. G. S., Honorary Lieutenant.
Montgomery, J. P., Assistant Surgeon.
Murphy, R. T., Honorary Captain.
Newbold, J. W., 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon.
Perreira, W. A. C., 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon.
Pettigrew, R. W., 1st Class Assistant Surgeon.
Rodrigues, J. M., Assistant Surgeon.
Rosemeyer, J. F. C., 4th Class Assistant Surgeon.
Wrafter, G. T., 4th Class Assistant Surgeon.
Williamson, J., 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon.
Tilok Singh, Subedar, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 51st Sikhs).

Balmukand, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1164 Chuhar Singh, 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 59th Rifles).

1315 Gopinath Agarwal, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 1-9th Gurkha Rifles).

1329 Harnam Singh, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1074 Jeswant Singh, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1105 Karta Ram, Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 6th Jats).

Lal Singh, Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1362 Raj Singh, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

Redkar, A. A., 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1271 Sudama Ram, 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 1-1st Gurkha Rifles).

1406 Suraj Pal, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 37th Dogras).

Dan Singh Rai, Head Clerk (3rd Division A.D.M.S. Office).

Karam Chand, Subedar, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

863 Jit Singh, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

829 Luchman Das, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

Mahomed Kazim, Subedur, 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

263 Mokan Lal Nagesar Shukla, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1262 M. Hira Singh, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

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4430 Abdulla Khan,	Bearer.
2474 Ali Gauhar,	„
8044 Bearose,	„
8032 Beni,	Lance-Naick.
1519 Faiz Mahomed,	Bearer.
3369 Fatha,	„
8118 Ganga Din,	„
5235 Ganga Ram,	„
7035 Girdhari,	„
3181 Kadhae,	„
7159 Komil,	„
4304 Mahomed Khan,	„
7159 Mewa Ram,	„
5196 Mangal,	Lance-Naick.
8808 Namgay,	„
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3513 Ram Singh,	„
3032 Sadu Singh,	Naick.

3536 Sir Bahadur, Bearer.

3225 Tota, „

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Royal Flying Corps.

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Divisional and Brigade Headquarters Staffs.

Annesley ...	Colonel, A.S.R., Supply and Transport Corps.
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Chitty ...	Colonel, W.W., 119th Infantry.
Courtenay ...	Lieutenant-Colonel, N.H., R.G.A.
Crawley ...	2nd-Lieutenant, C.P., 2nd Dorset Regiment.
Daniell ...	Captain, H.J., 20th Infantry.
Davie ...	Major, J.H.M., 34th Poona Horse.

Divisional and Brigade Headquarters Staffs—contd.

Delamain	...	Major-General, W S., C B., D.S.O.
Dunn	...	Major, E.G., Royal Irish Rifles.
Evans	...	Colonel, U.W., C.B., R.E.
Forbes	...	Major, E.E., Supply and Transport Corps.
Gilchrist	...	Captain, W.F.C., 52nd Sikhs.
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Hamilton	...	Brigadier-General, W.G., C.B., D.S.O.
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Hoghton	...	Brigadier-General, F.A.
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Julius	...	Major, S. deV.A., Royal Sussex Regiment.
Melliss	...	Major-General Sir C J., V.C., K.C B.
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Mullan	...	Reverend Father J., R.C. Chaplain.
Peel	...	Captain, B.G., 81st Pioneers.
Snell	...	Lieutenant, W., 1-4th Devon Regiment.
Spooner	...	Reverend H., C. of E. Chaplain.
Wilson	...	Lieutenant Colonel, F.A., R.E.
Wilson	...	Captain, N.M., 2-7th Gurkha Rifles.
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Sergeant W. North	...	Corps of Military Staff Clerks.
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Subadar Lehna Singh	...	48th Pioneers.

No. 1343 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon S. Mannikhan, I.S.M.D.

No. 1487 L.-Daffadar Nazir Khan	...	5th Cavalry.

Royal Artillery Staff.

Halford	...	Captain, E.S.
No. 70343	...	Gunner R. Glidhill.

Headquarters, 10th Brigade, R.F.A.

Harvey	...	Major, A.F.B.
Maule	...	Lieutenant-Colonel, H.N. St. J.
Bonaker	...	Armament Quarter Master Serjeant, A.O.C.

63rd Battery, R.F.A.

Broke Smith	...	Major, H.
Carlisle	...	Captain, T.R.M.
Mc Neal	...	Lieutenant, H.S.D.

No 4320	...	Sergeant J. Spicer.
No. 62209	...	Driver P. Maxfield.
No. 20360	...	Bombr. A. Smith.

76th Battery, R.F.A.

Dorling	...	Captain, L.H.G. (wounded).
Lloyd	...	Major, O.S.
No. 24618	...	S. Sergeant A. A. Thomas.
No. 44520	...	Bombr. A. Muston.
No. 48051	...	Gunner A. Gooding.
No. 1310	...	Sergeant F. Skellern.
No. 50825	...	Bombr. D. Honey (?).

82nd Battery, R.F.A.

Baylay	...	Captain, E. J L.
Corbould-Warren	...	Major, E.
No. 2445	...	Battery Sergeant Major F. Wilford.
No. 41097	...	Sergeant E. Hye.
No. 66284	...	A. Bombr. G. W. Wilford
No. 5923	...	Sergeant A. G. Cleaver.

6th Divisional Ammunition Column.

Martin	...	Captain, E. T. (severely wounded).
No. 31143	...	Battery Sergeant Major C. E. Warner.
No. 52432	...	Gunner E. Cavanagh.
No. 23257	...	Battery Quarter Master Sergeant W. J. Reeve.

1-5th Hants Howitzer Battery (T.)

Thomson, H. G.	...	Major (severely wounded).
No. 89235	...	Battery Sergeant Major A. Hill.
No. 4545	...	Driver H. A. Stubbs.

86th Heavy Battery, R.G.A.

Alexander	...	Major, R. C. J.
Lowndes	...	Captain, R. C.
No. 28164	...	Gunner F. Pannell.
No. 28766	...	Bombr. W. Dorrington.
No. 27436	...	Bombr. G. Moore.

104th (Heavy) Battery, R.G.A.

Farmar	...	Major, W. C. R.
Guise	...	Captain, V. R.
Johnston	...	Lieutenant, M.A.B.

Parsons	...	2nd-Lieutenant R. G.
No. 900	...	Corporal S. S. A. Honey.
No. 32050	...	Gunner A. Oddy.
No. 26396	...	Gunner V. Cunningham.
No. 20443	...	Bombr. H. Harper.
No. 26075	...	Gunner W. J. Bailey.

Volunteer Artillery Battery.

Anderson	...	Major A. J. (wounded), Rangoon Artillery Volunteers.
Davern	...	Lieutenant F. B. (wounded).
Freeland	...	Captain K. F., R. G. A.
No. 32	...	Sergeant R. T. Heals.
Company Sergeant Major		M. Winchester.
No. 12	...	Sergeant J. G. Rolls.

Maxim Battery.

Stockley	...	Captain C. H., 66th Punjabis.
No. 8644	...	Pte. Lincoln, 2nd Battalion, Norfolk Regiment.
No. 8450	...	Pte. F. S. Elsden, 2nd Battalion, Norfolk Regiment.
No. 3953 Havildar	...	Chanan Singh, 119th Infantry.
No. 1915 L.-Naik	...	Kark Bahadur, 2-7th Gurkha Rifles (wounded).
No. 4127 Sepoy	...	Bhaannear Singh, 119th Infantry (wounded).
No 3985 L.-Naik	...	Tika, 119th Infantry.
No. 1220 Sepoy	...	Teg Singh, 66th Punjabis.
No 1003 Sepoy	...	Sahel Singh, 120th Infantry.

Royal Engineers.

Barker	...	Major J. S., M. V. O.
Colbeck	...	Captain C.E., R.E., Sirmur Imperial Sappers.
Spink	...	2nd-Lieutenant H.H.M., I.A.R.O.
Tomlinson	...	Captain H.W., R.E.
Winsloe	...	Major H. E. (wounded).
Company Sergeant-Major		G. Belliss.
Sergeant	...	A. H. Baker
Staff Sergeant	...	W. Kearsley.
Sergeant	...	E. Toleman.

2nd Battalion, The Norfolk Regiment.

Clifton	...	Lieutenant H. A., 8th Battalion, East Surrey Regiment attached.
Lodge	...	Major F. C.
Osmond	...	Captain T. E., R.A.M.C.

Portsmouth	...	Lieutenant F. V.
Read	...	Lieutenant J. F. W.
Richardson	...	Lieutenant and Qr. Mr. J. T. (wounded).
No. 6031.	...	A. Company, Sergeant-Major F. Dermott.
No. 5807	...	A. Company, Sergeant-Major B. Richards.
No. 7868	...	Private J. Crane.
No. 7913	...	Private A. Stewart.
No. 6668	...	A. Sergeant E. Riches.
No. 799	...	A Sergeant L. Aniers, 1-10th Middlesex Regiment.
No. 7476	...	Lance-Corporal R. Adamson.
No. 7313	...	Lance-Corporal A. Hilling.
No. 5245	...	Private A. Piggin.
No. 8363	...	Private F. Wilby.
No. 7697	...	Private A. Catchpole (killed in action).
No. 7839	...	Private A. Barnes.
No. 7971	...	Private H. Cotton.
No. 7400	...	Private E. Brarman.
No. 7720	...	Sergeant F. Batten.
No. 8530	...	Sergeant W. M. Jones, 2nd Bn., East Surrey Regiment.
No. 3840	...	A. Corporal E. Thouless.
No. 7494	...	Lance-Corporal G. Rane.
No. 1766	...	Lance-Corporal J. Clench, 1-8th Middlesex Regiment.
No. 8569	...	Private A. Wilkins.
No. 7940	...	Private F. Gilbert.
No. 8310	...	Private C. Collinson (wounded).
No. 4762	...	Private W. Phillips.
No. 7665	...	Private S. L. Gutteridge.
No. 1681	...	Private W. Swan, 1-10th Middlesex Regiment.

1-4th Hampshire Regiment.

Floyd	...	Captain A. B., 2nd Bn., Norfolk Regiment.
Footner	...	Major F. L.
Reeks	...	Captain N.
No. 73	...	A. Company, Sergeant-Major W. Crosby.
No. 149	...	A. Company, Qr. Mr. Sergeant A. W. Bogie.
No. 2462	...	Corporal A. H. Blake.
No. 491	...	Sergeant Mr. Cook A. Hadgeman.
No. 1538	...	Sergeant H. Hawkins, 2-4th Hampshire Regiment.
No. 2353	...	Sergeant A. L. Page.
No. 846	...	Sergeant R. Odell, 1-5th Hampshire Regiment.

2nd Battalion, The Dorset Regiment.

Herbert ... Major G. M., D.S.O.
Miller ... Lieutenant S.
Waldram ... Lieutenant H. G., 1-6th Devon Regiment.
No. 9068 ... Lance-Corporal J. Arnold.
No. 8940 ... Private A. Horne.
No. 8463 ... Private W. Kerley.
No. 7309 ... Sergeant F. Harvey.
No. 4766 ... Sergeant G. Barfoot.
No. 2078 ... Lance-Corporal A. Penny, 1-5th Somerset Light Infantry.
No. 7901 ... Serge[illegible]. Ireland.
No. 8309 ... Sergeant J. Parsons.
No. 8120 ... Private H. Blake.
No. 8554 ... Private J. Adams.

1st Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

Lethbridge ... Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. E., D.S.O.
Mason ... Lieutenant A. E.
Mundey ... Captain S. C. B.
Naylor ... Lieutenant G. (wounded).
Stanton ... Captain J., R.A.M.C.
No. 6097 ... Sergeant A. Purseglove.
No. 10497 ... Temporary Sergeant G. Trine, Highland Light Infantry.
No. 16140 ... Temporary Corporal R. Compton.
No. 8395 ... Lance-Corporal T. Swift.
No. 8987 ... Private W. Hicks.
No. 8654 ... Sergeant A. Eventt.
No. 9046 ... Lance-Sergeant S. Ballard.
No. 8454 ... Private C. Stokes.
No. 9673 ... Private E. Merritt.
No. 8593 ... Private W. Saxby (wounded).
No. 9920 ... Private C. Rakestrow.
No. 8818 ... Private W. Rankin.
No. 845 ... Private P. Devanney.

2nd Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).

Burns ... Lieutenant E. B., 1-5th The Buffs (T).
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Nelson ... Major J. W., D.S.O.
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No. 8413 ... Private A. Playford.

No. 8539	...	Private J. Westborne.
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No. 7909	...	Company Quartermaster-Sergeant E. Bough.
No. 8358	...	Private A. Barden.
No. 1515	...	Private W. Whiffen, 1-5th Royal West Kent Regiment.
No. 3628	...	Sergeant T. Dixon.
No. 9802	...	Lance-Corporal A. Brown.
No. 8505	...	Private S. Page.
No. 1893	...	Private A. Cooper, 1-5th Royal West Kent Regiment.

23rd Cavalry.

Kirkwood	...	Captain C. H. K.
Jemadar	...	Sahib Dad.
No. 954	...	Duffadar Mohammed Akhbar.
No. 1341	...	Duffadar Dundhe Khan.
No. 1596	...	Duffadar Mohammad Hafif.

17th Company, 3rd Sappers and Miners.

Yearsley	...	Lieutenant K. O., R.E.
No. 2276	...	Havildar Samundar Khan.
No. 3336	...	Sapper Kishawrao Mane.
No. 3457	...	Lance-Naik Sakaram Kale.
No. 4732	...	Sapper Ramchandar Chonse.
No. 3246	...	Naik Zaman Ali.
No. 8275	...	Lance-Naik Sukha Singh.
No. 3111	...	Sapper Gujrat Singh.
No. 4496	...	Sapper Gulam Hussain Singh (?).
No. 2544	...	Sapper Lall Singh.
No. 3802	...	Naik Bir Singh.
No. 3961	...	Lance-Naik Mangal Singh.
No. 2954	...	Sapper Khan Alam.
No. 4325	...	Sapper Nur Din.
No. 3184	...	Sapper Mahammadji.

22nd Company, 3rd Sappers and Miners.

Mathias	...	Lieutenant L. W. H., 128th Pioneers.
Matthews	...	Lieutanant A. B., R.E.
Subadar	...	Mahammad Din, I.O.M.
No. 2878	...	A.-Naik Son Singh.

No. 3075	...	Sapper Indar Singh.
No. 3625	...	Naik Herdal Singh.
No. 4067	...	Sapper Indar Singh.
No. 4587	...	Sapper Abdul Aziz.
No. 3963	...	A.-Havildar Muhammad Din Khan.
No. 4108	...	Lance-Naik Baz Khan.
No. 4668	...	Sapper Paras Ram Cori.
No. 3827	...	Sapper Feroz Khan.
No. 2560	...	Sapper Ramaya Kpraya.
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No. 4117	...	Sapper Butta Khan.
No. 4683	...	Sapper Nur Hasan.
No. 4620	...	Sapper Fazal Rasul.
No. 3004	...	Sapper Shaikh Doran.

34th Divisional Signal Company.

Cardew	...	Captain H. S., 39th Garwhal Rifles.
Gatherer	...	Lieutenant A. H. N., 46th Punjabis (wounded).
Mc Conville	...	2nd-Lieutenant J., King's Liverpool Regiment.
No. 41	...	Company Serjeant-Major F. Murphy.
No. 80	...	Sapper Subramani.

Wireless Squadron.

Greenwood	...	Lieutenant C. J. E, R. E.
No. 1	...	Squadron Quartermaster-Sergeant H. Locke.

Bridge Train.

Sandes	...	Captain E. W. C., R.E., 1st King George's Own S. and M.
Jemadar	...	Sadar Din, 1st K. G. O. Sappers and Miners.
No. 505.	...	Havildar Nawab.

Searchlight Section.

Stace	...	Captain R. E., R.E.
No. 9421	...	Lance-Corporal R. Read, 1-Ox and Bucks Light Infantry.

Works Company.

Mayo	...	2nd-Lieutenant F. (wounded).
Sub-Overseer	...	Kartar Singh, Sirmur Imperial Sappers.
No. 331	...	Naik Nik Singh (killed in action).

7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.

Arthur	...	Captain D., I. M. S.

Furneaux	...	2nd-Lieutenant T. E.
Parr	...	Lieutenant-Colonel H. O.
Thomson	...	Captain A. R.
Subadar	...	Daulat Singh, 8th Rajputs.
No. 1589	...	L.-Havildar Muttra Singh.
Subadar	...	Rambaran Singh.
No. 1800	...	Havildar Rambahadur Singh, 8th Rajputs.
No. 1748	...	Sepoy Balkaran Singh.
No. 1155	...	Havildar Shin Dayal Singh.
No. 1852	...	Naik Ramadhin Singh.
No. 2109	...	A.-Naik Shinmangal Singh.
No. 1715	...	Sepoy Ganpat Singh.

22nd Punjabis.

Sutherland	...	Captain A. O.
Wallace	...	Captain C. W.
Subadar	...	Badam Singh.
Jemadar	...	Hakim Singh.
No. 222	...	Sepoy Dalit Singh.
No. 162	...	Sepoy Dutep Singh.
No. 4605	...	Havildar Santa Singh.
No. 4751	...	Naik Bhakur Singh.
No. 370	...	L.-Naik Lair Singh.
No. 743	...	Sepoy Dhana Singh.

24th Punjabis.

Bignell	...	Captain C. A., 4th Rajputs.
Clifford	...	Captain R.O., I.M.S.
Cummins	...	Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. V.
Haig	...	Captain A. B.
No. 3779	...	Havildar Bhagwan Singh.

48th Punjabis.

Harward	...	Bt.-Colonel A. J. N.
Neumann	...	Major C. W. (wounded).
Raynor	...	Captain C. A.
Spackman	...	Captain W. C., I.M.S.
No. 1439	...	Naik Dewak Ram.
No. 1367	...	Sepoy Harpul.
No. 1523	...	L.-Naik Massa Singh.
No. 713	...	Binda Singh.
No. 2080	...	Sepoy Mangal Singh.
No. 1734	...	Sepoy Hira Singh.

66th Punjabis.

Corbett ...	Captain R. D. de la C., 48th Pioneers.
Moore ...	Lieutenant-Colonel A.
Jemadar ...	Muhammad Kasim.
No. 1181 ...	Naik Channan Singh.
No. 690 ...	Havildar Muzuffar Khan.
Subadar ...	Bishon Singh.
3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Barkat Ali, I. S. M. D.	
No. 1511 ...	Sepoy Sinna Khan.
No. 2273 ...	L.-Naik Bazza Singh.
No. 3013 ...	Havildar Chura Singh.
No. 336 ...	Havildar Sultan Khan.
No. 1071 ...	Havildar Lall Singh.
No. 1961 ...	L.-Naik Siltan Khan.

67th Punjabis.

Arbuthnot ...	2nd-Lieutenant H. H. (died of wounds).
Grant ...	Captain R. A. P., 112th Infantry (wounded).
Gribbon ...	Captain M. C. (killed in action).
Subadar ...	Mohamed Din (missing).
Jemadar ...	Fazal Hussain.
No. 4142 ...	Havildar Shera.
No. 132 ...	Havildar Mahan Singh.
No. 33 ...	Sepoy Mehra Din.
No. 2332 ...	Sepoy Nur Khan.
No. 1649 ...	Sepoy Fazal Dad (killed in action).
No. 1164 ...	Naik Grukar Ali.
No. 2332 ...	Sepoy Nur Khan.
No. 933 ...	Sepoy Mehr Din.
No. 4192 ...	Bugler Sher Shah, 112th Infantry (killed in action).

76th Punjabis.

Cotton ...	Major H. J., 99th Infantry.
Laing ...	Captain S. Van B.
Milford ...	Major E.
Reyne ...	Captain G. Van R. (wounded).
Rybot ...	Major N. V. L., D.S.O.
Subadar ...	Ghulam Muhammad Khan.
No. 414 ...	Havildar Narain Singh.
No. 693 ...	Havildar Valandar Khan.
No. 1033 ...	Havildar Feroz Khan.
No. 3821 ...	Sepoy Bhore Singh, 99th Infantry (wounded).

103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.

Brown	...	Lieutenant-Colonel W. H.
Goldfrap	...	Captain H. W. (wounded).
Hinds	...	Lieutenant W. A. G. (wounded).
Leigh-Bennett	...	2nd-Lieutenant P. R., I. A. R. O.
Reynolds	...	Lieutenant B. W. R.
Thorne	...	Major A. C D. (severely wounded).
Subadar Major	...	Ramchandar Rao Mohite (killed in action).
Subadar	...	Sirpate Kidam.
Subadar	...	Illasdar Khan.
Subadar	...	Eshwant Bhose.
Jemadar	...	Krishna Chawan.
Jemadar	...	Gopalrao Palande.
Jemadar	...	Daulatrao More.
Jemadar	...	Mhadr Jadhao.
Sub-Assistant Surgeon	...	Satpute, I.S.M.D.
No. 3724	...	Havildar Ragnath Rao Khore.
No. 2343	...	Cr. Havildar Dinn Gadhu.
No. 3111	...	Havildar Atma Ram Rane.
No. 4246	...	Sepoy Bapu Swinse.
No. 3645	...	Sepoy Kashabha Suijore.
No. 3034	...	Naik Shioram.
No. 3106	...	Havildar Shaikh Muhammad.
No. 2905	...	Naik Remidio Desa.
No. 3037	...	Sepoy Rajbarao Namunker.
No. 4219	...	Sepoy Gatthe Sindhe.
No. 2843	...	Naik Pandhu Salunke.
No. 4246	...	Sepoy Baju Swinse.
No. 3865	...	L.-Naik Shaikh Fakriddin.
No. 3912	...	Sepoy Dagarli.
No. 3072	...	Sepoy Saipate Chaman (killed in action).
No. 2018	...	Naik Shaikh Bade, 105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

104th Wellesley's Rifles.

Look	...	2nd-Lieutenant A. C., I. A. R. O.
Manners	...	Captain C. M. S.
Subadar Major	...	Hasan Muhammad.
Subadar	...	Mukh Ram, I.O.M.
No. 746	...	Rifleman Kaylam Singh, 123rd Rifles.
No. 1170	...	Cr. Havildar Sharaf Khan.
No. 2547	...	Rifleman Bachan Singh.

No. 3069	...	Naik Ganesha Ram.
No. 658	...	L.-Naik Bega Ram, 123rd Rifles.
No. 1615	...	L.-Naik Jhonta Singh.
No. 658	...	L.-Naik Bega Ram, 123rd Rifles.
No. 570	...	Rifleman Nanak Ram.

110th Mahratta Light Infantry.

Chamier	...	Captain R. O.
Gunn	...	Captain A. D.
McFayden	...	2nd-Lieutenant A.
Subadar Major	...	Shaikh Yasin.
Sub-Assistant Surgeon	...	Mittulal.
No. 393	...	Havildar Shaikh Mihiden.
No. 2137	...	L.-Naik Gulab Khan.
No. 521	...	Cr. Havildar Bapn Shedge (wounded).

117th Mahrattas.

Crichton	...	Major Mc V., 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.
Hungerford	...	Lieutenant S. A. H., 116th Mahrattas.
Jemadar	...	Abaji Rao Kadam.
No. 3320	...	Sepoy Sadasao Gawade.
No. 3094	...	Sepoy Narsing Rao Sinde.
No. 2077	...	Havildar Appa Saurant.
No. 1698	...	Naik Ganpat Rao Salve.
No. 2760	...	Sepoy Shaikh Pakah.

119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Haddon	...	Lieutenant H. E. (killed in action).
Keeling	...	2nd-Lieutenant, E. H., I. A. R. O. (wounded).
Wood	...	2nd-Lieutenant J. P., I. A. R. O.
Subadar	...	Unad Singh.
No. 4526	...	Sepoy Baloo Singh.
No. 4036	...	Sepoy Radmal Singh.
No. 3725	...	Naik Nioh Singh.
No. 4052	...	Sepoy Ladoo Singh.
No. 3885	...	L.-Naik Durjan Singh.
No. 4151	...	Sepoy Mansubdad Khan.

120th Rajputana Infantry.

Lecky	...	2nd-Lieutenant R. L., I. A. R. O.
Miskin	...	Captain W. L.
Pocock	...	Major P. F.
Rich	...	Lieutenant H. H.

Subadar Major	...	Khitab Gul, I. O. M.
Subadar	...	Indar Singh.
No. 1186	...	Havildar Lachman Singh.
No. 1046	...	Havildar Deburam.
No. 1280	...	Sepoy Jetmal Singh.
No. 1915	...	Sepoy Zaidi Gul.
No. 1246	...	Sepoy Dhan Singh, 122nd Infantry.
Jemadar	...	Nagh Singh.
Jemadar	...	Sawla Ram.
Jemadar	...	Naha.
No. 1603	...	Havildar Ruknudin.
No. 1542	...	Havildar Khet Singh.
No. 1016	...	Havildar Sohan.
No. 1576	...	L.-Naik Natha Rawat.
No. 775	...	Sepoy Rahmat Ali.

27th Gurkha Rifles.

Alexander	...	Captain A. R. S., I. M. S. (died of wounds).
Channer	...	Lieutenant G. O. de R.
Powell	...	Lieutenant-Colonel W. B.
Sweet	...	Lieutenant R. T.
Taylor	...	Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. N.
No. 2339	...	Rifleman Karnasing Rai.
No. 2657	...	" Chandra Bahadur Rai.
No. 2053	...	" Dhojhman Rai.
No. 2440	...	" Narbahadur Rai.
No. 2639	...	" Raidhan Rai.
No. 2029	...	" Rambahadur Thaga.
No 2332	...	" Sirnand Limbu.
No. 2475	...	" Narbahadur Limbu.
No. 2069	...	L.-Naik Shirbahadur Rai.
Jemadar	...	Dalbir Rai.
No. 746	...	Havildar Mandjoj Ram.
No. 967	...	Havildar Indrase Aning (Tindal).

Sirmur Imperial Service Sappers.

Jemadar	...	Dhwan Singh.
No. 209	...	Quarter-Master Havildar Warvam Singh.
No. 173	...	Naik Ram Dyal.
No. 403	...	A-Lance Naik Hariyman.

No. 537	... Sapper Gopal Singh.
No. 491	... Sapper Tulsi Ram.
No. 207	... Havildar Major Shekranad.
No. 80	... Havildar Bholar Singh.
No. 417	... Acting L.-Naik Ranji Das.
No. 505	... Sapper Jung Bahadur.
No. 509	... Sapper Janicite Ram.

Supply and Transport Services.

Rae	... Captain G. R., 7th Rajputs, attached.
Syer	... Major H. H.
White	... Lieutenant G. E.
Conductor	... W. Kee.

Transport Corps.

Stewart	... Major A. F.
No. 510	... Driver Amroo, 24th Mule Corps.

River Transport.

Merriman	... Lieutenant R. D., R.I.M.
Corporal	... J. R. Tait, 2nd Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.
Lascar Shaikh Abdul	... Motor Boat 32.
Serang	... Basamia.

Medical Services.

Aylen	... Major E. V., R.A.M.C.
Baines	... Major E. F. E., I.M.S.
Barber	... Major C. H., I.M.S. (surgical specialist).
Cane	... Captain A. S., R.A.M.C.
Cane	... Captain E.G.S., R.A.M.C.
Hennessy	... Lieutenant-Colonel J., C.B., R.A.M.C.
Lambart	... Major F. C., R.A.M.C. (died of disease).
Puri	... Captain M L, I.M.S.
Weston	... Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain G.O., I.S.M.D.

4th Class Assistant Surgeon E. B. Holt, I.S.M.D.

No. 492, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant-Surgeon S. M. Badasahib, I.S.M.D.

No. 297, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, B. Y. Mahajmi, I.S.M.D.

No. 1401, 2nd ,, ,, ,, ,, G. S. Gopal, I.S.M.D.

No. 943, 1st ,, ,, ,, ,, S. Abdul Busit, I.S.M.D.

No. 1288, 2nd ,, ,, ,, ,, Gur Dyal, I.S.M.D.

Veterinary Services.

Stephenson ... Lieutenant, H., A.V.C.

Civilians with Force at Kut-al-Amarah.

Cree, Mr. T. D.

Dexter, Mr. T.

Tod, Mr. A.W.M. of (Lynch, Bros.)

Khlasad Din Khan Sahab, District Superintendent, Police.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Government of India.

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MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 19th October, 1916.

No. 4946-M.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General will leave Simla by special rail motor from Summer Hill Station on the afternoon of Friday, the 20th October 1916. His Excellency's departure will be private.

His Excellency will visit Dehra Dun, Delhi, Agra, Jaipur, Chitor, Udaipur, Ajmer, Delhi, Allahabad, Burma, Calcutta, Barrackpore and Bankipore and arrive at Delhi on the evening of the 13th January 1917.

The party accompanying the Viceroy will be :—

Her Excellency the Lady Chelmsford, C.I.

The Hon'ble Joan Thesiger.

The Hon'ble Anne Thesiger.

The Hon'ble Mr. J. B. Wood, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., Political Secretary. (At Jaipur, Udaipur and Bharatpur only.)

J. L. Maffey, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S., Private Secretary.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Verney, Military Secretary.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. Austen Smith, I.M.S., Surgeon.

Captain W. A. Brown, A.-D.-C.

Captain W. Holland-Hibbert, A.-D.-C.

Captain R. H. Sheepshanks, D.S.O., A.-D.-C.

All communications of an urgent nature intended to reach His Excellency and party during the tour should be addressed "Viceroy's Camp" without the addition of any post town : all others to the headquarters of the several departments at Simla.

By Command,

R. VERNEY, *Lieutenant-Colonel,*

Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 18th October, 1916.

No. 51.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Sidney Robert Hignell of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 52.—For the purposes of section 63 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, c. 61), and in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the Governor General is pleased to nominate Sir James Houssemayne DuBoulay, K.C.I.E., being an official, to be an Additional Member of the said Council, in the said Act referred to as the Indian Legislative Council.

The 20th October, 1916.

No. 53.—The following Statute is published for general information :—

SPECIAL COMMISSIONS (DARDANELLES AND MESOPOTAMIA) ACT, 1916.

[6 & 7 GEO. 5, CH. 34.]

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS.

Section.

1. Appointment of Commissioners.
2. Powers of Commissioners.

CHAPTER 34.

AN ACT TO CONSTITUTE SPECIAL COMMISSIONS TO INQUIRE INTO THE ORIGIN, INCEPTION, AND CONDUCT OF OPERATIONS OF WAR IN THE DARDANELLES AND GALLIPOLI, AND INTO THE ORIGIN, INCEPTION, AND CONDUCT OF OPERATIONS OF WAR IN MESOPOTAMIA.

[17th August, 1916.]

BE it enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Appointment of Commissioners.

1.—(1) The following persons, namely,

The Right Honourable the Earl of Cromer, G.C.B., O.M., G.C.M.G., K.C.S.I., C.I.E.,

The Right Honourable Andrew Fisher,

The Honourable Sir Thomas Mackenzie, K.C.M.G.,

Sir Frederick Cawley, Baronet, Member of Parliament,

James Avon Clyde, Esquire, King's Counsel, Member of Parliament,

Captain Stephen Lucius Gwynn, Member of Parliament,

Walter Francis Roch, Esquire, Member of Parliament,

Admiral of the Fleet Sir William Henry May, G.C.B., G.C.V.O.,

Field-Marshal Lord Nicholson, G.C.B., and

The Right Honourable Sir William Pickford, Knight, one of the Lords Justices of Appeal,

are hereby appointed Commissioners for the purpose of inquiring into the origin, inception, and conduct of operations of war in the Dardanelles and Gallipoli, including the supply of drafts, reinforcements, ammunition, and equipment to the troops and fleet, the provision for the sick and wounded, and the responsibility of those departments of Government whose duty it has been to minister to the wants of the forces employed in that theatre of war.

(2) The following persons, namely,

The Right Honourable Lord George Francis Hamilton, G.C.S.I.,

The Right Honourable the Earl of Donoughmore, K.P.,

Lord Hugh Cecil, Member of Parliament,

Sir Archibald Williamson, Baronet, Member of Parliament,

John Hodge, Esquire, Member of Parliament,

Commander Josiah C. Wedgwood, Member of Parliament,

Admiral Sir Cyprian Arthur George Bridge, G.C.B., and

General the Right Honourable Sir Neville Gerald Lyttelton, G.C.B., G.C.V.O.,

are hereby appointed Commissioners for the purpose of inquiring into the origin, inception, and conduct of operations of war in Mesopotamia, including the supply of drafts, reinforcements, ammunition, and equipment to the troops and fleet, the provision for the sick and wounded, and the responsibility of those departments of Government whose duty it has been to minister to the wants of the forces employed in that theatre of war.

Powers of Commissioners.

2.—(1) The Commissioners appointed under this Act (in this Act referred to as the Commissioners) shall have all such powers, rights, and privileges as are vested in the High Court or in any judge thereof, on the occasion of any action, in respect of the following matters :—

(a) The enforcing the attendance of witnesses and examining them on oath, affirmation, or otherwise, and the issue of a commission or a request to examine witnesses abroad ; and

(b) The compelling the production of documents ; and

(c) The punishing persons guilty of contempt ;

and a summons signed by one or more of the Commissioners may be substituted for and shall be equivalent to any formal process capable of being issued in any action for enforcing the attendance of witnesses and compelling the production of documents.

(2) A warrant of committal to prison issued for the purpose of enforcing the powers conferred by this section shall be signed by one or more of the Commissioners, and shall specify the prison to which the offender is to be committed, but shall not authorise the imprisonment of an offender for a period exceeding three months.

(3) The Commissioners may authorise the representation before them of any person appearing to them to be interested by counsel, or solicitor, or otherwise, if they consider that any injustice would ensue if that person were not so represented.

(4) The Commissioners may act notwithstanding any vacancy in their number, and three shall be a quorum, but the Commissioners may delegate to any two or more of their number their powers of holding sittings for the purpose of making inquiries and taking evidence abroad and any powers in relation thereto.

Discretion to hold proceedings either in public or in private.

3.—(1) The Commissioners shall, having regard to the interests of the public and to naval, military, and diplomatic considerations, allow or refuse to allow the public or any portion of the public to be present during any proceedings of the Commissioners : Provided that a full and complete record in shorthand shall be kept of all evidence taken whether in public or in private.

(2) If any person who is present at any proceedings of the Commissioners at which the public or any portion thereof are not allowed to be present discloses, without the authority of the Commissioners, or without proper authority given on behalf of His Majesty, either directly or indirectly, anything that has taken place at those proceedings, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanour, and the Official Secrets Act, 1911, shall apply as it applies to misdemeanours
5. under section two of that Act.

Indemnity to witnesses.

4.—(1) A person examined as a witness by the Commissioners shall not be excused from producing any document or giving any information on the ground that such document or information is secret or confidential, or is entitled to be withheld under section two of the Official Secrets Act, 1911, or from answering any question put to him, or from producing any document, on the ground that the answer thereto or production thereof may criminate or tend to criminate him, but any answer so given shall not be evidence against that person in any criminal proceeding (including a proceeding by court-martial) at any time thereafter instituted against him, and any document so produced shall not be evidence against him in any such proceeding unless the production of that document could be enforced in those proceedings or evidence of that document could be otherwise obtained in any such proceedings.

(2) Nothing in this section shall apply to the case of proceedings for having given false evidence before the Commissioners, or of having procured, or attempted or conspired to procure the giving of such evidence.

Sittings outside the United Kingdom.

5. The Commissioners may hold sittings outside the United Kingdom, and for the purpose of any such sittings in India, or of anything required to be done in India by or on behalf of the Commissioners, this Act shall have effect as if a High Court or Chief Court in British India were substituted for the High Court.

Reports.

6. Any report of the Commissioners and any minority report shall be laid as soon as may be before both Houses of Parliament and the Commissioners may, if they think fit, make *interim* reports: Provided that the Commissioners appointed to inquire into the Mesopotamia campaign shall proceed with all possible expedition to inquire with regard to the provision for the sick and wounded, and shall report the result of their inquiries on this matter as soon as they are completed.

Short title.

7. This Act may be cited as the Special Commissions (Dardanelles and Mesopotamia) Act, 1916.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

Simla, the 15th October, 1916.

No. 2345-Est.-A.—Mr. W. R. Howson, of the Indian Telegraph Department, is appointed to officiate as His Britannic Majesty's Vice Consul at Bundar Abbas and *ex-officio* Assistant to the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, with effect from the 8th August, 1916, and until further orders.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 16th October, 1916.

No. 1918-G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Gordon Anderson as acting Vice Consul for Chile at Rangoon during the absence of Mr. J. S. Walker.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 16th October, 1916.

No. 2348-Est.-A.—Captain A. F. Inglis, Assistant Inspecting Officer, Kashmir Imperial Service Infantry, Gilgit, is appointed temporarily to hold charge of the current duties of the office of the Assistant Political Agent, Chilas, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 16th September, 1916, and until further orders.

The 18th October, 1916.

No. 2366-Est.-A.—Major C. E. Luard, Political Agent in Malwa, is appointed temporarily to officiate as Political Agent in the Southern States of Central India, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 25th August, 1916, and until further orders.

(Notification No. 1986-Est.-A., dated the 7th September, 1916, is hereby cancelled.)

The 19th October, 1916.

No. 2324-I-B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 30 of the Cantonments Act, 1910) (XV of 1910), as applied to the Cantonment of Secunderabad, and in continuation of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 656-I.B., dated the 26th April 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2261-I.B., dated the 20th October 1911, excluding certain parts of the Cantonment of Secunderabad from the operation of the said Act, namely :—

(1) In the statement appended to the notification, for Serial No. 16, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

16	North of old and new Railway offices.	250(?)	Mooram	Block of Railway Menials quarters.	Road to Railway offices given now to Railway Company as plot No. 70.	Railway offices and General Post Office Road.	Railway Offices.	Plot of land to be transferred to the Wesleyan Mission as plot No. 68.

(2) To the same statement the following shall be added, namely :—

31	West of the Railway Office.	·155 acres.	Mooram	Portion of Compound of No. 17. No buildings on it.	Bungalow No. 17.	Open ground	Cart track	Bungalow No. 17.
32	West of the Railway Office.	·299 acres.	Mooram	Open ground cart track.	Bungalow No. Street.	Open ground track.	Open ground	Bungalow No. 17.

The 19th October, 1916.

No. 2385-Est.-A.—Mr. T. J. C. Acton, Indian Civil Service, is posted as Assistant Political Agent and Assistant Commissioner, Sibi, with effect from the 24th September, 1916.

No. 2386-Est.-A.—Captain G. B. Walker, of the Political Department, is posted as Second Assistant to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan, with effect from the 11th October, 1916.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 16th October, 1916.

No. 1140-F. E.—Mr. T. H. Worgan has been posted as Examiner of Outside Audits, Calcutta, with effect from the 29th September 1916.

The 19th October, 1916.

No. 1167-F. E.—Mr. Tajuddin Malak, Assistant Accountant General, Punjab, has been granted privilege leave for 27 days, with effect from the 10th October 1916.

Lala Lahauri Lal, an Accountant in the office of the Accountant General, Punjab, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, Class II, in that office with effect from the 10th October 1916 and until further orders.

No. 1168-F. E.—Mr. L. S. Deane, an officer in Class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department, has been attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway, with effect from the 9th October 1916.

No. 1326-E—The following promotions are made in the office of the Financial Adviser, Military Finance, in the place of Mr. W.C. Gleeson, Registrar, who has been granted combined leave for six months, with effect from the 30th October 1916 :—

Mr. G. E. Hodges, Superintendent, 2nd grade, to officiate as Registrar.

Mr. A. W. Schonemann, Superintendent, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem,* to officiate as Superintendent, 2nd grade.

Mr. F. J. Woolmer, 1st grade assistant, to be Superintendent, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*

H. F. HOWARD,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATION.

CIVIL VETERINARY ADMINISTRATION.

Simla, the 17th October, 1916.

No. 1309-71.—Mr. A. L. Sheather has been appointed to the Imperial Bacteriological Laboratory, Muktesar, as Imperial Bacteriologist, with effect from the forenoon of the 4th October 1916.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 21st October, 1916.

No. 10244-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1), of Section 4 of the Enemy Trading Ordinance, 1916 (V of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7765-W.-II, dated the 26th August 1916, *viz.*—

For "Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company" *read* "Agency for the Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Company carried on by Messrs. Breul and Company."

For " Albinga Fire Insurance Company " *read* " Agency for the Albinga Fire Insurance Company carried on by Messrs. Volkart Brothers "

For " Allianz Insurance Company, Limited, of Berlin " *read* " Agency for the Allianz Insurance Company, Limited, of Berlin carried on by Gaddum and Company."

For " Assurance Union of Hamburg " *read* " Agency for the Assurance Union of Hamburg carried on by Phiroze C. Sethna."

For " Continental Insurance Company " *read* " Agency for the Continental Insurance Company carried on by Breul and Company. "

For " German Marine Insurance Company " *read* " Agency for the German Marine Insurance Company carried on by Breul and Company. "

For " General Insurance Company of Trieste " *read* " Agency for the General Insurance Company of Trieste carried on by Volkart Brothers. "

For " General Marine Insurance Company of Dresden " *read* " Agency for the General Marine Insurance Company of Dresden carried on by Turner Morrison & Company."

For " Hamburg Assurance Company " *read* " Agency for the Hamburg Assurance Company carried on by Phiroze C. Sethna."

For " Hamburg Bremen Fire Insurance Company " *read* " Agency for the Hamburg Bremen Fire Insurance Company carried on by Volkart Brothers."

For " Hansiatic Insurance Company of 1877 " *read* " Agency for the Hansiatic Insurance Company of 1877 carried on by Volkart Brothers."

For " Lloyd of Cologne General Insurance Company " *read* " Agency for the Lloyd of Cologne General Insurance Company carried on by Breul and Company."

For " Magdeburg Fire Insurance Company " *read* " Agency for the Magdeburg Fire Insurance Company carried on by Breul and Company."

For " Nord Deutsche Insurance Company " *read* " Agency for the Nord Deutsche Insurance Company of Hamburg carried on by Volkart Brothers."

For " Prussian National Insurance Company (Fire) " *read* " Agency for the Prussian National Insurance Company (Fire) of Stettin carried on by C. Macdonald and Company and Chinoy Sons and Company."

For " Rhenania Insurance Company " *read* " Agency for Rhenania Marine Insurance Company, Limited, of Cologne carried on by Holland-Bombay Trading Company, Limited.

For " Transatlantic Marine Insurance Company " *read* ' Agency for the Transatlantic Marine Insurance Company carried on by Breul and Company."

For " Upper Rhine Insurance Company " *read* " Agency for the Upper Rhine Insurance Company carried on by Lidbetter and Company."

No. 10257-W -II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*a*) of sub-section (*1*) of Section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the hostile firms mentioned in the annexed schedule from carrying on business in British India except subject to the conditions specified below :—

(1) Each of the said hostile firms shall at all times at the request of the officer for the time being appointed by Government to exercise in the Presidency of Bengal the duties of the appointment of Custodian of Enemy Property or any other person nominated for the purpose by the Government of Bengal, give all such information and explanations with regard to the affairs of their business as the said Custodian or nominee may from time to time require and shall preserve and whenever required submit to the said Custodian or nominee for his inspection all books, letters, invoices, receipts, memoranda or other papers and documents relating to their business and allow him to take copies thereof or extracts therefrom.

(2) No one of the said hostile firms shall without the previous sanction of the Government of Bengal transfer to any other person, firm or company the capital or good will of its business or any part thereof or (save in the ordinary course of trade) any of its assets or the benefit of any existing or future contract.

SCHEDULE.

1. The British Mannesmann Tube Company, Limited.
2. Messrs. Moll, [illegible]
3. The Linde British Refrigeration Company, Limited.
4. Messrs. Cohn Brothers and Fuchs.
5. Messrs. Siemens Brothers' Dynamo Works, Limited.
6. Messrs. A. Preyer and Company.
7. Messrs. Wutow Guttmann and Company.
8. Messrs. Stein Forbes and Company.
9. The East India Cigarette Manufacturing Company, Limited.
10. Abdulla Solomon.
11. Messrs. Thomson Lehzen and Company, Limited.
12. M. Freasdorf.
13. Messrs. George Salser and Company, Calcutta.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 21st October, 1916.

No. 10156.—Mr. A. E. McKenna, Head Accountant in the Calcutta Custom House, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service at Calcutta from the 16th October 1916 to the 3rd November 1916, both days inclusive.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 21st October, 1916.

No. 10194-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 8 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz* :—

Additions.

Tai King and Company	Canton.
Yee Lung and Company	Canton.

POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 21st October, 1916.

No. 10168.—Mr. H. S. Styan, Chief Engineer, Telegraphs, Indian Telegraph Department, is permitted to retire from the service of Government with effect from the afternoon of the 15th December 1916.

The following postings are sanctioned with effect from the 16th December 1916, consequent on the retirement of Mr. H. S. Styan :—

Mr. R. Meredith, C.I.E., will relieve Mr. Styan as Chief Engineer, Telegraphs.

Mr. W. Sutherland, V. D., will relieve Mr. Meredith, C.I.E., as Deputy Director General, Telegraph Traffic.

Mr. G. W. Talbot, Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, will relieve Mr. Sutherland, as Postmaster-General, Burma Circle, and will be placed on special duty for six weeks before he takes over charge of the Circle.

No. 10178.—Mr. H. C. A. Goodall, Director, Telegraph Engineering, Eastern Circle, is granted such privilege leave as may be due to him on the 11th November 1916, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, in combination with furlough, for such period as may bring the combined period of absence up to 19 months and 21 days.

Mr. G. P. Roy, Superintendent of Telegraph Engineering, is appointed to officiate as Director, Telegraph Engineering, Eastern Circle, with effect from the date Mr Goodall proceeds on leave and until further orders.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

EDUCATION.

[illegible] October, 1916.

No. 946.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub-section (1), clause (*c*) and section 10 of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to nominate the Revd. W. S. Urquhart, M.A., to be an Ordinary Fellow of the University.

No. 949.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Act to establish and incorporate an University at Calcutta (Act II of 1857), the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel the appointment of Mr. R. Knox, M.A., as a Fellow of the Calcutta University.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 19th October 1916.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 1241.—In continuation of Notification No. 1209 of the 12th October 1916, a list of officers, non-commissioned officers and men brought to notice by Lieutenant-General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., in connection with the operations of Indian Expeditionary Force "D" from the 19th January to the 30th April 1916, is published for general information :—

Royal Navy.

Bickford, J. E. P., Lieutenant-Commander.
Cameron, E., Staff Surgeon.
Chapman, H. P., Mr.
Eddis, C. J. F., Lieutenant.
Firman, H. O. B., Lieutenant in Command (killed).
Hitch, F. G., Surgeon.
Nunn, W., Captain, C.M.G., D.S.O.
Robertson, G. W. T., Lieutenant.
Rutherford, E. M., Commander.
Wake, D. St. A., Commodore.
Wason, C. R., Commander.
Webster, R. P. D., Lieutenant in Command.
Wemyss, Sir R. E., Vice Admiral, K.C.B., C.M.G., M.V.O.
Wright, S. J., Paymaster.
Ham, J. B., Gunner.
Robertson, J., Petty Officer.
Spanner, J. B., Gunner.
D. N. 190329, Wakeling, W. H., Petty Officer.

Staff and Headquarters.

Alexander, R. G., Captain, 11th Lancers.
Anderson, B. E., Major, 59th Rifles.
Apthorpe, E. H. F., Major, 90th Punjabis.
Ashton, F. J., Captain, I.A.R.O.

Austin, H. H., Brigadier-General.

Aylmer, Sir F. J., Lieutenant-General.

Bartelott, Sir W. B., Major, Coldstream Guards.

Beach, W. H., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, R.E.

Belgrave, H. D., Major, Royal West Kents.

Black, G. C. S., Captain, 11th Rajputs.

Boulton, H., Lieutenant-Colonel, I.M.S.

Boxwell, A., Major, 119th Infantry.

Broke-Smith, P. W. L., Major, R. F. C.

Brooking, H. T., Major-General.

Browne, H. J. P., Brigadier-General.

Brownlow, d'A. C., Lieutenant-Colonel.

Brownrigg, W. D. S., Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel, Notts and Derby Regiment.

Buckland, G. C. B., Captain, D.S.O., 2-8th Gurkhas.

Burnett, A. H., Captain, 72nd Punjabis.

Buda Singh, Jemadar, 67th Punjabis.

Cahusac, C. F., Captain, 36th Jacob's Horse.

Cassels, R. A., Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel, 32nd Lancers.

Cayley, W. de S., Brigadier-General, C.B.

Campbell, W. N., Major, I.A. (Retired).

Campbell, L. W. Y., Brigadier-General.

Chapman, G. H., Captain, 53rd Sikhs (F. F.) (killed).

Christian, G., Brigadier-General.

Christian, A. J., 2nd-Lieutenant, 3rd Gloucester Regiment.

Coffin, C., Lieutenant-Colonel, C.M.G., R.E.

Cook-Young, A. W., Major, I.M.S.

Costello, E. W., Major, V.C., 22nd Punjabis.

Cowper, M., Major-General, C.I.E.

Davies, W. P. L., Lieutenant-Colonel, R.A.

Dawson, F. D., Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant.

DeCourcy, Hon. M. W. R., Captain, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.

Dick Lauder, J. N. D., Captain, 16th Cavalry.

Dick, R. N., Major, Royal Sussex Regiment.

Douglas, J. A., Brigadier-General, C.M.G.

Douglas, A. P., Colonel, R.A.

Duffy, T. A., Honorary Captain, I.M.L.

Eadie, J. I., Captain, 97th Deccan Infantry.

Edwards, A. C., Major, 102nd Grenadiers.

Egerton, R. G., Major-General, C.B.

Elsmie, A. M. S., Brigadier-General, C.M.G.

Etheridge, F., Captain, 7th Rajputs.

Ezra, E., 2nd-Lieutenant, I.A.R.O.

Evans, H. J. L., 2nd-Lieutenant (Temporary Captain), I.A.R.O.

Forbes, R. M. N., Captain, R.G.A.

Foster, T. F. V., Captain, Connaught Rangers.

Franklin, H. S. E., Major, D.S.O., 15th Sikhs.

Fraser, T., Lieutenant-Colonel, C.M.G., R.E.

Gambier-Parry, M.D., Captain, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Gaunt, C. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Reserve of Officers.

Godfrey, R., Lieutenant (Honorary), I.M.L.

Gordon, L. A. C., Brigadier-General, C.B.

Gorringe, Sir G. F., Lieutenant-General.

Grant, J. D, Major, V.C., 8th Gurkha Rifles.

Hall, F. G., Captain, 3rd Dorset Regiment.

Hamilton, E. G., Captain, Connaught Rangers.

Hamer, M. A., Major, 129th Baluchis.

Harway, D., Captain, 31st Punjabis.

Harvey, W. J. St. J., Brigadier-General (died of wounds).

Hawes, C. H., Major, M.V.O., 23rd Cavalry.

Hildyard, R. J. T., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, D.S.O., R. West Kents.

Hill, E. F. J., Major, R.E.

Holdich, H. A., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, 1-5th Gurkha Rifles.

Hopwood, H. R., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, 33rd Cavalry.

Hoskyn, J. C. M., Major, 44th Merwara Infantry.

Howell, N. E., Captain, 82nd Punjabis (killed).

Hughes, J. W., 2nd-Lieutenant, Bombay Light Horse.

Ingram, C. R., Major, 2nd R. West Kent Regiment.

Irvine, G. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, I.M.S.

Indar Singh, Jemadar, 67th Punjabis.

Joyner, H., Lieutenant (Honorary), I.M.L.

Keary, H. D'U., Major General, C.B., D.S.O.
Kemball, G. V, Major-General, C.B., D.S.O.
Kensington, E. C., Major, 130th Baluchis.
Killick S. H., Captain, South Lancashire Regiment.
Lang, E. B., Colonel, I. A. (Retired).
Leachman, G. E., Major, Royal Sussex Regiment.
Leslie, G. A. J., Lt.-Col., C.M.G., R.E.
Leslie, W. S., Major, 31st Punjabis.
Lewis, R. F., Lieut. (Tempy. Capt.), 21st Cavalry.
Lewin, A. C, Brig.-General, D.S.O.
Lindsay, H. A. P., Lt.-Col., C.M.G., S and T. Corps.
Longhurst, A. L., Major, 2-7th Gurkha Rifles.
Loverock, R. C., 2nd-Lieut. (Tempy. Capt.), Oxford and Bucks L. I.
Lynch-Staunton, R. K., Major, D.S.O., R.A.
MacIlwaine, A. H., Captain, R.A.
Maclean, G. G. C., Captain, 104th Rifles.
Macdonald, H., Captain, 11th K.E.O. Lancers.
Mackenzie, H. J., Captain, 51st Sikhs.
Macquoid, C. E. E F. K., Lieut.-Col., D.S.O., 4th Cavalry.
Macrae, J. C., Captain, 19th Punjabis.
Maude, F. S., Major-General, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.
McWatters, H. C., Major, 24th Punjabis.
Musgrave, A. D., Lieut.-Col., R.A.
Moberly, H. S., Major, 66th Punjabis.
Mohammed Walyat, Havr., Indian Coast Arty.
Money, A. W., Major-General, C.B.
Morphett, G.C., Major, Royal Sussex Regt.
Norie, C. E. deM., Brig.-General, D.S.O.
North, H. N., Captain, R.E.
Norton-Fagge, F. W. L., Lieut., I.A.R.O.
O'Dowda, J. W., Brig.-General.
Ogilvie, E. C., Lieut.-Col., R.E.
Ogle, N., Captain, 67th Punjabis.
Parsley, R. C., 2nd-Lieut. (Tempy. Capt.), Norfolk R.
Peebles, E. C., Brig.-General, D.S.O.
Plinston, G H., Captain, 11th Rajputs.
Pulford, H. St. G. J., Captain, 4th Rajputs (since deceased).
Qasi Shakirullah.
Queripel, L. H, Lt. Col. (T.), D.S.O., R.F.A.
Rattray, C., Brig.-General.
Reinhold, H. E., Major, 27th Punjabis.

Reynolds, H. L., (Hony.) Lieut., I.M.L.
Rice, G. H. B., Brig.-General (since deceased).
Remington, J. C., Tempy. Major-General, R.E.
Rowlandson, M. G. D., Captain, 38th Dogras.
Scott, H. L, Captain, 1-1st Gurkha Rifles.
Shore, O. B. S. F., Brigadier-General.
Simpson, W. M., Captain, Worcester Regt.
Spankie, C. G., Captain, 42nd Deoli Regiment.
Squires, E. K., Captain, R.E.
Stallard, S. F., Lieut.-Colonel, R.F.A.
Stapleton, F. H., Major, Oxford and Bucks. L. I.
Stewart, J. W. K., Tempy. Lt.-Col., D.S.O., 39th Garhwals.
Stephens, R., Captain, Oxford and Bucks. L. I.
Stephen, R. C., Brigadier-General.
St. John, R., Major (Tempy. Lt.-Col.), 20th Infantry.
Swifte, E. L., Lieut.-Colonel, 57th Wilde's Rifles.
Tate, A. E., Colonel, A.M.S.
Tidswell, E. C., Brig.-General. D.S.O.
Townshend, C. V. F., Major-General.
Tyrrell, J. F., Major, R.A.
Umar Hayat Khan, Hon'ble Sir Malik, Captain, K.C.I.E., M.V.O.
Walton, G., Major (Tempy. Lt.-Col.), 46th Punjabis.
White, G. F., Brig.-General.
Williams, L. G., Captain, 5th Cavalry.
Willoughby, D.V., Captain, 1st Brahmans.
Wilmer, E. R. G., Major, D.S O., R.F.A.
Wilson, R. C., Captain, 114th Mahrattas.
Wilson-Johnston, W. E., Major, 36th Sikhs.
Winter, C. B., Lieut.-Colonel, 112th Infantry.
Whitley, A., Mr.
Whittall, C. E., Captain, Oxford and Bucks. L. I.
Younghusband, Sir G. J., Major-General, K.C.I.E., C.B.

Arnott, H., Staff Sergeant, Indian Miscellaneous List.
Baker, C. H, Conductor, Indian Miscellaneous List.
9396 Bamber, J. C., Private (Local Sergeant), 2nd K.O.R. Lancs.
Brooks, H., Staff Sergeant, Indian Miscellaneous List.
Brown, W., Staff Sergeant, Indian Miscellaneous List.
4662 Enstice, E. J., Corporal (Local Sergeant), 3-4th Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.
Floyed, T., Sergeant, Corps of Military Staff Clerks.
8241 Ford, F., Private (Local Sergeant), 2nd Dorset Regiment.

2972 Fosbury, L. F., Private (Local Sergeant), 1-4th Hants Regiment.
Goddard, W. H., Sergeant, Corps of Military Staff Clerks.
7608 Hoggatt, J., Lance Corporal, 2nd Norfolk Regiment.
Howey, J. R., Staff Sergeant, Indian Miscellaneous List.
9368 Jackson, W. G., Private (Local Sergeant), 2nd R. West Kent R.
Lanfear, J. H., Sergeant, C.M.S.C.
9152 Lofts, W., Corporal, Royal West Kents.
Marriott, J. P., Sergeant, Corps of Military Staff Clerks.
McDermott, Sergeant Ditto.
Owen, E., Army Schoolmaster.
Prescott, W., Sergeant, Corps of Military Staff Clerks
Price, A. H., Sergeant Ditto.
Rice, J. R., Sergeant Ditto.
Roffy, H. R., Conductor, Indian Miscellaneous List.
Somerfield, G. J., Staff Sergeant, Indian Miscellaneous List.
Stewart, S. H., Sergeant, Corps of Military Staff Clerks.
Samuel, A. D., 4th Grade Clerk.
5528 Sumpstor, A. C., Company Sergeant-Major, 3rd Sappers and Miners.
Warren, W. H., Army Schoolmaster.
8896 Whetstone, P., Sergeant, Somerset Light Infantry.

Royal Flying Corps.

Cuff, R. E., Lieutenant (S.R.)
Dickinson, C. T., Lieutenant, 16 Cav.
Thompson-Glover, I. W., Captain, 35th Sikhs.
Massey, S. D., Bt. Major, 29th Punjabis.
McCrindle, I. R., 2nd-Lieutenant (S.R.)
Orton, J. O. C., Captain, 2nd Norfolks.
Petre, H. A., Captain, Australian Flying Corps.
Wills, W. R., Captain, I.A.R.O.
43 Mackinoety, G., Sergeant.
4474 Tomlinson, R. G., Flight Sergeant.
4477 Webb, A., Sergeant.

14th King's Hussars.

Featherstonhaugh, A. E. H., Captain.
Fooks, O. J. F., Lieutenant.
Hewitt, R. W., Major.
Pope, A. V., Lieutenant.
3796 Goddard., J., R.S.M.
8456 Ilott, J. A., Sergeant.

Royal Horse Artillery "S" Battery.

Renny Tailyour, I. W., Major.

ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

Corps Ammunition Park.

Herbert, P. T. C., Lieut.-Colonel.

4th Bde. Ammunition Column.

Cockaday, W. G. C., Lieutenant and temporary Captain.

2nd Battery.

Cowey, N. K., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Fawcett, A. M., 2nd-Lieutenant.

7th Battery.

Kiddle, G., Captain (T.).

8th Battery.

Thesiger, Hon. F. I., 2nd-Lieutenant.
5786 Daly, A. C., F. Q. M. S.
16491 Elliot, H., Sergeant.

14th Battery.

Greenshields, D. T., Captain.
70367 Bell, W. H., Corporal.
54596 Day, J. W., Bombardier.

19th Battery.

Hazlet, R. K., Major.
Norman, G., 2nd-Lieutenant.
37376 Stanton, T., Corporal.

20th Battery.

Anderson, T. R., Captain (T.).
Leck, G. M., Lieutenant.
42622 Hardy, H., Gunner.

28th Battery.

Goodfellow, E. H., Lieutenant (T.).
48350 Barclay, J., Sergeant.
68782 Carroll, A. A., Corporal.
58166 Davies, V., A.-Br.
49450 Horne, F. W., A.-Br.

44th Battery.

46344 Trapp, C. J., Corporal.

60th How. Battery.

Tidy, C., 2nd-Lieutenant.

42962 Smith, T., A.-Br.

66th Battery.

Crofton, M. R. H., Major.

Marson, H. A., Captain (T.).

15356 Beaumont, J., F. Q. M. S.

39329 Buchan, P., A.-Br.

72468 Hope, H. B., Gunner.

65912 Jones, E. B., Corporal.

90635 Smith, J., Gunner.

H. Q. 96th Brigade.

Mansell-Pleydell, H. P. M., Lieutenant (T.).

22816 McCreckin, G., Corporal.

"A" Battery, 66th Brigade.

5384 Iles, H. H., Corporal.

"B" Battery, 66th Brigade.

82379 McKim, W., Bombardier.

"D" Battery, 69th Brigade.

94252 Brown, F., Bombardier.

1-1st Sussex Battery.

Whyley, D. H. Fitz T., Lieutenant.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

72nd Battery.

Bennett, F. L., Major.

Merrett, A. B., Lieutenant.

7397 Burton, T., Sergeant.

209 Cullen, P., B. Q. M. S.

77th Battery.

Riddell, R. B., Major.

1-104th Battery.

Jenkins, W. M., Lieutenant.

21592 Davis, W. C., Sergeant.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Atkinson, W., Lieutenant, I.A.R.O.

Bird, A. J. G., Captain.

Chapman, C. G., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Deed, L. C. B., Captain.

Greenstreet, C. B. L., Major.

Hudson, J. R., Captain (Commissary).

Humfress, H. T., Captain, I.A.R.O.

Hunter, R. G. P., Captain.

Mason, K., Captain.

Nicolle, A. V., 2nd-Lieutenant, I.A.R.O.

Roome, H. E., Captain.

Swiney, A. J. H., Colonel (Temporary).

Wildeblood, J. P., Lieutenant, I.A.R.O.

Young, E. de L., Captain.

37312 Andrew, J., Corporal (72nd Company).

Barnett, J., Staff Sergeant.

Barrett, J., Staff Sergeant.

Barwise, A. O., Staff Sergeant.

Oliver, H. H., Q.M.S.

43767 McDonnell, P. M., Sergeant.

42624 Pollock, L., Sergeant (72nd Company).

Shewring, J., Staff Sergeant.

Banarse Das, Accountant.

Dharmalingam, Havilder, 2nd Sappers and Miners.

Shaikh Rahman, Colour-Havildar, 3rd Sappers and Miners.

Signal Service.

64737 Brown, A., Sapper.

45533 Higgs, N. T., Sergeant.

66507 McColgan, N., Sergeant.

33 Ormond, J., Sergeant.

2380 Stanlake, J., Staff Sergeant.

64763 Wooley, G. E., Lance-Corporal.

BRITISH INFANTRY.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment.

Evans, F. M., 2nd-Lieutenant (attached 9th Royal Warwickshire Regiment).

1-5th Buffs (East Kent) Regiment.

Adam, A. G. A., Captain.

Body, J., Captain.

Frasere, J. S., Major (Killed).

Goschen, Hon. G. J., 2nd-Lieutenant (Died of wounds).

Mace, J. M., Lieutenant-Colonel (T. D.).

Jessel, G., 2nd-Lieutenant.

6th King's Own (Royal Lancaster) Regiment.

Saunders, A., Captain (T.).

Weingberg, J., Captain.

Yates, H. P., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).

19250 Hodgson, F., Private.

11636 Lyddiate, S., Corporal.

19023 Nunn, J., Private.

9th Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Baker, H. S., Captain.

Barnett, W. W., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Gething, P. J., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Marshall, E. S., Captain.

4022 Bull, R., Lance-Corporal.

8649 Farmer, E., C. S. M.

805 Harper, S., Private.

12563 Johnstone, A., Private.

Lincolnshire Regiment.

Baines, A. E. C., Captain (attached 8th R. W. Fusiliers).

1-6th Devonshire Regiment.

Dunn-Pattison, R. P., Captain.

Fox, R. W., Lieutenant-Colonel.

Radcliffe, N. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, D.S.O.

Verney, F. C., Lieutenant.

2208 Hudson, W. G., R. S. M.

2686 Shutt, H., Private.

1-5th Somerset Light Infantry.

Goodland, E. S., Lieutenant (attached 1-5th Buffs).

2nd Leicestershire Regiment.

Belle, A., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Billings, H., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Brodie, H. C., Lieutenant and Quartermaster.

Buckingham, O. H., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Byers, H. D., 2nd Lieutenant.
Grimble, H. N. H., Lieutenant.
Lewis, F., Major, D.S.O.
McIntyre, A. S., Captain (3rd Battalion).
McIntyre, R. J., Captain (3rd Battalion).
Cox, Regimental Sergeant-Major.
11500 Bonner, G., Sergeant.
9129 Garton, F. E., Sergeant.
5048 Good, M., R.Q.M.S.
8176 Keeling, J., Sergeant.
7296 Lawrence, J., Sergeant.
7345 Rose, G. W., C.M.S.
8498 Turner, C., Private.

8th Cheshire Regiment.

Cullimore, J., Lieutenant.
Gover, W. W. B., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).
Mathews, A., Lieutenant.
Thomas, D. R., Captain.
10586 Christie, J., Sergeant.
11503 Hall, D., Private.
12377 Keenan, H., Lance-Corporal.
25779 Kirkham, S., Lance-Corporal.
17836 Mears, F., Private.
10710 Noden, J., Private.
10733 Potts, R., Sergeant.
28254 Richards, C., Private.
6416 Trueman, D., Private.
28251 Wilson, T., Private.

8th Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Hay, A., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).
Powell, S., Captain.
Stretch, E. A., Captain.
11570 Bunnell, W., Private.
12600 Dale, F., Private.
5364 Davies, J., C. S. M.
12277 Hannon, J., Sergeant.

4th South Wales Borderers.

Buchanan, A., Lieutenant.
Cahusac, A. N., Captain (3rd Battalion).
Keighley, F. W., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Kitchen, C. E., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).
Mellsop, J. A., Lieutenant and Quartermaster.
9748 Anderson, J., Sergeant.
12752 Cornish, H. A., R.S.M.
11220 Fynn, J. H., Private.
12757 Harcourt, E. W., Private.
13171 Maloney, J., Private.
13221 Stevens, J., Private.
14745 Symonds, T., Private.
14289 Whitcombe, T., Private.

7th Gloucestershire Regiment.

Clarke, A. V., 2nd-Lieutenant.
25827 Hodges, H., Lance-Corporal.
22555 House, W., Sergeant.
21249 Jenkins, J., Lance-Corporal.
9762 Sheppard, H. J., Sergeant.
20970 Timmins, A. W., Private.
8182 Yeates, Y.

9th Worcestershire Regiment.

Conybeare, E. B., Captain.
Dobson, H. P., Captain.
Faviell, W. F. O., Major.
Myles, E. K., Lieutenant.
Polack, B. J., 2nd-Lieutenant.
West, B. H., 2nd-Lieutenant.
19282 Bloomer, J., Sergeant.
8811 Gillard, A., Corporal.

6th East Lancashire Regiment.

Harris, W. A., Lieutenant.
McCormick, H. B., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Spowers, A., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Travis, J. J., Captain.
Watson, J. H., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Watson, T. P., Captain (T.).
8644 Carrington, H. R. S. M.
9238 Cunningham, M. H., Sergeant.
6581 Haigh, G., R. Q. M. S.
8057 Horner, J., C. S. M.
11291 Massey, A., Lance-Corporal.
11598 Odgen, G., Private.

Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

Murphy, L., Captain (3rd Bn., attd. 5th Wiltshire Regt.).

1-4th Hants Regiment.

Bowker, F. J., Lieutenant-Colonel (Killed).
Roberts, F. W. P., Captain.
1827 Butler, J., Sergeant-Major.
2038 Norman, F., Lance-Sergeant.

2nd Dorset Regiment.

Case, H. A., Major.

6th South Lancashire Regiment.

Cattarns, G. R., Captain.
Ward, P. M. W., Captain.
12756 Butler, B., Private.
11542 Martin, F., Private.
19188 O'Brien, T., Private.

Welsh Regiment.

19376 Blake, W. J., Lance-Corporal (12th attached 8th Welsh Pioneers).
6017 Davies, T. M., Sergeant (3rd Battn., attached 8th Welsh Pioneers).
24657 Hart, C. J., Private (12th Battn., attached 8th Welsh Pioneers).

2nd Black Watch.

Anderson, J., Hony. Lieutenant, Quartermaster.
Cumming, A. B., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Dixon, J. F. C., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Dundas, R. H., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Forrester, M. F., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Gilmour, C. D., Captain.
Grassie, J. T., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Hamilton-Johnston, D. C., Captain.
Henderson, T. A., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Inglis, J. N., Captain.
Macewen, W. D., Lieutenant.
Paterson, J. C., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Soutar, F. H., 2nd-Lieutenant (Killed).
Wauchope, A. G., Major (Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel), D.S.O.
Young, W. A., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Johnstone, J., Regimental Sergeant-Major.
8874 Fairfull, A., Private.
976 Grant, T., Sergeant.

760 Graham, H., Corporal.
9260 Humm, T., Sergeant.
2702 Logan, W., Corporal.
1855 Minich, J., Lance-Corporal.
1993 Mitchell, G., Sergeant.
11180 Nicol, A., Private.
9912 Proudfoot, R., C. S. M. (killed).
9359 Wallace, W., C. S. M.

Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire L. I.

Carter, L. J., Major.
Foljambe, J. W. S., Brevet Major (since deceased).
Hammick, S. F., Captain (since deceased).
5666 Dancey, G., R. S. M.

6th Loyal North Lancashire Regiment.

Fairlie, J. G., Lieutenant-Colonel (killed).
Pennefather, R. J. B., Captain.
Tottenham, E. L., 2nd-Lieutenant.
18707 Batty, G., Private.
16498 Gavin, F., Private.
11915 Lloyd, J. T., Corporal.
10958 Smith, J., Private.

2nd Royal West Kent Regiment.

8120 Hawkes, H., Sergeant (attached Connaught Rangers).

5th Wiltshire Regiment.

Bosanquet, A. P., Captain.
Dewhurst, R. M., Lieutenant.
Greany, J. W., Captain, D.S.O.
Throckmorton, R. C. B., Major (Tempy. Lieutenant-Colonel).
6036 Kepner, J. A., C. S. M.

1st Manchester Regiment

Assig, H. L., 2nd-Lieutenant (3rd Battalion).
Burdon, J., Lieutenant.
Campbell, R. J. P., Lieutenant.
Hardcastle, R. N., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.), D.S.O.
O'Brien, P., Lieutenant and Quartermaster.
Parminter, R. H. R., Captain.
Ruddy, T., Lieutenant.
Smith, R. W., Lieutenant.

2088 Armisted, N. C., Lance-Corporal.
4166 Bickell, R., Lance-Corporal.
9350 Cross, W., Private.
899 Duffy, T., Sergeant.
5764 Goodson, J., R. Q. M. S.
31 Hughes, A. H., Sergeant.
9859 Kearns, J., Lance-Corporal.
1448 Mullinger, A., Lance-Corporal.
2047 O'Brien, F., Corporal.
1041 Ryder, W., Lance-Corporal.
1910 Scarlett, A., Private.
2085 Smith, J., Corporal.
15818 Stringer, G., Private.
2087 Summers, T., Private.
1505 Thirlwell, R., Lance-Corporal.
1462 Walsh, J., Lance-Corporal.
3631 Williams, J., Corporal (Lance-Sergeant).
1138 Worcester, J., Lance Corporal.
2830 Yeo, C., Private.

7th North Staffordshire Regiment.

Andrus, T. A., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.), C.M.G.
Armes, R. L., Captain (T.)
Dingley, A. C., 2nd-Lieutenant (T. Capt.), 10th Battalion.
Edwards, W. S., Major (attached 9th Worcestershire Regt.).
Hart, E. A., Captain.
15054 Parkes, J., Corporal.

1st Highland Light Infantry.

Emblow, A. C., 2nd-Lieutenant.
Hill, C. E. C., Lieutenant.
Hope, J. H., Major.
Knox, R., Captain.
6960 Breslin, J., R. S. M.
8609 Caldwell, J., Sergeant.
8939 Findlay, A., Sergeant.
6348 Hammill, T., C. S. M.
9156 Morgan, E. H., R. Q. M. S.
21295 Robertson, A., Private.

1st Seaforth Highlanders.

Anderson, F., Captain.
Campbell, D., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Christie, T. C., Lieutenant (A. & S. Highlanders).

Geddes, D., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Harvey, J., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Macleod, T., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Reid, N., Lieutenant and Quartermaster.

Schomberg, R. C. F., Captain.

Stewart, B., Lieutenant.

Stewart, R. J., 2nd-Lieutenant (died of wounds).

Thomson, W. M., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).

7074 Mackenzie, H., Private.

10284 Malcolm, J., Private.

10132 Marshall, J. W., Private.

10272 Richford, T., Private.

920 Ware, S., Corporal.

161 Wells, G., Private.

1st Connaught Rangers.

Deacon, H. R. G., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).

Durrant, E. N., Lieutenant.

Greer, D. A., Lieutenant.

Hamilton, W. A., Lieutenant-Colonel (T.).

Hewitt, H. T., Captain.

Kelsey, T., 2nd-Lieutenant.

Murray, S., Lieutenant-Colonel.

8318 Cassidy, P., Private.

5225 Croskery, J., Lance-Corporal.

9334 Dorrigan, L., Private.

9679 Fagan, J., Lance-Corporal.

6434 Finucane, P. J., R. Q. M. S.

5252 Grady, E. J., Private (Acting Corporal).

8282 Kirwan, D., Private.

11996 Macdonald, V., Private.

4243 McLoughlin, J., Corporal.

4665 Presnell, H. W., Private.

4037 Silke, F., Sergeant.

4626 Thompson, J., Private.

5089 Tobin, J., Lance-Corporal.

Royal Army Medical Corps.

Allan, R. M., Captain.

Chapman, F. H. M., Captain.

Collins, D. J., Lieutenant-Colonel.

Crossley, H. J., Major.
Dowling, F. T., Captain.
Duncan, R. W., Captain.
Foster, J. G., Major.
Garson, H. L., Captain.
Glen, A., Captain (S. R.).
Graham, W. T., Captain.
Green, S. F. St. D., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Ireland, A. J., Lieutenant.
Kyle, S. W., Captain.
MacDonald, W. C., Lieutenant.
Minns, A. N., Captain.
Mitchell, T. J., Captain.
O'Riordan, W. H., Captain.
Palmer, F. J., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Sloan, J. M., Bt.-Colonel, D.S.O.
Thackeray, J., Lieutenant.
Vivian, R. J., Captain.
Warwick, H. F., Captain.
With, P. A., Captain.
3016 Brown, D., Sergeant, 40th F. A.
56716 Burton, J., Private, 39th F. A.
8878 Hawkins, H., Private, 3rd F. A. (Ox. and Bucks.)
27344 Hodson, W., Private, 40th F. A.
49287 Jones, D. J., Corporal, 39th F. A.
60825 Kay, M., Private, 39th F. A.
8601 Locke, E., Private, 3rd F. A. (2nd Dorsets).
27707 Simpson, A., Private, 40th F. A.
7013 Wall, S., Private.
5469 Wright, D., Sergeant, 3rd F. A. (1st Ox. and Bucks.).

Political.

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Birch, O. W., Rev.
Irwin, R. J. B., Rev.

Jervis, E. O., Rev.
Macfarlane, A., Rev.
Marshall, C. H., Rev.
McNeill, J. H. A., Rev.
Nott, W., Rev.
Peal, S. T., Rev. Father.
Young, R. E., Rev.

INDIAN CAVALRY.

4th Cavalry.

Farran, G. L., Captain.
Harenc, R. E., Captain.
Johnston, R., Captain.
Stainforth, H. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, C.M.G.
Abdul Rauf Khan, Jemadar & W. Major.
Ram Singh, Risaldar.
2506 Rahmat Ali Khan, Sowar.
2100 Sheo Ram, Daffadar.

7th Hariana Lancers.

Carnegy, G. P. O., Major.
Cook, C. C., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Hunt, J. V., Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Trench, C. F., Captain.
Balwant Singh, Risaldar.
Chet Ram, Risaldar.
Milki Singh, Risaldar.
Thakur Singh, Jemadar.
3376 Barayan Singh, Lance-Daffadar.
3590 Tulsi Ram, Daffadar.

8th Cavalry.

Mears, C. D., Major, M.V.O. (attached 16th Cavalry).

9th Hudson's Horse.

2870 Mir Hussain, Sowar (W. O. attached 111th I. F. A.).

10th Lancers.

Willoughby, M. G. P., Lieutenant (attached 16th Cavalry).

16th Cavalry.

Hill, H. W. D., Captain.
Whitford-Hawkey, H., Lieutenant.
Agia Ram, Risaldar Major.
1029 Gurdit Singh, Kot Daffadar.

23rd Cavalry.

Sherer, J. C., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Younghusband, L. N., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Hissamuddin Khan, Risaldar-Major.

27th Cavalry.

891 Dalput Singh, Daffadar.

32nd Lancers.

Keogh, J. B., Major.

33rd Cavalry.

Collins, G. E., Captain.
Kenworthy, W., Captain.
Meiklejohn, J. F., Captain.
Sheldrick, A. H. W., 2nd Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Stack, C. S., Lieutenant-Colonel.
2695 Allauddin Khan, Sowar (attached 26th Cavalry).
2231 Alim Ali Khan, Sowar.
2283 Ismail Khan, Daffadar.
2827 Kasim Ali Khan, A. L. Daffadar.
3361 Mugli Khan, Sowar.
3501 Mukarrab Khan, Sowar.
3452 Nur Mohammed Khan, Lance-Daffadar.
3567 Rukmuddin Khan, A. L. Daffadar.
3225 Wazir Singh, Trumpeter.
3087 Yakub Khan, A. L. Daffadar.

36th Cavalry.

969 Kasim Khan, Sowar (attached 33rd Cavalry).
1169 Munshi Ram, Sowar (attached 33rd Cavalry).

MOUNTAIN ARTILLERY.

23rd Mountain Battery.

Hunt, W. M., Major.
Keogh, J. H., Major.
103 Ali Akbar, Naik.
34 Mehr Singh, Gunner.
4 Bagga Singh, Havildar.
108 Dewa Singh, Havildar.
71 Harnam Singh, Naik.
372 Sultan Bakhsh, Naik.

SAPPERS AND MINERS.

1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

Atkinson, W., Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Wheeler, E. O., Lieutenant.
3185 Henly, H. T., Q. M. S.
Abdul Aziz Khan, Subadar.
Alam Khan, Jemadar.
Fazal Shar, Subadar.
Harnam Singh, Jemadar.
Ram Rup Singh, Jemadar.
785 Bhoolan Khan, Naik.
1178 Kirpal Singh, Naik.
616 Manowar Shah, Col. Hav.
764 Sawan Singh, Naik.
939 Sharaf Din, Naik.
1856 Ramayan Singh, Hav.

2nd Q. V. O. Sappers and Miners.

Bradney, E., Captain.
Cruickshank, A. J. Lieutenant.
Pemberton, S., Captain.
Anthoni, Jemadar.
Hanumantu, Subadar.
Punnusama, Jemadar.
4214 Arumugam, Sapper.
4167 Chinnapanikar, Sapper.
4127 Chokilingam, Sapper.
4427 David, L.-Naik.
3604 Krishna Sami, Naik (T. Hav.).
4170 Loganadah, Naik.
3831 Narayansami, Sapper.
2948 Ramasami, Hav.
2782 Thandaravan, Hav.
3786 Vellavan, Naik.

3rd Sappers and Miners.

Arbuthnot, A. D. S., Captain.
Everett, M., Captain.
Mair, R., 2nd-Lieut., I. A. R. O.
Venables, A. V., 2nd-Lieut., I. A. R. O.
Sardar Khan, Jemadar.
2764 Amir Ali, Hav.

2864 Sardar Ali, Hav.
3167 Chanda Singh, Hav.
3108 Gurmuk Singh, Naik.
4116 Mahtab Khan, Sapper.

Wireless Signal Squadron.

Wilkinson, R. J., 2nd-Lt., I. A. R. O.
12 Nicholson, G., 2nd-Corpl.
18 Petchey, J., Corpl.
19 Saif Ali, L.-Naik (attd. 7th Div. Sig. Coy.).

Signal Troops.

526 Jones, E., Sergeant (7th Queen's O. Hussars).

1-3rd I. A. C. Signal Company.

Le Cornu, C. G. S., Captain (56th Rifles).
8308 Chapman, C. W., Corpl.
Hubble, S. Sergt. (I. M. List).
20 Tutty, H., L.-Cpl. (I. U. L.).
1650 Sirdar Khan, Sepoy (108th Infy.).

3rd Divisional Signal Company.

Morse, L. H., Captain.
Pott, D., Captain (13th Lancers).
43 Elmes, A. G., Sergt.
15 Fildes, A., Sergt.
26 Kinnard, G. H., Sergt. (U.L.).
Lehru, Subadar.
57 Allah Dad Khan, L.-Naik.
1156 Indar Singh, Naik (3rd Horse).
1626 Singar Khan, Sepoy.
3 Khan, Sapper-Sowar.
5 Umar Din, Hav.

7th Divisional Signal Company.

Allen, H. I., Captain (North Staffs.).
St. John, F. O., Captain (1st Royal Scots).
9420 Collier, S., C. S. M. (Welsh Regt.).
14859 Farwaker, T., S.-Sergt. (R. Es.).
9030 Munn, H., Private (2nd Leicesters).
10 Pearson, H. H., Sergeant.
2251 Abdul Gafoor, L.-Naik (17th Infantry).
1476 Bur Singh, Hav. (89th Punjabis).

514 Imam Baksh, Hav. (5th Mule Corps).

1209 Mohommed Fazal, Sepoy (69th Punjabis).

10 Puran Singh, Hav.

33rd Divisional Signal Company.

Pelly, H. R., Captain (89th Punjabis).

Warden, W. R., Captain (75th Infantry).

12th Divisional Signal Company.

Radley, H. P., Lieutenant (72nd Punjabis).

7968 Harrison, G. E., Private.

93 Karam Dad, L.-Naik.

84 Hari Singh, Sapper.

INDIAN INFANTRY.

2nd Rajputs.

Griffith, W. R. C., Captain.

Noyes, C. B., Captain.

Pahlal Singh, Jemadar.

Raghubir Singh, Jemadar.

2157 Bihari Singh, Sepoy.

2304 Chunni Singh, Sepoy.

1424 Desraj Singh, Hav.

1789 Harnam Singh, Sepoy.

2241 Kunkaiva Singh, Sepoy.

2005 Mittar Singh, L.-Naik.

1859 Mukand Singh, Hav.

2202 Pahlaram, Bugler.

1830 Ramswrup Singh, Sepoy.

2379 Rishpal Singh, Sepoy.

1779 Udai Singh, Hav.

3rd Brahmans.

White, W. E., Lt.-Col.

6th Jats L. I.

Ives, G., 2nd Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.

Mcpherson, A. B., Captain

Ross, R. C., Captain.

Wells, F. W. A., Captain.

3751 Dezram, Sepoy.

3574 Kenaya, Sepoy.

4075 Ram Singh, Sepoy.

3619 Sukh Ram, Naik.
3495 Siri Chand, L.-Naik.
3852 Sheo Ram, Sepoy.
3857 Maya Ram, Sepoy.

9th Bhopals.

Jamieson, G. A., Major.
Roberts, F. C., 2nd-Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Smith, H. H., Major (T.).
Buniad Ali, Jemadar.
Gobind Singh, Subadar.
Sheodarshan Tiwari, Subadar.
3398 Chatta Singh, Sepoy.

10th Jats.

33.3 Bhola, Sepoy (attd. 6th Jats).

11th Rajputs.

Ward, C. H., Lieutenant-Colonel.

19th Punjabis.

Heath, L. M., Captain (attd. 59th Rifles).
Abdulla Shah, Subadar (attd. 59th Rifles).
1194 Lal Khan, L.-Naik (attd. 59th Rifles).
1385 Muhamed Islam, Sepoy (attd. 53rd Sikhs).
1635 Said Abbas, Sepoy (attd. 59th Rifles).

23rd Sikh Pioneers.

Renney, H. F., Captain (attd. 34th Pioneers).
4268 Lahora Singh, Lance-Naik (attd. 34th Pioneers).

24th Punjabis.

Gul Akbar, Subadar.

25th Punjabis.

Hakam Khan, Subadar (attd 59th Rifles).
2361 Kajir Khan, Havildar (attd. 59th Rifles).

26th Punjabis.

Fulton, J. D., Captain (T.).
Walton, L. B., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Gul Akbar, Subadar.
1739 Labh Singh, Sepoy.
4711 Sher Singh, Sepoy.

27th Punjabis.

Carey, O. W., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Pitman, C. R. S., Lieutenant.
Rolt, P. J., Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Vernon, H. B., Captain.
Aman Gul, Subadar.
Bhusawa Singh, Jemadar.
Mir Akbar, Sub-Major.
2241 Hira Singh, Havildar.
4642 Makhmad Din, L.-Naik.
231 Pahlwan Khan, L.-Naik.
4851 Santa Singh, L.-Naik.

28th Punjabis.

Chichester, A. G. de V., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Norrish, E. B. H., 2nd-Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Nugent, J. F. H., Captain (T.).
Tomkins, H. L., Bt. Lieutenant-Colonel, D. S. O.
Mirza Khan, Jemadar.
Tara Singh, Jemadar.
Gulmir, Subadar-Major.
Sundar, Subadar-Major.
810 Gul Baz, L.-Naik.
980 Lachman Singh, Sepoy.
474 Lakhan, Sepoy.
4201 Mohamed Din, Sepoy.
4186 Multan, Havildar.
3837 Nizam Din, Naik.
3810 Jiwan Singh, Havildar.
830 Gopal Singh, Sepoy.
4350 Ghulam Sarwar, Havildar.

29th Punjabis.

Campbell, J., Captain (attd. 92nd Punjabis).

34th Sikh Pioneers.

Bailey, P. H. H., Captain.
Cullen, E. H. S., Lieut.-Col., C.M.G., M.V.O., D.S.O.
Hickman, H. T. D., Captain.
Natha Singh, Subadar.
1560 Sham Singh, Havildar.
1740 Mangal Singh, Havildar.
1613 Tara Singh, Colour-Havildar.

35th Sikhs.

Gunning, O., Lieut.-Col, C.M.G. (attd. 36th Sikhs).
McDonald, R. W., Major (T) (attd. 36th Sikhs).
Dula Singh, Subadar (attd. 47th Sikhs).
Mula Singh, Jedarmar (attd. 36th Sikhs).
2103 Bir Singh, Havildar.

36th Sikhs.

Elkington, H. O., Lieutenant.
Grey, J., Captain.
Knox, E. F., Major.
Harnam Singh, Jemadar.
Jaimal Singh, Subadar.
Sewa Singh, Jemadar.
4439 Atma Singh, Sepoy.
4157 Bakhshish Singh, Sepoy.
3871 Dalip Singh, Sepoy.
3402 Nahar Singh, Sepoy.
3543 Nand Singh, Sepoy.
3550 Sucha Singh, Naik.
3358 Sundar Singh, L.-Naik.

37th Dogras.

Andrews, H. A., Lieutenant (attd. 41st Dogras).
Dunlop, C. A.M., Captain (attd. 41st Dogras).
McCrea, A. C., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Nicholson, F. L., Captain.
Nicholson, W. H., Major (killed).
Chaggar Singh, Subadar-Major.
Tega, Subadar.

41st Dogras.

Bignell, R. L., Major (T.)
Lindop, A. H. E., Lieutenant (died of wounds).
501 Lala, L.-Naik.
724 Partap Singh, Naik.
894 Kehar Singh, Sepoy.
1247 Bhop Singh, L-Naik.

42nd Deoli Regiment.

Burnett, R. F. D., Captain (attd. 89th Punjabis).
Mallock, A. R. O., Captain.

47th Sikhs.

Davidson, S. R., Bt. Lt.-Col.
Drysdale, A. E., Captain.
Phelps, A. A., 2nd Lieut.
Rooth, A. V., 2nd Lieut., I. A. R. O.
Fauja Singh, Jemadar.
1090 Dewa Singh, Havildar.
2362 Dial Singh, Sepoy.
633 Hazara Singh, Havildar.
3319 Jewala Singh, Havildar.
728 Mastan Singh, Naik.
999 Ram Singh, Naik.
4037 Saudagar Singh, Sepoy.
4010 Serain Singh, Bugler.

51st Sikhs.

Beadon, W., Lieut.-Col. (Killed).
Beddy, P. L., Major.
Forbes, H , Captain.
Knapp, P. E., Major (Killed).
Lockhart, R. M. M., Lieut.
Akbar Khan, Jemadar.
Bhagwan Singh, Subedar.
Bhagat Singh, Subedar.
Khan Baz Khan, Subedar.
Labh Singh, Jemadar.
Sher Gul, Subedar.
1446 Barkat Shah, Havildar.
2042 Habib Shah, Sepoy.
435 Karram Singh, L.-Naik.
1189 Khan Khel, Naik.
1561 Mangtu, Sepoy.
1288 Prem Singh, Havildar.
1940 Zunda Khan, Sepoy.
853 Hazara Singh, Naik.
1623 Awal Khan, L.-Naik.
1363 Chathu, Sepoy.
225 Sundar Singh, Havildar.
2843 Sundar Singh, Sepoy.

52nd Sikhs.

Gordon, J. G. B., Captain (attached 59th Rifles).

2217 Bahadur Shah, Hav. (attached 59th Rifles).
2665 Ghulam Hassan, Naik (attached 59th Rifles).
2266 Indar Singh, Hav. (attached 59th Rifles).
2989 Sander Singh, Naik (attached 59th Rifles).

53rd Sikhs.

Bruce, G. E., Captain.
Chapman, G. H., Capt. (since deseased).
Davies, C. H., Lieut.-Col., D. S. O.
Finnis, J. F., Lieut.-Col. (died of wounds).
Hadden, A., 2nd Lieut., I. A. R. O.
Ghulam Mahomed, Jemadar.
Mangal Singh, Sub.-Major.
Santa Singh, Subedar (died of wounds.)
2710 Arjan Singh, Havildar.
376 Bazan Ali, Sepoy.
3353 Harbens Singh, Naik.
3276 Mir Awas, Havildar.
4176 Saudagar Singh, Sepoy.
3451 Tara Singh, Naik.
3175 Arjan Singh, Naik.

54th Sikhs.

28 Jhanna Singh, Sepoy (attached 53rd Sikhs).

55th Rifles.

de Butts, F. C., Captain.

56th Rifles.

Browne, F. D., Major (died of wounds).
Curtis, O. O., Lieutenant.
Woodhouse, R. C. H., Lieutenant (died of wounds).
Mardan Ali, Subedar.
2353 Bagga Singh, Sepoy.
1592 Bishn Singh, Sepoy.
2694 Dehru Khan, Sepoy.
2452 Lahrasab Khan, Lance-Naik.
2498 Suba Singh, Sepoy.
468 Walidad, Colour-Havildar.

59th Scinde Rifles.

Inskip, R. D., Captain.
Leeds, T. L., Bt. Lieut.-Colonel.

Stirling, H. F. D., Captain.
Sahib Haq, Jemadar.
Tola Singh, Subedar.
4551 Ali Faqir, Lance-Naik.
4104 Gundarab Singh, Naik.
3590 Mit Singh, Havildar.
3601 Saida Khan, Lance-Naik.

62nd Punjabis.

Grimshaw, Lieut-Colonel (killed).
Harrington, H. H., Lieut.-Colonel.
Morse, L. H., Captain.
Wemyss, A. F., 2nd Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
558 Mahl Singh, Havildar.
1966 Moti Singh, Lance-Naik.

64th Pioneers.

Watson, S. B., Major.

66th Punjabis.

1903 Santa Singh, Sepoy (attached 92nd Punjabis).
2210 Tilok Singh, Sepoy (attached 92nd Punjabis).

67th Punjabis.

Colan, W. R. B., Lieutenant-Colonel.

82nd Punjabis.

Morris, C. T., Major.
Tweddell, H., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Hira Singh, Subedar.
1443 Kesar Singh, Sepoy.
2000 Sadda Ram, Sepoy.

89th Punjabis.

Crawford, J. D., Captain.
Geoghegan, N. M., Major.
Wood, P., Captain.
Allayar Khan, Subedar.
Gulab Khan, Subedar.
1218 Bahadur Khan, Bugle Major.
2225 Bhagel Singh, L.-Naik.
1334 Ghulam Muhammed, Colour-Havildar.
1653 Gurdit Singh, Havildar.

2495 Harnam Singh, Sepoy.
1766 Jageo Dube, Havildar.
1841 Mahtab Ali, Naik.
2824 Nawab Khan, Sepoy.
1585 Sakkhi Muhammad, Colour Havildar.
2720 Saudagar Khan, Sepoy.
1605 Shahmad Khan, Naik.
2578 Sher Muhammad, Sepoy.
2378 Teja Singh, Havildar.
1903 Wadhawa Singh, L.-Naik.

91st Punjabis.

Nixon, C. H. F., Captain (attached 41st Dogras).

92nd Punjabis.

Bland, E. G., 2nd Lieut., I. A. R. O.
Clibborn, C. H., Captain.
Cloete, H. D., Captain.
Fawcett, E. B., Captain.
Fox-Male, W. C. E. T., Captain.
Maclachlan, T. R., Lieut.-Colonel.
Taylor, N. C, Captain.
Abdul Akbar, Jemadar.
Pertab Singh, Jemadar.
2907 Channan Singh, L.-Naik.
1610 Diwan Ali, L.-Naik.
2353 Harnam Singh, L.-Naik.
1906 Ghulam Mahommed, Sepoy.
1585 Nanga Khan, L.-Naik.
2470 Mast Khan, Sepoy.
Rahim Dad (2126), Sepoy.
2484 Sapooran Singh, Sepoy.
2022 Sohan Singh, Sepoy.
2052 Tek Singh, Naik.
2699 Tilok Singh, Sepoy.
1326 Ahmed Khan, Sepoy.
2735 Ashar Singh, Sepoy.
2605 Baz Singh, Sepoy.

93rd Infantry.

Cummings, E., Captain.
Haycraft, W. C. S., Lieutenant.
Morgan, B. E., Captain (T. Major).

Simpson, W. H., Major.
Subedar Fazal Hussein.
2646 Bahadur Khan, Naik.
2922 Ghulam Muhammad, Sepoy.
2828 Bhan Singh, Sepoy.
2848 Kishen Singh, Sepoy.

94th Infantry.

Martin, J., Major (T.) (attached 6th Jats).

95th Infantry.

Goldsmith, H. A., Captain, (Commanding Jaipur Transport Train).

96th Berar Infantry.

Lane, H. P., Lieutenant-Colonel.

97th Infantry.

De Lisle, R. deB, 2nd-Lieutenant.
Jenkins, R. A., Captain (killed).
Menzies, V. G., Major.
Preston, W. J. P., Major.
2188 Shaikh Fakir Mohammed, Havildar.

102nd Grenadiers.

Boome, E. H., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Coats, S. B., Captain.
Stockley, J. P., Major (killed).
Subedar Agdi Singh.
Jemadar Khan Mohammed.
2737 Bohut Ram, Lance-Naik.
2702 Mamchand Ram, Lance-Naik.
29·6 Hira Ram, Sepoy.

104th Rifles.

Butler, H. M., Major.
Kiddle, J. A. C., 2nd-Lieutenant (I.A.R.O., attached 125th Rifles).

106th Hazara Pioneers.

Ashburner, H. W., Major (attached 107th).
Ali Shafa, Jemadar.
1239 Raz Ali, Sepoy (attached 107th).
1859 Sher Muhammed, Sepoy (attached 107th).

107th Pioneers.

Hari Singh, Subedar.

Laximan Jankas, Subedar.

Muhammed Sharif, Jemadar.

906 Ali Shafa, Naik.

3274 Bolaka Singh, Havildar.

829 Haidar Ali, Colour-Havildar.

771 Juma Ali, Havildar.

4340 Narayan Kadam, Havildar.

1385 Nawaz Khan, Havildar.

3293 Nizam Khan, Naik.

399 Shah Ghasi, Havildar.

4654 Kadir Khan, Sepoy.

110th Mahrattas.

Frazer, G. S., Colonel.

116th Mahrattas.

Murari Sinde, Subedar (attached 102nd Grenadiers).

823 Vithal Rao Kathar, Naik (attached Comp. Mahratta Battalion).

117th Mahrattas.

Potter, R. J. K., Captain.

White, A. W., Captain.

120th Infantry.

912 Asghar Ali, Lance-Naik (attached 125th Rifles).

121st Pioneers.

Macleod, W. B., Captain (attached 107th Pioneers).

Tugwell, W. B. F, Captain (attached 107th Pioneers).

1381 Naurang Khan, Havildar (attached 107th Pioneers).

123rd Rifles.

1170 Nur Din, Rifleman (attached 125th Rifles).

124th Baluchistan Infantry.

Chauncy, C. H. K., Major (attached 47th Sikhs).

125th Napier's Rifles.

Hughes, L. W., Lieutenant.

Maynard, F. H., Captain.

Ruda Ram, Subadar.

Gopi Singh, Subadar.

2436 Goru Ram, Rifleman.

2398 Jeysat Ram, Rifleman.

2327 Mukanda Ram, Lance-Naik.
2370 Seochand Ram, Lance-Naik.
1771 Sher Khan, Havildar.
3886 Ahmed Khan, Bugle-Major.
2674 Makla Ram, Rifleman.
2637 Pertab Singh, Colour-Havildar.
2691 Mangna Ram, Rifleman.
2128 Ramnath Singh, Havildar.

127th Baluchis.

672 Fateh Muhammed, Sepoy.

128th Pioneers.

Birch, H., Lieutenant, I. A. R. O.
Creagh, A. H. D., Lieutenant-Colonel.
Farebrother, F. H., Captain.
Kriekenbeek, R. E. E., Major.
Karm Singh, Subedar.
Krishna Bhosle, Subedar.
Sher Afzal, Jemadar.
Krishna Jadhow, Naik.

1-1st Gurkhas.

Anderson, W. C., Lieut-Colonel.
Baldwin, M. C., Captain.
Keatinge, F. W., 2nd-Lieut., I.A.R.O.
Pahar Singh Gurung, Jemadar.
2540 Gangamani Thapa, Riflemen.
1606 Jasbir Newar, Naik.

1-2nd Gurkha Rifles.

Herka Sing Gurung, Jemadar.
Khamba Sing Gurung, Rifleman.
Lal Sing Rama, Havildar.
Lal Bahadur Gurung, Havildar.
Atibal Gurung, Havildar.
Padam Sing Thapa, Rifleman.
Raskar Gurung, Rifleman.

1-4th Gurkha Rifles.

Phayre, R. B., Captain.

2-7th Gurkha Rifles.

1830 Danbir Rai, Sepoy (attached 3rd F. A.).

1-9th Gurkhas.

Berry, E. F., Lieut.
Mackinnon, A. C. B., Captain.
Birkesar Sahi, Jemadar.
Ratan Bir Khattri, Subedar.
Tikaram Majhi, Subedar.
4977 Kubir Nam Rai, Rifleman (Assam M. P.).
1490 Kul Bahadur Karki, Havildar.
2412 Lal Bahadur Sen, Havildar.
1893 Matbar Thapa, Naik.

Supply and Transport Corps.

Bond, G. W. Major.
Brown, W., Captain.
Campbell, W., Captain.
Carrigan, P., Dep. Com. and Hon. Capt.
Carter, F. G., Lieut.
Dallas, A.E., Lieut.-Colonel.
De laMotte, R.B., Captain.
Edgerley, W. J., Asst. Com. and Hon. Lieut.
Evans, R. J., Lieut., I.A.R.O.
Fulton, F. C. R., Lieut -Col. (tempy. Colonel).
Flashman, H. C., Lieut.
Frost, F. D., Captain.
Gilbert, H. H., Captain
Gilbertson, G., Captain.
Hume-Spry, W. E., Captain.
Hurst, I., Lieut.
Lyttle, W. J., Lieut. (Asst. Comy.).
Lyster, C. J. H., Captain.
MacMahon, H. F. E., Major.
Morris, C. O., Major.
Polle, I. M. C., Major.
Preston, E. E., Major.
Robinson, C. W., Major.
Rowan-Robinson, J. R., Major (T.)
Stevenson, H. D. M., Captain.
Williams, W., Lieut. and Asst. Commissary.
Wright, R., Lieut, and Asst. Commissary.
Bennett, E., Sub-Conductor.
Bingham, E. G., Conductor.
Brown, W. H., Staff Sergeant.

Cheesman, E. J., Conductor.
Darby, W. A., Conductor.
Dunne, J, Sub-Conductor.
Edgerley, H. F., Sub-Conductor.
Gates, T. H., Sub-Conductor.
Gordon, W. D., Conductor (12th Mule Corps).
Graham, R., Sub-Conductor.
Heywood, T., Staff Sergeant.
Mackiernan, E. J., Sub-Conductor.
Martinant, E., Staff Sergeant.
North, S. A., Ditto.
Pailthorpe, H. N., Ditto.
Tanner, P., Ditto.
Thomas, W. H., Sub-Conductor.
Waugh, C. R., Ditto
Jall, A. M., Clerk (6th Grade).
Ragunath Rai, 6th grade clerk.
39 Bahadur Khan, Duffadar (7th Mule Corps).
Dewan Chand, Temporary 1st Class Agent.
533 Mir Zaman, Naick (2nd Mule Corps).
317 Tiwana Khan, Naick (5th Mule Corps) (attd. 128th Pioneers).
Ram Chunder Agarwal, 3rd grade clerk.
121 Feroze Din, Kot Duffr (26th Mule Corps).
Rahim Ali, Naick, Temy. Duffr., Cavalry Grass Mule Corps.
Sher Ali, Naick 30th Mule Corps.
Mukerjee, J. C., 4th grade clerk.
Muhammad Latafat Hussain, 2nd grade clerk.

Indian Medical Service.

Anderson, S., Bt. Lieut.-Colonel.
Bannerjee, M. N., Tempy. Lieutenant.
Bradley, R. J., Major.
Canteenvalla, J. P, Temporary Lieutenant.
Connor, F. P, Major.
Fraser, F. C., Captain.
Fitzgerald, D. C., Captain.
Gillitt, W., Major.
Goss, E. S., Captain.
Goodbody, C. M., Major, D. S. O.
Green-Armytage, P. D., Captain.
Hamilton, W. H., Captain.
Herrick, R. de S. B., Captain.

Hislop, J. H., Captain.
Horton, J. H., Major, D. S. O.
Jones, J. W., Captain.
Kelsall, R., Major
Kirwan, Captain.
Lack, L. A. H., Captain.
Lloyd, R. A., Major.
Mackworth, N. W., Major.
Martin, J. S. S., Captain.
Macgregor, R. F. D., Captain.
Nott, A. H., Lieut.-Colonel.
Patton, W. S., Major.
Perry, E. L., Lieut.-Colonel.
Rai Diwan Hakumat, Captain.
Rowntree, H. K., Captain.
Shaw, C. C. C., Captain.
Sinton, J. A., Captain.
Sweet, R., Captain.
Sundar Das Sondhi, Lieutenant.
Wells, R. T., Captain.
White, W. W., Colonel.
Jyotilal Sen, Captain.

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

Aling, G. E., 4th Class Assistant Surgeon.
Blaker, G. H., 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon.
Coombes, W. K., 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon.
D'Nette, C. I., 4th Class Assistant Surgeon.
Eates, E. A., 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon.
Lamond, J. D. M., 4th Class Assistant Surgeon.
Lopez, W. J., 2nd Class Assistant Surgeon.
MacQueen, H. G. S., Honorary Lieutenant.
Montgomery, J. P., Assistant Surgeon.
Murphy, R. T., Honorary Captain.
Newbold, J. W., 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon.
Perreira, W. A. C., 3rd Class Assistant Surgeon.
Pettigrew, R. W., 1st Class Assistant Surgeon.
Rodrigues, J. M., Assistant Surgeon.
Rosemeyer, J. F. C., 4th Class Assistant Surgeon.
Wrafter, G. T., 4th Class Assistant Surgeon.
Williamson, J., 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon.
Tilok Singh, Subedar, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 51st Sikhs).

Balmukand, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1164 Chuhar Singh, 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 59th Rifles).

1315 Gopinath Agarwal, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 1-9th Gurkha Rifles).

1329 Harnam Singh, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1074 Jeswant Singh, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1105 Karta Ram, Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 6th Jats).

Lal Singh, Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1362 Raj Singh, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

Redkar, A. A., 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1271 Sudama Ram, 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 1-1st Gurkha Rifles).

1406 Suraj Pal, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon (attached 37th Dogras).

Dan Singh Rai, Head Clerk (3rd Division A.D.M S. Office).

Karam Chand, Subedar, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

863 Jit Singh, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

829 Luchman Das, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

Mahomed Kazim, Subedar, 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

263 Mokan Lal Nagesar Shukla, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

1262 M. Hira Singh, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

Shaikh Miran Shaikh Rakim, 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

Shede Bhalachandras, 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

Army Bearer Corps.

4450 Abdulla Khan,	Bearer.
2474 Ali Gauhar,	"
8044 Bearose,	"
8032 Beni,	Lance-Naick.
1519 Faiz Mahomed,	Bearer.
3369 Fatha,	"
8118 Ganga Din,	"
5235 Ganga Ram,	"
7035 Girdhari,	"
3181 Kadhao,	"
7159 Komil,	"
4304 Mahomed Khan,	"
7159 Mowa Ram,	"
5196 Mangal,	Lance-Naick.
8808 Namgay,	"
7405 Pitam,	Bearer.
3513 Ram Singh,	"
3032 Sadu Singh,	Naick.

Follett, E., Sub-Lieut., R.N.V. R.
Gosling, W. G., Sub-Lieut., R.N.V.R.
Harvey, B., Tempy. Captain.
Harold, A. E., Commander, R. I. M.
Hearn, E. S., Tempy. Captain, I. A. R. O.
Hindman, G. H., Engineer, R.I.M.
Howes, G. A., Tempy. Lieut., R.I.M.
Huddleston, W. B., Commander, R.I.M.
Hughes-Hallet, H. P., Lieut., R.I.M.
Hull, G., Engineer, R.I.M.
Innes, R. M., Tempy. Engineer, R.I.M.
Kinch, A. G., Lieut., R.I.M.
King, W. K., Lieut., R.N.V.R.
Llewellyn, A. P., Tempy. Sub-Lieut., R.I.M.
MacCallum, H., Tempy. Lieut., R.I.M.
Marsh, B. O., Lieut., R.I.M.
Milne, W. A., Tempy. Lieut., R.I.M.
Morgan, P. R., Tempy. Lieut., R.IM.
Nicoll, C. J., Lieut., R.I.M.
Newton, T. B., Engineer, R.I.M.
Poyntz, A. R. C., Lieut., R.I.M.
Readman, W. G., Tempy. Lieut., R.I.M.
Reed, W. L., Sub-Lieut., R.N.V.R.
Salmond, H. M., Commander, R.I.M.
Scott, C. A., Lieut., R.I.M.
Skliros, Esq., Chief Engineer, Motor Workshop.
Symonds, W., Tempy. Engineer, R.I.M.
Szulczewski, O., Lieut., R.N.V.R.
Vincent, R., Engineer, R.I.M.
Ward, J. C., Lieut., R.I.M.
Wilkin, P., Esq.
15. Buchanan, G. W., Private, E. I. Ry. Vols.
28. Geary, R., Private, E. I. Ry. Vols.
Roy, G. C., Tempy. Jemadar, Marine Workshop.
Shaikh Abdul Rahman, Master T. 3.
Shaikh Mohamed Baba, Master "Bahrein."
Abdul Karim Saleh, Master "Shurur."
Hassan Ghulam, Master "Salimi."
Haji Ibrahim Saig, No. 1 Pilot.
Abdullah Sangur, Master "Shihab."

No. 1242.—A list of officers, non-commissioned officers and men brought to notice by Major-General C. V. F. Townshend, C.B., D.S.O., for distinguished service during the defence of Kut-al-Amarah from the 3rd December 1915 to the 29th April 1916, is published for general information:—

Royal Navy.

Tudway, Sub-Lieutenant L.

Royal Flying Corps.

Winfield Smith, Captain S. C.

Divisional and Brigade Headquarters Staffs.

Annesley	...	Colonel, A.S.R., Supply and Transport Corps.
Browne-Mason	...	Lieutenant-Colonel, H.O.B., R.A.M.C.
Chitty	...	Colonel, W.W., 119th Infantry.
Courtenay	...	Lieutenant-Colonel, N.H., R.G.A.
Crawley	...	2nd-Lieutenant, C.P., 2nd Dorset Regiment.
Daniell	...	Captain, H.J., 20th Infantry.
Davie	...	Major, J.H.M., 34th Poona Horse.
Delamain	...	Major-General, W.S., C.B., D.S.O.
Dunn	...	Major, E.G., Royal Irish Rifles.
Evans	...	Colonel, U.W., C.B., R.E.
Forbes	...	Major, E.E., Supply and Transport Corps.
Gilchrist	...	Captain, W.F.C., 52nd Sikhs.
Grier	...	Colonel, H.D., R.A.
Hamilton	...	Brigadier-General, W.G., C.B., D.S.O.
Hehir	...	Colonel (Tempy. Brig.-General), P., C.B.
Hibbert	...	Captain, O.Y., Royal West Kent Regiment.
Hoghton	...	Brigadier-General, F.A.
Johnson	...	Major, M.E.S., 48th Pioneers.
Julius	...	Major, S. deV.A., Royal Sussex Regiment.
Melliss	...	Major-General, Sir C.J., V.C., K.C.B.
Morland	...	Captain, W.E.T., 1st Ox. & Bucks. Light Infantry.
Mullan	...	Reverend Father J., R.C. Chaplain.
Peel	...	Captain, B.G., 81st Pioneers.
Snell	...	Lieutenant, W., 1-4th Devon Regiment.
Spooner	...	Reverend H., C. of E. Chaplain.
Wilson	...	Lieutenant-Colonel, F.A., R.E.
Wilson	...	Captain, N.M., 2-7th Gurkha Rifles.
Staff-Sergt. H. J. Bird	...	Supy. I.M. List.
Sergeant W. North	...	Corps of Military Staff Clerks.
No. 1288 L.-Corpl. E. Sandye	...	4th Devonshire Regiment.
Subadar Lehna Singh	...	48th Pioneers.

No. 1343 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon S. Mannikhan, I.S.M.D.

No. 1487 L.-Daffadar Nazir Khan	...	5th Cavalry.

3536 Sir Bahadur, Bearer.

3225 Tota, „

Nursing Orderlies.

416 Butler, O. F., Private, 21st Lancers (attached G. H. Q.)

9456 Fairbrother, A., Private, 1st Oxford and Bucks. L. I.

8702 Saunders, W., Private, 2nd Hants Regiment.

Ward Servants and Orderlies.

11001 Abdul Jawhir Khan, 1st Grade Ward Servant.

2728 Abdul Sattar, Ward Orderly, 73rd Carnatic Infantry.

2375 Allah Din Khan, Ward Orderly, 17th Infantry.

11041 Madar Allah Rakhan, 3rd Grade Ward Servant, A. H. C.

10010 Maduray Nappen, 1st Grade Ward Servant, A. H. C.

11001 Mohamed Khan Pathan, 1st Grade Ward Servant.

1418 Mohamed Hussain, Ward Orderly, 28th Cavalry.

6084 Pera Luxuman, 2nd Grade Ward Servant, A. H. C.

2310 Sabapathy, Ward Orderly, 86th Carnatic Infantry.

Q. A. M. N. S. I.

Cusins, C. T., Miss.

Watts, P. T., Miss, Lady Superintendent.

Indian Ordnance Department.

Carter, E. R., Lieut.-Colonel.

Reed, C., Major, R. A.

Briggs, I. B., Sub-Conductor.

Eagle, H., Staff Sergeant.

Survey Department.

Pirie, F. W., Lieut.-Colonel, I. A.

Turner, H. H., Major R. E.

Laltan Khan, Jemadar.

Muhamad Khan, Jemadar.

Military Accounts Department.

Ross, G. W., Major.

Sheppard, G. S., Lt.-Col., (tempy. Col.), C. M. G.

Allen, R. E., 2nd Grade Accountant.

Baptist, W. L., 1st Grade Accountant.

Mobit, Kuman Deb, 4th Grade Clerk.

Army Remount Department.

Anderson, J. F. H., Captain, 31st Lancers.

Bhawani Singh, Major, Indore Mounted Escort.

Mahomed Ismaq, Veterinary Inspector.

Government Telegraph Department.

Bagshawe, E. L., Mr.
De Smidt, G. E. O., Mr.
Power, G. B., Mr.
35403 Duffield, A. G., Gunner.
Fajaldin, Linesman.
Gonsalves, J. M., Telegraphist.
Perkins, M. S., Inspecting Telegraphist.
Rampershad, Sub-Inspector.
Sher Khan, Sub-Inspector.
Williams, R. O., Inspecting Telegraphist.

Postal Department.

Bray, W. T., Mr.
Clerici, E., Mr.
Owens, J. H., Mr.
Shujab Ali.

Veterinary Services.

Anthony, W. S., Major (tempy. Lieutenant-Colonel).
Higgins, R. H. O., Captain.
Stephenson, H., Captain.
Wood, W. A., Major.
Donnley, R., Farrier, Q.M.S.
Hudd, R., Shoeingsmith.
Taylor, G., Sergeant.
Westacott, W. L., Farrier Staff-Sergeant, I.S.V.D.

River Transport Service.

Alexander, R. D. T., tempy. Major, London Scottish.
Beckingsale, F. H., tempy. Sub-Lieutenant, R.I.M.
Blackmore, J. C., tempy. Engineer, R.I.M.
Boultbee, H. T., Lieutenant, R.I.M.
Boykett, C. H., Lieutenant, R.I.M.
Browne, J. H., Sub-Lieutenant, R.N.V.R.
Bugg, H. J., tempy. Lieutenant, R.I.M.
Chalmers, T. A., Esq.
Collins, F. J., tempy. Lieutenant, R.I.M.
Cowley, C. H., Lieutenant-Commander, R.N.V.R. (killed).
Cowley, R. G., Sub-Lieut., R.N.V.R.
D'Eye, E. C. R., Sub-Lieutenant, R.N.V.R.
Duncan, I. J., tempy. Lieut., R.I.M.

Royal Artillery Staff.

Halford ... Captain, E.S.
No. 70343 ... Gunner R. Glidhill.

Headquarters, 10th Brigade, R.F.A.

Harvey ... Major, A.F.B.
Maule ... Lieutenant-Colonel, H.N. St. J.
Bonaker ... Armament Quarter Master Serjeant, A.O.C.

63rd Battery, R.F.A.

Broke Smith ... Major, H.
Carlisle ... Captain, T.R.M.
Mc Neal ... Lieutenant, H.S.D.
No 4320 ... Sergeant J. Spicer.
No. 62209 ... Driver P. Maxfield.
No. 20360 ... Bombr. A. Smith.

76th Battery, R.F.A.

Dorling ... Captain, L.H.G. (wounded).
Lloyd ... Major, O.S.
No. 21618 ... S. Sergeant A. A. Thomas.
No. 44520 ... Bombr. A. Muston.
No. 48051 ... Gunner A. Gooding.
No. 1310 ... Sergeant F. Skellern.
No. 50825 ... Bombr. D. Honey (?).

82nd Battery, R.F.A.

Baylay ... Captain, E. J L.
Corbould-Warren ... Major, E.
No. 2145 ... Battery Sergeant Major F. Wilford.
No. 41097 ... Sergeant E. Hye.
No. 66284 ... A. Bombr. G. W. Wilford.
No. 5923 ... Sergeant A. G. Cleaver.

6th Divisional Ammunition Column.

Martin ... Captain, E. T. (severely wounded).
No. 31143 ... Battery Sergeant Major C. E. Warner.
No. 52432 ... Gunner E. Cavanagh.
No. 23257 ... Battery Quarter Master Sergeant W. J. Reeve.

1-5th Hants Howitzer Battery (T.)

Thomson, H. G. ... Major (severely wounded).
No. 59235 ... Battery Sergeant Major A. Hill.
No. 4545 ... Driver H. A. Stubbs.

86th Heavy Battery, R.G.A.

Alexander ... Major, R. C. J.
Lowndes ... Captain, R. C.
No. 28164 ... Gunner F. Pannell.
No. 28766 ... Bombr. W. Dorrington.
No. 27436 ... Bombr. G. Moore.

104th (Heavy) Battery, R.G.A.

Farmar ...	Major, W. C. R.
Guise ...	Captain, V. R.
Johnston ...	Lieutenant, M.A.B.
Parsons ...	2nd-Lieutenant R. G.
No. 900 ...	Corporal S. S. A. Honey.
No. 32050 ...	Gunner A. Oddy.
No. 26396 ...	Gunner V. Cunningham.
No. 20443 ...	Bombr. H. Harper.
No. 26075 ...	Gunner W. J. Bailey.

Volunteer Artillery Battery.

Anderson ...	Major A. J. (wounded), Rangoon Artillery Volunteers.
Davern ...	Lieutenant F. B. (wounded).
Freeland ...	Captain K. F., R. G. A.
No. 32 ...	Sergeant R. T. Heals.
Company Sergeant Major	M. Winchester.
No. 12 ...	Sergeant J. G. Rolls.

Maxim Battery.

Stockley ...	Captain C. H., 66th Punjabis.
No. 8644 ...	Pte. Lincoln, 2nd Battalion, Norfolk Regiment.
No. 8450 ...	Pte. F. S. Elsden, 2nd Battalion, Norfolk Regiment.
No. 3953 Havildar ...	Chanan Singh, 119th Infantry.
No. 1915 L.-Naik ...	Kark Bahadur, 2-7th Gurkha Rifles (wounded).
No. 4127 Sepoy ...	Bhaannear Singh, 119th Infantry (wounded).
No. 3985 L.-Naik ...	Tika, 119th Infantry.
No. 1220 Sepoy ...	Teg Singh, 66th Punjabis.
No. 1003 Sepoy ...	Sahel Singh, 120th Infantry.

Royal Engineers.

Barker ...	Major J. S., M. V. O.
Colbeck ...	Captain C.E., R.E., Sirmur Imperial Sappers.
Spink ...	2nd-Lieutenant H.H.M., I.A.R.O.
Tomlinson ...	Captain H.W., R.E.
Winsloe ...	Major H. E. (wounded).
Company Sergeant-Major	G. Belliss.
Sergeant ...	A. H. Baker
Staff Sergeant ...	W. Kearsley.
Sergeant ...	E. Toleman.

2nd Battalion, The Norfolk Regiment.

Clifton ...	Lieutenant H. A., 8th Battalion, East Surrey Regiment attached.
Lodge ...	Major F. C.
Osmond ...	Captain T. E., R.A.M.C.

Portsmouth	...	Lieutenant F. V.
Read	...	Lieutenant J. F. W.
Richardson	...	Lieutenant and Qr. Mr. J. T. (wounded).
No. 6031	...	A. Company, Sergeant-Major F. Dermott.
No. 5807	...	A. Company, Sergeant-Major B. Richards.
No. 7868	...	Private J. Crane.
No. 7913	...	Private A. Stewart.
No. 6668	...	A. Sergeant E. Riches.
No. 799	...	A Sergeant L. Aniers, 1-10th Middlesex Regiment.
No. 7476	...	Lance-Corporal R. Adamson.
No. 7313	...	Lance-Corporal A. Hilling.
No. 5245	...	Private A. Piggin.
No. 8363	...	Private F. Wilby.
No. 7697	...	Private A. Catchpole (killed in action).
No. 7839	...	Private A. Barnes.
No. 7971	...	Private H. Cotton.
No. 7400	...	Private E. Brarman.
No. 7720	...	Sergeant F. Batten.
No. 8530	...	Sergeant W. M. Jones, 2nd Bn., East Surrey Regiment.
No. 3840	...	A. Corporal E. Thouless.
No. 7494	...	Lance-Corporal G. Rane.
No. 1766	...	Lance-Corporal J. Clench, 1-8th Middlesex Regiment.
No. 8569	...	Private A. Wilkins.
No. 7940	...	Private F. Gilbert.
No. 8310	...	Private C. Collinson (wounded).
No. 4762	...	Private W. Phillips.
No. 7665	...	Private S. L. Gutteridge.
No. 1681	...	Private W. Swan, 1-10th Middlesex Regiment.

1-4th Hampshire Regiment.

Floyd	...	Captain A. B., 2nd Bn., Norfolk Regiment.
Footner	...	Major F. L.
Reeks	...	Captain N.
No. 73	...	A. Company, Sergeant-Major W. Crosby.
No. 149	...	A. Company, Qr. Mr. Sergeant A. W. Bogie.
No. 2462	...	Corporal A. H. Blake.
No. 491	...	Sergeant Mr. Cook A. Hadgeman.
No. 1538	...	Sergeant H. Hawkins, 2-4th Hampshire Regiment.
No. 2353	...	Sergeant A. L. Page.
No. 846	...	Sergeant R. Odell, 1-6th Hampshire Regiment.

2nd Battalion, The Dorset Regiment.

Herbert	...	Major G. M., D.S.O.
Miller	...	Lieutenant S.
Waldram	...	Lieutenant H. G, 1-6th Devon Regiment.
No. 9068	...	Lance-Corporal J. Arnold.
No. 8940	...	Private A. Horne.
No. 8163	...	Private W. Kerley.
No. 7309	...	Sergeant F. Harvey.
No. 4766	...	Sergeant G. Barfoot.
No. 2078	...	Lance-Corporal A. Penny, 1-5th Somerset Light Infantry.
No. 7901	...	Sergeant I. Ireland.
No. 8309	...	Sergeant J. Parsons.
No. 8120	...	Private H. Blake.
No. 8554	...	Private J. Adams.

1st Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

Lethbridge	...	Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. E., D.S.O.
Mason	...	Lieutenant A. E.
Mundey	...	Captain S. C. B.
Naylor	...	Lieutenant G. (wounded).
Stanton	...	Captain J., R.A.M.C.
No. 6097	...	Sergeant A. Purseglove.
No. 10497	...	Temporary Sergeant G. Trine, Highland Light Infantry.
No. 16140	...	Temporary Corporal R. Compton.
No. 8395	...	Lance-Corporal T. Swift.
No. 8987	...	Private W. Hicks.
No. 8654	...	Sergeant A. Eventt.
No. 9046	...	Lance-Sergeant S. Ballard.
No. 8454	...	Private C. Stokes.
No. 9673	...	Private E. Merritt.
No. 8593	...	Private W. Saxby (wounded).
No. 9920	...	Private C. Rakestrow.
No. 8848	...	Private W. Rankin.
No. 845	...	Private P. Devanney.

2nd Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).

Burns	...	Lieutenant E. B., 1-5th The Buffs (T).
Dinwiddy	...	Captain M. J.
Nelson	...	Major J. W., D.S.O.
No. 6078	...	Sergeant R. Darley.
No. 8413	...	Private A. Playford.

No. 8539	...	Private J. Westborne.
No. 3180	...	Private R. Mockaday, 2-6th Devon. Regiment.
No. 6550	...	Company Sergeant Major M. C. Crisford.
No. 8154	...	Company Quartermaster-Sergeant R. Roythorne.
No. 7909	...	Company Quartermaster-Sergeant E. Bough.
No. 8358	...	Private A. Barden.
No. 1515	...	Private W. Whiffen, 1-5th Royal West Kent Regiment.
No. 3628	...	Sergeant T. Dixon.
No. 9802	...	Lance-Corporal A. Brown.
No. 8505	...	Private S. Page.
No. 1893	...	Private A. Cooper, 1-5th Royal West Kent Regiment.

23rd Cavalry.

Kirkwood	...	Captain C. H. K.
Jemadar	...	Sahib Dad.
No. 954	...	Duffadar Mohammed Akhbar.
No. 1341	...	Duffadar Dundhe Khan.
No. 1596	...	Duffadar Mohammad Hafif.

17th Company, 3rd Sappers and Miners.

Yearsley	...	Lieutenant K. O., R.E.
No. 2276	...	Havildar Samundar Khan.
No. 3336	...	Sapper Kishawrao Mane.
No. 3457	...	Lance-Naik Sakaram Kale.
No. 4732	...	Sapper Ramchandar Chonse.
No. 3246	...	Naik Zaman Ali.
No. 3275	...	Lance-Naik Sukha Singh.
No. 3111	...	Sapper Gujrat Singh.
No. 4496	...	Sapper Gulam Hussain Singh (?).
No. 2544	...	Sapper Lall Singh.
No. 3802	...	Naik Bir Singh.
No. 3961	...	Lance-Naik Mangal Singh.
No. 2954	...	Sapper Khan Alam.
No. 4325	...	Sapper Nur Din.
No. 3184	...	Sapper Mahammadji.

22nd Company, 3rd Sappers and Miners.

Mathias	...	Lieutenant L. W. H., 128th Pioneers.
Matthews	...	Lieutanant A. B., R.E.
Subadar	...	Mahammad Din, I.O.M.
No. 2878	...	A.-Naik Son Singh.

No. 3075	...	Sapper Indar Singh.
No. 3625	...	Naik Herdal Singh.
No. 4067	...	Sapper Indar Singh.
No. 4587	...	Sapper Abdul Aziz.
No. 3963	...	A.-Havildar Muhammad Din Khan.
No. 4108	...	Lance-Naik Baz Khan.
No. 4668	...	Sapper Paras Ram Cori.
No. 3827	...	Sapper Feroz Khan.
No. 2560	...	Sapper Ramaya Kpraya.
No. 3876	...	Naik Samal Topti.
No. 4117	...	Sapper Butta Khan.
No. 4683	...	Sapper Nur Hasan.
No. 4620	...	Sapper Fazal Rasul.
No. 3004	...	Sapper Shaikh Doran.

34th Divisional Signal Company.

Cardew	...	Captain H. S., 39th Garwhal Rifles.
Gatherer	...	Lieutenant A. H. N., 46th Punjabis (wounded).
Mc Conville	...	2nd-Lieutenant J., King's Liverpool Regiment.
No. 41	...	Company Serjeant-Major F. Murphy.
No. 80	...	Sapper Subramani.

Wireless Squadron.

Greenwood	...	Lieutenant C. J. E, R. E.
No. 1	...	Squadron Quartermaster-Sergeant H. Locke.

Bridge Train.

Sandes	...	Captain E W. C., R.E., 1st King George's Own S. and M.
Jemadar	...	Sadar Din, 1st K. G. O. Sappers and Miners.
No. 505.	...	Havildar Nawab.

Searchlight Section.

Stace	...	Captain R. E., R.E.
No. 9421	...	Lance-Corporal R. Read, 1-Ox and Bucks Light Infantry.

Works Company.

Mayo	....	2nd-Lieutenant F. (wounded).
Sub-Overseer	...	Kartar Singh, Sirmur Imperial Sappers.
No. 331	...	Naik Nik Singh (killed in action).

7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.

Arthur	...	Captain D., I. M. S.

Furneaux ... 2nd-Lieutenant T. E.
Parr ... Lieutenant-Colonel H. O.
Thomson ... Captain A. R.
Subadar ... Daulat Singh, 8th Rajputs.
No. 1589 ... L.-Havildar Muttra Singh.
Subadar ... Rambaran Singh.
No. 1800 ... Havildar Rambahadur Singh, 8th Rajputs.
No. 1748 ... Sepoy Balkaran Singh.
No. 1155 ... Havildar Shin Dayal Singh.
No. 1852 ... Naik Ramadhin Singh.
No. 2109 ... A.-Naik Shinmangal Singh.
No. 1715 ... Sepoy Ganpat Singh.

22nd Punjabis.

Sutherland ... Captain A. O.
Wallace ... Captain C. W.
Subadar ... Badam Singh.
Jemadar ... Hakim Singh.
No. 222 ... Sepoy Dalit Singh.
No. 162 ... Sepoy Dutep Singh
No. 4605 ... Havildar Santa Singh.
No. 4751 ... Naik Bhakur Singh.
No. 370 ... L.-Naik Lair Singh.
No. 743 ... Sepoy Dhana Singh.

24th Punjabis.

Bignell ... Captain C. A., 4th Rajputs.
Clifford ... Captain R.O., I.M.S.
Cummins ... Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. V.
Haig ... Captain A. B.
No. 3779 ... Havildar Bhagwan Singh.

48th Punjabis.

Harward ... Bt.-Colonel A. J. N.
Neumann ... Major C. W. (wounded).
Raynor ... Captain C. A.
Spackman ... Captain W. C., I.M.S.
No. 1439 ... Naik Dewak Ram.
No. 1367 ... Sepoy Harpul.
No. 1523 ... L.-Naik Massa Singh.
No. 713 ... Binda Singh.
No. 2080 ... Sepoy Mangal Singh.
No. 1734 ... Sepoy Hira Singh.

66th Punjabis.

Corbett	...	Captain R. D. de la C., 48th Pioneers.
Moore	...	Lieutenant-Colonel A.
Jemadar	...	Muhammad Kasim.
No. 1181	...	Naik Channan Singh.
No. 690	...	Havildar Muzuffar Khan.
Subadar	...	Bishon Singh.

3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Barkat Ali, I. S. M. D.

No. 1511	...	Sepoy Sinna Khan.
No. 2273	...	L.-Naik Bazza Singh.
No. 3013	...	Havildar Chura Singh.
No. 336	...	Havildar Sultan Khan.
No. 1071	...	Havildar Lall Singh.
No. 1961	...	L.-Naik Siltan Khan.

67th Punjabis.

Arbuthnot	...	2nd-Lieutenant H. H. (died of wounds).
Grant	...	Captain R. A. P., 112th Infantry (wounded).
Gribbon	...	Captain M. C. (killed in action).
Subadar	...	Mohamed Din (missing).
Jemadar	...	Fazal Hussain.
No. 4142	...	Havildar Shera.
No. 132	...	Havildar Mahan Singh.
No. 933	...	Sepoy Mehra Din.
No. 2332	...	Sepoy Nur Khan.
No. 1649	...	Sepoy Fazal Dad (killed in action).
No. 1164	...	Naik Grukar Ali.
No. 2332	...	Sepoy Nur Khan.
No. 933	...	Sepoy Mehr Din.
No. 4192	...	Bugler Sher Shah, 112th Infantry (killed in action).

76th Punjabis.

Cotton	...	Major H. J., 99th Infantry.
Laing	...	Captain S. Van B.
Milford	...	Major E.
Reyne	...	Captain G. Van R. (wounded).
Rybot	...	Major N. V. L., D.S.O.
Subadar	...	Ghulam Muhammad Khan.
No. 414	...	Havildar Narain Singh.
No. 693	...	Havildar Valandar Khan.
No. 1033	...	Havildar Feroz Khan.
No. 3821	...	Sepoy Bhore Singh, 99th Infantry (wounded).

103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.

Brown	... Lieutenant-Colonel W. H.
Goldfrap	... Captain H. W. (wounded).
Hinds	... Lieutenant W. A. G. (wounded).
Leigh-Bennett	... 2nd-Lieutenant P. R., I. A. R. O.
Reynolds	... Lieutenant B. W. R.
Thorne	... Major A. O. D. (severely wounded).
Subadar Major	... Ramchandar Rao Mohite (killed in action).
Subadar	... Sirpate Kidam.
Subadar	... Illasdar Khan.
Subadar	... Eshwant Bhose.
Jemadar	... Krishna Chawan.
Jemadar	... Gopalrao Palande.
Jemadar	... Daulatrao More.
Jemadar	... Mhadr Jadhao.
Sub-Assistant Surgeon	... Satpute, I.S.M.D.
No. 3724	... Havildar Ragnath Rao Khore.
No. 2343	... Cr. Havildar Dinn Gadhu.
No. 3111	... Havildar Atma Ram Rane.
No. 4246	... Sepoy Bapu Swinse.
No. 3645	... Sepoy Kashabha Suijore.
No. 3034	... Naik Shioram.
No. 3106	... Havildar Shaikh Muhammad.
No. 2905	... Naik Remidio Desa.
No. 3037	... Sepoy Rajbarao Namunker.
No. 4210	... Sepoy Gatthe Sindhe.
No. 2843	... Naik Pandhu Salunke.
No. 4246	... Sepoy Baju Swinse.
No. 3865	... L.-Naik Shaikh Fakriddin.
No. 5912	... Sepoy Dagarli.
No. 3072	... Sepoy Saipate Chaman (killed in action).
No. 2018	... Naik Shaikh Bade, 105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

104th Wellesley's Rifles.

Look	... 2nd-Lieutenant A. O., I. A. R. O.
Manners	... Captain C. M. S.
Subadar Major	... Hasan Muhammad.
Subadar	... Mukh Ram, I.O.M.
No. 746	... Rifleman Kaylam Singh, 123rd Rifles.
No. 1170	... Cr. Havildar Sharaf Khan.
No. 2547	... Rifleman Bachan Singh.

No. 3069	...	Naik Ganesha Ram.
No. 658	...	L.-Naik Bega Ram, 123rd Rifles.
No. 1615	...	L.-Naik Jhonta Singh.
No. 658	...	L.-Naik Bega Ram, 123rd Rifles.
No. 570	...	Rifleman Nanak Ram.

110th Mahratta Light Infantry.

Chamier	...	Captain R. O.
Gunn	...	Captain A. D.
McFaydon	...	2nd-Lieutenant A.
Subadar Major	...	Shaikh Yasin.
Sub-Assistant Surgeon	...	Mittulal.
No. 393	...	Havildar Shaikh Mihiden.
No. 2137	...	L.-Naik Gulab Khan.
No. 521	...	Cr. Havildar Bapu Shedge (wounded).

117th Mahrattas.

Crichton	...	Major Mc V., 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.
Hungerford	...	Lieutenant S. A. H., 116th Mahrattas.
Jemadar	...	Abaji Rao Kadam.
No. 3320	...	Sepoy Sadasao Gawade.
No. 3094	...	Sepoy Narsing Rao Sinde.
No. 2077	...	Havildar Appa Saurant.
No. 1698	...	Naik Ganpat Rao Salve.
No. 2760	...	Sepoy Shaikh Pakah.

119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Haddon	...	Lieutenant H. E. (killed in action).
Keeling	...	2nd-Lieutenant, E. H., I. A. R. O. (wounded).
Wood	...	2nd-Lieutenant J. P., I. A. R. O.
Subadar	...	Unad Singh.
No. 4526	...	Sepoy Baloo Singh.
No. 4036	...	Sepoy Radmal Singh.
No. 3725	...	Naik Nich Singh.
No. 4052	...	Sepoy Ladoo Singh.
No. 3885	...	L.-Naik Durjan Singh.
No. 4151	...	Sepoy Mansubdad Khan.

120th Rajputana Infantry.

Lecky	...	2nd-Lieutenant R. L., I. A. R. O.
Miskin	...	Captain W. L.
Pocock	...	Major P. F.
Rich	...	Lieutenant H. H.

Subadar Major	...	Khitab Gul, I. O. M.
Subadar	...	Indar Singh.
No. 1186	...	Havildar Lachman Singh.
No. 1046	...	Havildar Deburam.
No. 1280	...	Sepoy Jetmal Singh.
No. 1915	...	Sepoy Zaidi Gul.
No. 1246	...	Sepoy Dhan Singh, 122nd Infantry.
Jemadar	...	Nagh Singh.
Jemadar	...	Sawla Ram.
Jemadar	...	Naha.
No. 1603	...	Havildar Ruknudin.
No. 1542	...	Havildar Khet Singh.
No. 1016	...	Havildar Sohan.
No. 1576	...	L.-Naik Natha Rawat.
No. 775	...	Sepoy Rahmat Ali.

27th Gurkha Rifles.

Alexander	...	Captain A. R. S., I. M. S. (died of wounds).
Channer	...	Lieutenant G. O. de R.
Powell	...	Lieutenant-Colonel W. B.
Sweet	...	Lieutenant R. T.
Taylor	...	Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. N.
No. 2339	...	Rifleman Karnasing Rai.
No. 2657	...	" Chandra Bahadur Rai.
No. 2053	...	" Dhojhman Rai.
No. 2440	...	" Narbahadur Rai.
No. 2639	...	" Raidhan Rai.
No. 2029	...	" Rambahadur Thaga.
No. 2332	...	" Sirnand Limbu.
No. 2475	...	" Narbahadur Limbu.
No. 2069	...	L.-Naik Shirbahadur Rai.
Jemadar	...	Dalbir Rai.
No. 746	...	Havildar Mandjoj-Ram.
No. 967	...	Havildar Indrase Aning (Tindal).

Sirmur Imperial Service Sappers.

Jemadar	...	Dhwan Singh.
No. 209	...	Quarter-Master Havildar Warvam Singh.
No. 173	...	Naik Ram Dyal.
No. 403	...	A-Lance Naik Hariyman.

No. 537	...	Sapper Gopal Singh.
No. 491	...	Sapper Tulsi Ram.
No. 207	...	Havildar Major Shekranad.
No. 80	...	Havildar Bholar Singh.
No. 417	...	Acting L.-Naik Ranji Das.
No. 505	...	Sapper Jung Bahadur.
No. 509	...	Sapper Janicite Ram.

Supply and Transport Services.

Rae	...	Captain G. R., 7th Rajputs, attached.
Syer	...	Major H. H.
White	...	Lieutenant G. E.
Conductor	...	W. Kee.

Transport Corps.

Stewart	...	Major A. F.
No. 510	...	Driver Amroo, 24th Mule Corps.

River Transport.

Merriman	...	Lieutenant R. D., R.I.M.
Corporal	...	J. R. Tait, 2nd Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.
Lascar Shaikh Abdul	...	Motor Boat 32.
Serang	...	Basamia.

Medical Services.

Aylen	...	Major E. V., R.A.M.C.
Baines	...	Major E. F. E., I.M.S.
Barber	...	Major C. H., I.M.S. (surgical specialist).
Cane	...	Captain A. S., R.A.M.C.
Cane	...	Captain E.G.S., R.A.M.C.
Hennessy	...	Lieutenant-Colonel J., C.B., R.A.M.C.
Lambart	...	Major F. C., R.A.M.C. (died of disease).
Puri	...	Captain M.L., I.M.S.
Weston	...	Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain G.O., I.S.M.D.

4th Class Assistant Surgeon E. B. Holt, I.S.M.D.

No. 492, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon S. M. Badasahib, I.S.M.D.

No. 297, " " " " " B. Y. Mahajmi, I.S.M.D.

No. 1401, 2nd " " " " G. S. Gopal, I.S.M.D.

No. 943, 1st " " " " S. Abdul Busit, I.S.M.D.

No. 1288, 2nd " " " " Gur Dyal, I.S.M.D.

Veterinary Services.

Stephenson ... Lieutenant II., A.V.C.

Civilians with Forces at Kut-al-Amarah.

Cree, Mr. T. D.
Dexter, Mr T.
Tod, Mr. A.W.M. of (Lynch, Bros.).
Khlasad Din Khan Sahab, District Superintendent, Police.

The 20th October 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

PERSONAL STAFF.

No. 1243.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General has been pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's Personal Staff, with effect from the 15th October 1916 :—

To be Aide-de Camp.

Captain R. H. Sheepshanks, D.S.O., 12th Cavalry, *vice* Lieutenant R. T. Viscount Errington, M.V.O., Grenadier Guards (Special Reserve), resigned.

ARMY STAFF.

No. 1244.—Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) R. N. Gamble, C.B., D.S.O., British Service, to be temporary Inspector of Volunteers, *vice* Major-General G. V. Kemball, C.B., D.S.O., British Service, vacated. Dated 12th October 1916.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 1245.—Major F. G. A. Wimberley, Cantonment Magistrates' Department, is granted eight months' furlough out of India on medical certificate, with effect from the 28th July 1916.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1246.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Cavalry Branch.

To be Second Lieutenants.

John Alexander Nash.	Dated 23rd June 1916, but to rank from the 22nd September 1914.
Robert Esmonde Gordon George.	Dated 13th October 1916.

Infantry Branch.

To be Lieutenant.

Edward Godfrey Rivett.	Dated 18th October 1916.

To be Second Lieutenants.

George Stanley Reed.	Dated 19th August 1916.
Charles Raymond Higgens.	Dated 25th September 1916.
James Seymour Laycroft.	Dated 10th October 1916.
Lindsay Reed. Matthew Longfellow Anderson. Walter Henry Elkins.	Dated 11th October 1916.
William Charles Biddle. Arthur John Broadwith Chapman. Willie King Meares. George David Walker.	Dated 15th October 1916.

Cedric St. John Lucas. Dated 17th October 1916.

George Alfred Norton.
William George John Kemp. } Dated 18th October 1916.

No. 1247.—Frederick Philip Boxer (Temporary Lieutenant, 1-9th Battalion, The Hampshire Regiment, Territorial Force), to be Second Lieutenant with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 15th October 1916, but to rank as Second Lieutenant from the 5th August 1914, and temporary Lieutenant from the 19th July 1915.

No. 1248.—Clement Erwin Simon [Temporary Lieutenant, 1st Battalion, The Prince of Wales' Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)], to be Second Lieutenant with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 15th October 1916, but to rank as Second Lieutenant from the 24th December 1914, and as temporary Lieutenant from the 28th February 1916.

No. 1249.—Edgar Cumbo McWilliam [Temporary Second Lieutenant, 1st Battalion, The Prince of Wales' Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)], to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 15th October 1916, but to rank from the 7th May 1915.

No. 1250.—Second Lieutenant James Seymour Laycroft, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, while employed as Commandant, Chinese Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 10th October 1916.

No. 1251.—Second Lieutenant Lindsay Reed, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, while employed as Commandant, Followers Depôt, Meerut, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 11th October 1916.

No. 1252.—William Duncan Vivian Slesser is appointed as a Second Lieutenant to the Cavalry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, with effect from the 3rd August 1916, and not to the Infantry Branch as stated in Army Department Notification No. 897, dated the 11th August 1916.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1253.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Fourth Supplement dated the 14th September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 12th September 1916, page 8987.

War Office,
14th September 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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GENERAL STAFF.

G. S. O., 1st Grade.—Maj. G. W. Haslehust, 29th Punjabis, Ind. Army, and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so empld., *vice* Maj. B. J. Curling, D.S.O., K. R. Rif. C. 19th Aug. 1916.

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"London Gazette" dated the 15th September 1916, pages 9015, 9017, 9019, 9020 and 9022.

War Office,
15th September 1916.

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.).—Lt.-Col. G. H. Arbuthnot, ret. pay, Ind. Army. 29th Aug. 1916.

Lt.-Col. G. A. Ward, Ind. Army. 1st Sept. 1916.

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The undermentioned to be temp. Ord. Officers, 3rd Cl., whilst so empld. 27th May 1916.

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Maj. (temp. Ord. Officer, 4th Cl.) B. P. S. Rooke, retired, Ind. Army.

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Service Battalions.

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Capt. C. R. L. Fitzgerald (Ind. Army), to be temp. Maj. 13 Oct. 1915.

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Labour Battalions.

Ches. R.—

Lt.-Col. J. Talbot (Ind. Army), to comd. a Bn. 25 Aug. 1916.

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TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

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Wessex Brigade.

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Lt. J. W. L. Claridge is seconded for duty with the Indian Army R. of O. 1st Sept. 1916.

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Fourth Supplement dated the 18th September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 15th September 1916, pages 9101, 9103, 9104 and 9106.

War Office,
18th September 1916.

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The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be temp. Lts. whilst empld. as Anti-Gas Instrs. of a Div. 26th June 1916 :—

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H. Lang, Ind. Army Res.

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Training Reserve.

The undermentioned comdg. offrs. are transfd. to Trg. Res. Bns. :—

1st Sept. 1916.

Brev. Col. J. M. Ransom (ret. Ind. Army), from Shrops. L. I.

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Brev. Col. G. S. Ommanney (ret. Ind. Army), from Welsh R.

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Temp. Lt.-Col. H. W. C. Colquhoun (ret. Ind. Army), from Lan. Fus.

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Lt.-Col. A. G. B. Lang (ret. Ind. Army), from R. Lanc. R.

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Supplement dated the 20th September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 19th September 1916, pages 9173 and 9174.

War Office,
20th September 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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GENERAL STAFF.

G. S. Os., 2nd Grade—

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Capt. R. S. Abbott, 38th Horse, Ind. Army, *vice* Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) W. G. S. Dobbie, D.S.O., R.E. 19th Aug. 1916.

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A. G.'s AND Q. M. G.'s STAFF.

D. A. Q. M. G.—Capt. (temp. Maj.) H. W. F. Twiss, Ind. Army, and to retain his temp. rank. 25th June 1916,

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Staff Capts.—

Lt. (temp. Capt.) H. G. A. Fellowes, 11th Lrs., Ind. Army, from attd. Som. L.I., and to retain his temp. rank whilst so empld., *vice* Lt. (temp. Capt.) C. J. Gasson, S. Lan. R. 17th Aug. 1916.

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No. 1254.—In Army Department Notification No. 939, dated the 18th August 1916, publishing extracts from the Fourth Supplement, dated the 13th July 1916, to the "*London Gazette*" of the 11th July 1916, *insert* the following *after* the names under "General Head-quarters Staff, etc.":—

1st County of London Yeomanry.

Gall, Maj. L. (Capt., Ind. Army).

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1255.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Captain to be temporary Major.

11th August 1916.

George Frederick Underwood, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).

Lieutenants to be temporary Captains.

3rd September 1916.

Johnston Evelyn Shearer, 26th Punjabis.

James Fraser Abbott, 8th Gurkha Rifles.

No. 1256.—Major E. C. Alexander, D.S.O., 55th Coke's Rifles, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while holding the appointment of temporary General Staff Officer, 1st Grade. Dated the 5th May 1916.

Army Reserves.

No. 1257.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Arky Donald Fraser. Dated 9th April 1915.

Issac John Ashforth. Dated 9th April 1915 (since deceased).

INDIA MISCELLANEOUS LIST.

No. 1258.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Alfred James Ruegg to be Commissary,

Supernumerary Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Edward Lawrence Bartlett is absorbed in the grade of Deputy Commissary,

Supernumerary Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant James Edward Clarke is absorbed in the grade of Assistant Commissary,

Sub-Conductor Frank Chandler to be Conductor and

Staff-Sergeant William Thomas McCarthy to be Sub-Conductor,

vice Commissary and Honorary Major William David Gray, resigned; with effect from the 15th August 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1259.—The following promotions are made:—

10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).

Dafadar Nawab Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

20th Deccan Horse.

Ressaidar Konsal Singh to be Risaldar, with effect from the 10th November 1915; to complete the establishment.

7th Cavalry Brigade, Ammunition Column.

Havildar Bharat Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st August 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st-3rd Indian Army Corps, Signal Company.

Havildar Dharam Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.

Havildars Shiucharan Singh, Buti Singh and Naurang Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st September 1916; to complete the establishment.

32nd Sikh Pioneers.

Jemadars Mal Singh and Garbha Singh to be Subadars, with effect from the 31st August 1916, Jemadars Budha Singh and Kosar Singh to be Subadars, with effect from the 20th September 1916, Colour-Havildar Arjan Singh and Havildar-Major Mala Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 31st August 1916, and Havildars Ganesha Singh and Hira Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 20th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

64th Pioneers.

Jemadar Krishnamurti to be Subadar, with effect from the 8th August 1916, Colour-Havildar Vadamalai to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th August 1916 and Havildar P. Narayanasami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd August 1916; to complete the establishment.

73rd Carnatic Infantry.

Jemadar Alexander to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st September 1916, *vice* Madurai, transferred to the pension establishment.

76th Punjabis.

Jemadars Lal Akbar Khan, Ghulam Muhammad and Subh Ram (99th Deccan Infantry) to be Subadars and Havildars Nandu, Hukam Dad, Khubi, Colour-Havildar Gabdu (99th Deccan Infantry) and Havildars Bostan Khan and Basant Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 23rd November 1915; to complete the establishment.

79th Carnatic Infantry.

Colour-Havildars Sayyid Mastan and Marrisami to be Jemadars, with effect from the 19th July 1916; and to be seconded.

113th Infantry.

Havildar Hukam Chand to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st August 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles.

No. 1260.—The date of the promotion of Havildar Gamar Sing Gurung is the 23rd April 1916, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 930, dated the 25th August 1916.

No. 1261.—The following direct appointment is made :—

17th Cavalry.

Malik Ahmad Yar Khan to be Jemadar, on probation, with effect from the 12th July 1916 ; supernumerary to the establishment.

No. 1262.—The honorary rank of Jemadar is conferred on No. 1787 Kot-Dafadar and Head Salutri Ghulam Rasul, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse), for long and meritorious services.

DISMISSALS, REMOVALS AND DISCHARGES.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1263.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned temporary Lieutenants relinquish their commissions from the dates specified :—

Byram Burjorjee Broacha.	24th September 1916.
John Anderson Iswariah.	31st August 1916.
Shusil Kumar Roy.	18th August 1916.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1264.—Temporary Second Lieutenant John Walter Hughes is permitted to relinquish his temporary commission subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 20th October 1916.

Army Reserves.

No. 1265.—The undermentioned officers of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers on admission to the Cadet College, Quetta, are permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenant Donald Leslie Duncan. Dated 22nd August 1916.

Second Lieutenant Walter Liud. Sherwill Boileau. Dated 31st August 1916.

No. 1266.—Second Lieutenant Harry Chambers Toller, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 11th October 1916.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1267.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, temporary Lieutenant Pirojsha Merwanjee Antia, is permitted to resign the service; with effect from the 27th September 1916.

REWARDS.

INDIAN ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 1268.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admission to the Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit :—

To the 2nd Class of the Order.

Jemadar Wazir Khan, 17th Cavalry, for conspicuous gallantry in an action with the enemy on the 16th February 1916. This Indian officer was left in charge of the main body while an advance party engaged the enemy. The advance party had to retire and in a general action which ensued Jemadar Wazir Khan, on whom the command of the party devolved owing to the British officers becoming casualties, displayed great courage and ability.

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 1269.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned for gallantry in the field :—

No. 1980 Sowar Khan Sahib, 17th Cavalry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Madras Artillery Volunteers, "The Duke's Own."

No. 1270.—Ernest Rayment Rose to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1271.—Ivan Crisp Brown to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 12th September 1916.

Archibald Percival Reginald Grindlay to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 11th September 1916.

Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1272.—William Temple Liddell to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 8th September 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 20th October 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 48.—The services of Commander W. C. Taylor, R.I.M., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, for employment as Assistant Port Officer, Bombay, *vice* Commander G. N. Forteath, R.I.M., with effect from 25th September 1916.

No. 49.—With reference to Marine Department Notification No. 90, dated the 28th November 1913, the services of Engineer G. N. Rowe, Royal Indian Marine, will continue to be at the disposal of the Government of Bengal for employment with the River Police, for a further period of one year ; with effect from the 6th November 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 16th October, 1916.

No. 1586-E.-16.—In Railway Board's Notification No. 16-E., dated the 1st February 1916, confirming Mr. R. Proudlock, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, *for* 15th November 1915 *read* 8th November 1915.

The 17th October, 1916.

No. 679-P.-16.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned the carrying out of a survey by the Assam Bengal Railway Company on behalf of the Syndicate for the Bokajan Lime Stone for a line of railway on the 2 feet gauge from Diphu, a station on the Assam Bengal Railway, to Miji Ingling Lime Stone field in the Mikir Hills, Assam, a distance of 16·5 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Diphu-Miji Ingling Lime Stone field railway survey.

No. 1705-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1705-E.-16, dated the 22nd September 1916, Mr. H. H. Cooper, Officiating District Locomotive Superintendent, North Western Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of Assistant Locomotive Superintendent in class III, grade 3, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 19th September 1916.

The 18th October, 1916.

No. 657-P.-16.—*Corrigendum.*—In paragraph 1 (2) of the Railway Board's Notification No. 657-P.-16, dated the 22nd September 1916, *read* the word "alternatively" before the words "to Amguri."

The 19th October, 1916.

No. 319-R.-16.—The following officiating promotions are ordered *vice* Rai Sahib Sris Chandra Lahiri, Superintendent, 1st grade, granted privilege leave for 3 months combined with furlough for 3 months under Articles 233 and 338 (*b*), Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd October 1916 :—

—	From	To
Mr. A. G. Saldanha	Superintendent, 2nd grade	Superintendent, 1st grade.
„ V. G. Gadgil	Superintendent, 3rd grade	Superintendent, 2nd grade.
„ A. L. Misra	Secretariat Assistant, 2nd grade ...	Superintendent, 3rd grade.

No. 1618-E.-16.—Mr. F. E. Goodall, Store-keeper, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, in class II, grade 3, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, held charge of the current duties of the office of the Chief Store-keeper of that railway in addition to his own from the 30th April to the 5th June 1916.

The 20th October, 1916.

No. 1459-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1459-E., dated the 28th August 1916, Mr. J. H. Chase, officiating Assistant Secretary, Railway Board, reverted to his appointment of officiating Deputy Traffic Manager, North-Western Railway, with effect from the 16th October 1916.

F. A. HADOW,

Secretary, Railway Board.

INDIAN INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 12th October, 1916.

The Indian Industrial Commission will assemble at Delhi on Wednesday, the 25th October 1916.

All communications intended to reach the President, Members or Secretary should be addressed to—

Indian Industrial Commission,

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without the addition of any post town.

R. D. BELL,

Secretary, Indian Industrial Commission.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

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izures and deaths reported in India, during
d for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Delhi ...	...	......	...	...
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Northern	Bombay City	13	7
		Kaira District	1	1
		Surat Town and Port	17	15
		Surat District	3	1
		Bhivandi Port	1	1
		Thana Port	1	1
	Central	Ahmednagar District	680	477
		West Khandesh District	325*	233*
		East Khandesh District	23	12
		Poona Town	269	385
		Poona District	284	285
		Nasik District	135	81
		Satara District	209	104
		Sholapur Town	23	19
		Sholapur District	106	151
	Southern	Thal Port	4	4
		Kolaba District	1	1
		Ratnagiri Port	1	1
		Ratnagiri District	11	2
		Belgaum District	177	110
		Hubli Town	72	70
		Dharwar District	387	239
		Kanara District	3	2
		Bijapur District	424	284
	Sind ...	Karachi Town and Port	1	1
	Political Charges	Baroda State	8	8
		Mangrol Port	17	9
		Kathiawar Agency	37	39
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	353	251
		Rewa Kantha Agency	28*	18*
		Savanur State	90	40
		Akalkot State	2	2
		TOTAL	3,706	2,799

*For two weeks.

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	...	Madras City	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Anantapur District	6	7
		Bellary District	68 (a)	54
		Chittoor District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Coimbatore District	293 (b)	196 (e)
		Salem Town	6 (d)	2 (a)
		Salem District	130 (c)	73 (a)
		North Arcot District	21 (e)	18 (f)
		Nilgiris District	1	1
		Mangalore Port	2	1
		Madura Town	...	1 (a)
		Madura District	8 (a)	1 (a)
		Tanjore District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Trichinopoly District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		TOTAL	534	353
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna District	8	3
		Shahabad District	7	5
	Tirhut ...	Saran District	35	17
		Muzaffarpur District	1	1
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	15	12
		TOTAL	66	38
UNITED PROVINCES	Allahabad	Cawnpore District	1	1
		Allahabad District	7	7
	Benares	Benares District	1	1
		Jaunpur District	3	3
		Ghazipur District	40	18
	Gorakhpur	Ballia District	1	1
		Gorakhpur District	100	46
		Basti District	6	3
		Azamgarh District	15	10
	Lucknow	Unao District	7	6
		Sitapur District	1	1
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	2	2
		Gonda District	5	6
		Partabgarh District	7	6
		TOTAL	196	106

(a) One imported. (b) Four imported. (c) Three imported. (d) Two imported. (e) Fourteen imported. (f) Ten imported.

In the return for the week ending 7th October 1916, *add* Allahabad District 7 cases, 7 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Forts.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Jullundur	Ludhiana District	1	1
	Rawalpindi.	Jhelum District	1	2
		Rawalpindi District	69	56
		TOTAL	71	59
BURMA	Pegu ...	Rangoon Town	8	8
		Hanthawaddy District	2	2
		Tharrawaddy District	7	
		Pegu District	1	1
		Prome District	10	10
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	2	2
		Henzada District	2	3
	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	1	1
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	2	2
		TOTAL	35	35
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur ...	Nagpur Town	504	475
		Nagpur District	44	32
		Kamptee Cantt.	20	11
		Bhandara Town	2	1
		Bhandara District	9	7
		Wardha Town	1	1
		Wardha District	271	102
		Chanda Town	2	2
		Chanda District	49	50
	Jubbulpore	Seoni Town	1	1
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	83	61
	Chhattisgarh	Bilaspuur Town	1	1
	Berar ...	Amraoti Town	1	1
		Amraoti District	38	30
		Yeotmal District	4	2
		Akola District	118	74
		Buldana District	125	82
		TOTAL	1,273	1,026
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	53	41
		Bangalore City	47	44
		Bangalore District	182	128
		Mysore City	56	36
		Mysore District	185	82
		Hassan District	37	26
		Kadur District	42	29
		Shimoga District	23	8
		Chitaldroog District	30	14
		Tumkur District	2	7
		Kolar Gold Fields	43	38
		Kolar District	38	29
		TOTAL	688	482
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	337	299
		Bir District	129	96
		Parbhani District	108	78
		Nander District	44	19
		Gulbarga District	11	7
		Raichur District	42	28
		Usmanabad District	19	12
		Atrafibalda Sarfikhas District	137	102
		Bidar District	3	3
		Medak District	3	3
		Nizamabad District	4	4
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	104	88
		TOTAL	941 (a)	734 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore City	44	29
		Indore State	1	1
		Indore Residency Bazars	3	1
		Dhar State	8	3
		Rutlam	1	1
		Gwalior State	1	1
		TOTAL	58 (b)	36 (b)
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer	1*	1*
		Total	1	1
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	7,564	5,669

* Imported.
(a) From the 2nd to the 8th October 1916.
(b) For the week ending 7th October 1916.
In the return for the week ending 7th October 1916, *add* Hazara District 2 cases, 2 deaths.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 19th October 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. Except for a few scattered falls of rain, weather was dry in Burma and northern India. A storm formed in the Bay on the 15th and passed across the Peninsula into the Arabian Sea. It gave heavy rain in south Madras and Mysore, and light to moderate rain over the remainder of the Peninsula.

2. *Burma.*—Local falls of rain occurred.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—There were only local falls of rain, chiefly in the south of the division.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—The storm from the Bay was the cause of local rainfall on the 18th in the Central Provinces and Central India West.

Northwest India.—A few scattered falls of rain were reported.

The Peninsula.—Rainfall was nearly general in the Bombay Deccan on the 12th and 18th, on the west coast and the north Madras coast from the 15th to the 18th, in Hyderabad on the 18th, in Mysore on the 15th, 16th and 17th, in southeast Madras from the 14th to the 17th, and in the Madras Deccan on the 15th, 16th and 18th.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

October 12th. Rangoon 1·24", Naya Dumka 1·26" and Bangalore 1·00".

" 13th. Mysore 1·67".

" 14th. Minbu 2·45", Maymyo 1·26", Cuttack 1·48", Jhansi 2·11", Ahmadnagar 1·33", Negapatam 1·40", Trichinopoly 1·95", Coimbatore 2·06" and Madras 1·34".

" 15th. Mysore 1·12", Madras 3·31", Nellore 1·15" and Waltair 1·20".

" 16th. Toungoo 1·92", Calicut 1·28", Cochin 6·55", Trivandrum 4·30", Mercara 2·20", Mysore 3·34", Tinnevelly 2·54", Ootacamund 4·03", Negapatam 1·72", Coimbatore 1·01", Salem 6·52", Cuddalore 5·21", Madras 1·30", Cuddapah 1·99", Nellore 1·08" and Gopalpur 1·64".

" 17th. Dhubri 1·29", Hyderabad (Deccan) 1·30", Chitaldrug 1·61", Mangalore 2·34", Calicut 2·14", Cochin 2·10", Trivandrum 1·64", Masulipatam 2·90" and Cocanada 1·23".

" 18th. Cuttack 1·17", Hoshangabad 1·25", Nagpur 1·74", Pendra 1·11", Cochin 1·27", Trivandrum 2·34", Cuddapah 1·08", Kurnool 1·13" and Nellore 1·50".

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in excess in the United Provinces West, Rajputana West, Gujarat, Central India West, the Central Provinces, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad South, Mysore and the whole of the Madras Presidency, and was within 20 per cent of the normal in the Bay Islands, Upper Burma, Kashmir and Berar. It was 20 per cent or more in defect in all the remaining divisions, except the following where no rain usually falls at this time of year :—the Punjab, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind and Rajputana East.

The rainfall from the 28th April to date is as much as 20 per cent in defect in Kashmir alone. It is 20 per cent or more in excess in Bihar, the United Provinces, the Punjab East and North, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Central India West, Berar, the Konkan, Hyderabad, Mysore, Madras South East, and the Madras Deccan, and differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent in the remainder of the country.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 19th October 1916.			Rainfall data from 28th April to 19th October 1916.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal. This week.	Percentage departure from normal. Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	2·3	2·1	+0·2	91·5	93·1	—1·6	—2	—2
Lower Burma	0·9	2·1	—1·2	136·8	136·1	+0·7	+1	+1
Upper Burma	0·9	0·9	0	38·7	38·9	—0·2	—1	—1
Assam	0·3	0·9	—0·6	70·5	76·6	—6·1	—8	—7
Bengal	0·4	1·4	—1·0	79·0	68·0	+11·0	+16	+18
Orissa	1·0	1·9	—0·9	54·7	56·1	—1·4	—2	—1
Chota Nagpur	0·4	0·7	—0·3	43·3	48·5	—5·2	—11	—10
Bihar	0·4	0·8	—0·4	62·1	49·2	+12·9	+26	+27
United Provinces, East	0	0·4	—0·4	49·0	38·8	+10·2	+26	+28
United Provinces, West	0·5	0·2	+0·3	51·0	38·9	+12·1	+31	+30
Punjab, East and North	0	0	0	30·3	21·3	+9·0	+42	+42
Punjab, South-West	0	0	0	9·4	8·1	+1·3	+16	+16
Kashmir	0·2	0·2	0	6·9	8·6	—1·7	—20	—20
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0	0	11·0	5·8	+5·2	+90	+90
Baluchistan	0	0	0	4·2	2·3	+1·9	+83	+83
Sind	0	0	0	12·9	4·8	+8·1	+169	+169
Rajputana, West	0·2	0	+0·2	23·1	11·3	+11·8	+104	+102
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	31·6	22·8	+8·8	+39	+39
Gujarat	0·1	0	+0·1	25·3	23·2	+2·1	+9	+9
Central India, West	0·1	0	+0·1	40·0	29·3	+10·7	+37	+36
Central India, East	0	0·3	—0·3	48·2	40·6	+7·6	+19	+20
Berar	0·4	0·4	0	41·4	30·0	+11·4	+38	+39
Central Provinces, West	0·5	0·3	+0·2	49·9	44·1	+5·8	+13	+13
Central Provinces, East	0·5	0·4	+0·1	48·1	47·1	+1·0	+2	+2
Konkan	1·2	0·9	+0·3	117·9	94·9	+23·0	+24	+24
Bombay Deccan	1·2	0·6	+0·6	29·6	25·7	+3·9	+15	+13
Hyderabad, North	0·3	0·5	—0·2	38·5	31·9	+6·6	+21	+22
Hyderabad, South	1·1	0·8	+0·3	35·1	28·5	+6·6	+23	+23
Mysore	3·8	1·3	+2·5	31·9	24·3	+7·6	+31	+22
Malabar	7·1	2·9	+4·2	92·4	89·8	+2·6	+3	—2
Madras, South-East	4·6	2·2	+2·4	22·4	17·7	+4·7	+27	+15
Madras Deccan	2·0	1·0	+1·0	26·9	21·3	+5·6	+26	+23
Madras Coast, North	3·3	2·5	+0·8	29·5	27·2	+2·3	+8	+6

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

SIMLA;
Dated the 19th October 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 14th October 1916.

Burma.—Moderate rain fell in Lower Burma and in the dry zone the fall was light. Elsewhere in Upper Burma good rain fell. Transplantation of the main winter rice has been practically completed. Harvesting of maize, autumn rice, sesamum and groundnut and plucking of cotton are progressing. Cultivation of miscellaneous crops in Upper Burma is proceeding. Crop prospects are good. Livestock is healthy. The price of unhusked rice has fallen further to Rs. 120 per hundred baskets and is slightly below normal. The market for white rice is firm.

Assam.—The weather is seasonable and generally favourable to standing crops except in Cachar and Sylhet where incessant rain in the previous week has caused severe floods. In the Silchar and Karimganj sub-divisions and in the Jaintia pargana the floods have done serious damage to standing crops. Water is subsiding. Harvesting of jute and transplantation of winter rice have been nearly finished. Hoeing, plucking and manufacture of tea, steeping of jute, harvesting of autumn rice and sowing of pulses are still in progress. Prospects of tea are good to fair and of winter rice, cotton and sugarcane fair. The price of common rice has risen in two districts. Cattle disease is reported from three districts.

Bengal.—During the week light to moderate rain fell almost throughout the Province. Some damage has been done to paddy by heavy rain at Chittagong and by floods in parts of the Tippera and Noakhali districts. The condition and prospects of the winter rice crop are good except in these tracts and in the flood affected areas of Murshidabad, Burdwan, Birbhum and Bakarganj. Harvesting of autumn paddy has been practically finished. Steeping and washing of jute still continue. Lands are being prepared for spring crops. Sowing of pulses has commenced. Cattle disease is reported from five districts. The average price of common rice for the Province remained almost stationary as compared with that of the previous week.

The weekly report on famine in Bankura is as follows:—The state of affairs in the affected areas has improved. Harvesting of autumn paddy still continues. Prospects of winter paddy are good. The condition of the people on relief works is good. Prices are falling. The price of rice is 9 seers per rupee. The number of persons on relief works was 9,037 and on gratuitous relief to weavers 1,217, total 10,254.

Bihar and Orissa.—Light to moderate rain was fairly general over the Province. Harvesting of autumn crops is still in progress. Preparation of lands for spring crops has commenced in some districts. Standing crops are, on the whole, doing well. The average price of common rice has remained almost stationary as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder is generally sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from several districts. The attendance of persons on test works in Singhbhum was 5,020 and gratuitous relief was given to 912 persons in this district. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—During the week showers were received in the Himalayan and eastern districts. Harvesting of autumn crops, picking of cotton and preparation of land for winter crops are in progress and sowing of winter crops has begun in places. Standing crops are doing well and their prospects continue to be good. The harvest generally promises to be normal. Agricultural stock is in good conditions but cattle disease is reported from parts of thirty districts. Fodder and water are ample. Markets are full. Prices are almost stationary.

Punjab.—There was no rain of importance during the week. Standing autumn crops are in good condition. Picking of cotton and harvesting of rice, millets and maize are in progress with outturn normal to good. Sowings of gram, barley, *toria* and other oilseeds continue and of wheat have commenced in certain western districts. The extent of the sowings is normal. Germination of the crops sown is good. The condition of cattle is good and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Prices are falling and range generally between normal and warning rates. Those of autumn food grains have in some cases fallen below normal rates. Price of wheat:—Lahore 10, Ambala, Ferozepore and Rawalpindi 10½ and Lyallpur 11 seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—No rain fell during the week except 1·31 inches on Sheikh Budden in the Dera Ismail Khan district. Rain is wanted all over the Province. The weather is moderate and clear. The condition of the irrigated and unirrigated standing crops is average throughout the Province. Sowing of spring crops and harvesting

of autumn crops are proceeding. The outturn is reported to be average. The condition of cattle is good. Water and fodder are sufficient throughout the Province. The Paharpur canal is not running. The public health is generally good. Prices are high but stationary in Peshawar with the exception of those of barley which are falling. Prices of gram and wheat in Dera Ismail Khan are also falling. In Bannu the prices of all food grains are rising.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 13 and maize from 12 to 19 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Cattle disease prevails in the Ramnagar, Jasmergarh and Ranbirsinghpura tahsils. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—No rain fell during the week. Autumn crops are being harvested. Agricultural operations for spring crops are in progress in Anantnag, where the autumn harvest has been finished. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are normal.

Rajputana.—The weather is generally cloudy and hot. The rainfall during the week was moderately heavy in Kotah, Jhalawar and Tonk and slight showers were received elsewhere. Standing crops are doing well except in places in Kotah and Ajmer, where some damage is reported from insects and excessive rain respectively. Harvesting of autumn crops and preparation of land for spring crops continue. Prospects are satisfactory. Agricultural stock is in good condition generally. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are generally falling.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was general in Gwalior, Malwa and the Southern States, partial in Indore and Bhopal and sufficient everywhere. Autumn crops are being weeded and harvested. Land for spring crops is being prepared. Standing crops and their probable outturn are generally good except in portions of Gwalior where they have been damaged by excessive rain. Agricultural stock is in good condition except for some cattle disease. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are normal in Baghelkhand, slightly fluctuating in Indore and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been clear and rainless except for a few light local showers. The condition of autumn crops is generally satisfactory and prospects of cotton have improved. Harvesting of late rice and of minor autumn crops is in progress. Picking of cotton has commenced in places. Preparation of land for spring crops continues and sowing has commenced in places. Fodder and water are sufficient. Agricultural stock is in good condition. The price of wheat continues to fall in the principal wheat districts. Other fluctuations are unimportant.

Feudatory States:—All the States received showers. Autumn crops are in good condition.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week throughout the Presidency. Standing crops are thriving except for slight damage by locusts in four talukas of Sukkur, by insects in three talukas of Thar and Parkar and by excessive rain in parts of Sholapur. Harvesting of autumn crops continues generally. Cotton picking is progressing in Thar and Parkar, Khandesh and Nasik. Sowing of spring crops continues. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of the Panch Mahals and Kaira. Prices of food grains have fallen slightly in Sind, have risen generally in the Karnatak and are steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—The rainfall during the week was light. The highest fall was 2 inches 12 cents in Vijapur and the average fall was 17 cents. Autumn crops are in fair to good condition and are being harvested. They have been damaged somewhat by locusts in parts of the Raichur district. The early rice crop is in fair to good condition except in parts of Nizamabad, where they are suffering from blight. Crops are being weeded and harvested. Sowing of spring crops continues. Cattle disease prevails in sixteen talukas. Prices of grains:—Wheat 7¾, coarse rice 7½ and *juar* 16 seers per rupee. Coarse rice is selling at 9 and white *juar* at 16 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 10 seers per rupee in Warangal and the lowest 25 seers per rupee in Mahbubnagar.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good in Bangalore, Mysore and Hassan and light to fair elsewhere. Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition but more rain is needed for dry crops. *Ragi*, sugarcane and paddy are being harvested. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy in the greater part of the State. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 3 inches 71 cents. Rice is in good condition. Picking of cardamom and reaping of dry crops in north Coorg continue. Prices of food grains are rising. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was good in Salem, Coimbatore, Trichinopoly, Madura, Ramnad, Malabar and the Nilgiris, fair in the Vizagapatam littoral, Chittoor, North Arcot, Pudukkottai, Tinnevelly and South Canara and light or *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally but require more rain in one district and in parts of two others. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water supply is insufficient in parts of Ganjam, the Carnatic, central parts except Coimbatore and Trichinopoly, southern parts except Tanjore and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is generally sufficient. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts in which famine has been declared.

Name of Province or State.	Preceding week (revised).			Present week.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
British Provinces.							
(*Bengal.*)							
Bankura	8,160	1,221	9,381	9,037	1,217	10,254	+ 873

R. A. MANT,
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

(FAMINE.)

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 7th October 1916.

No.	Name of District or State.	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF.							TRACTS UNDER OBSERVATION AND TEST.	
		Area affected in square miles.	Estimated population of area in column 3.	Number of persons employed on relief works.	NUMBER OF PERSONS ON GRATUITOUS AND SPECIAL RELIEF.			Grand total on relief.	Number of persons on test works.	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief.
					Dependants of relief workers, relieved on works.	Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
				BENGAL.						
1	Bankura	2,621	1,138,670	8,160	...	1,221	1,221	9,381	...	...
				BIHAR AND ORISSA.						
1	Singhbhum ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,287	1,116

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PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 21st October 1916.

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In the notification dated the 14th October 1916 under "Cessation of Exclusive Privileges" read 321. (Martenson) for 221. (Martenson) and 329. (Imam-ud-Din & Sons and anr.) for 529. (Imam-ud-Din & Sons and anr.).

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

October 12.

2749. J. N. Rakshit. *Manufacture of Potassium Carbonate and Potassium Bicarbonate from Potassium Nitrate.*

2750. L. B. Verma. *A die for making cardboard boxes or cartoons.*

2751. H. L. Jha. *Locks.*

2752. F. Hird. *Improvements in or relating to apparatus for testing or separating coins.*

2753. D. C. Spruance. *Flexible tubes and methods and apparatus for making same.*

2754. J. H. Hall. *An improved latex spout and cup holder.*

2755. M. I. Pupin and E. H. Armstrong. *Improvements for increasing the selectivity of electrical circuits.*

2756. E. G. Ritchie. *Improved belt fastener.*

2757. General Electric Company. *Improvements in and relating to systems of control.*

2758. F. D. McLeod. *An attachment to ploughs for breaking up clods and earth.*

October 13.

2759. J. McGlashan. *Cane juice treatment.*

October 14.

2760. A. Gray, J. Gaskell and W. T. Wilkes. *A combined vapourizing and induction pipe for using mixed or heavy fuels in connection with internal combustion engines.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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2341. T. C. Coull and W. E. McLean. *A paper file and binder.*

2465. W. J. Grimshaw and A. P. Symonds. *Improvements in or relating to pumps.*

2725. Mead, McLean & Company, Limited and A. A. Mead. *Improvements in ventilators for railway carriages and the like.*

2726. G. G. Hepburn. *Improvements in bi-polar electrode electrolysers.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

Printed copies of the undernoted specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, annas eight each.

2204. W. Pfleiderer. *Improvements in refrigerating and ice-making apparatus.*

2687. U. Friedmann and T. E. Thompson. *Improvements in or relating to irrigator for medical, chemical and other purposes.*

2694. S. N. Wellington. *Improvements relating to furnace settings for the destructive distillation of coal or other carbonaceous substances.*

2695. S. N. Wellington. *Improvements relating to apparatus for discharging and quenching coke.*

2696. H. G. Wood and E. Edwards. *Improvements in electric cable-drums, reels or the like.*

2697. G. E. Rigby. *Improved springs suspension.*

2702. Brown Brothers, Ltd. *Improvements relating to the protection and lubrication of vehicle springs.*

2703. Naamlooze-Vennootschap "Holland Ventiel." *Improvements in check valves.*

2704. Molassine Co., Ld. *Improvements in the treatment of peat, and the production of a preparation suitable for use in horticulture and agriculture.*

2709. G. James. *Improved method of and means for cooling liquids and gases.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

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2255. Rincker.
2552. Saxby.
2567. Jenkins.
2592. Loughran.
2613. Flint, Bolton, and McLauchlan.
2617. General Electric Co.
2620. Heenan and Froude Ld.
2623. Biddle.
2627. Brooksbank, Ld.
2629. Peterson.
2630. Heuvelink.

PATENTS SEALED.

2079. Taylor and Whyte.
2087. Gowlland.
2097. Moss.
2578. Killick Nixon & Co.
2606. O'Donnell.
2607. Luard.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

521 or 1904. Crosthwaite. (To 7 July 1917.)
240 of 1905. New Inverted Incandescent Gas Lamp Co. Ld. (To 19 December 1917.)
319 of 1906. Batten. (To 30 October 1917.)
516 of 1906. Butters. (To 30 November 1917.)
92 of 1907. Kahn. (To 17 September 1917.)
314 of 1907. Swales. (To 9 August 1917.)
374 of 1907. British Insulated & Helsby Cables, Ld. (To 27 November 1917.)
111 of 1908. British Automatic Aerators Ld. (To 22 October 1917.)
343 of 1908. Foden and ors. (To 14 October 1917.)
130 of 1909. Linotype and Machinery Ld. (To 14 October 1917.)
438 of 1909. Spencer. (To 12 October 1917.)
68 of 1910. Ross. (To 26 November 1917.)
166 of 1910. Wolle. (To 28 April 1918.)
378 of 1910. Mygatt. (To 4 November 1917.)
462 of 1910. Consolidated Brake and Engineering Co. Ld. and anr. (To 4 November 1917.)

484 of 1910. Consolidated Brake and Engineering Co. Ld. and anr. (To 4 November 1917.)
120 of 1911. Preston. (To 22 August 1917.)
303 of 1911. Hendry and anr. (To 2 November 1917.)
341 of 1911. Gregory. (To 9 October 1917.)
353 of 1911. Mayr & another. (To 5 February 1918.)
497 of 1911. Shepherd. (To 19 October 1917.)
507 of 1911. Terry. (To 26 October 1917.)
537 of 1911. Pucch and anr. (To 23 November 1917.)
607 of 1911. Watson. (To 6 January 1918.)
608 of 1911. Watson. (To 6 January 1918.)
732 of 1911. Mackenzie & Holland Ld. (To 11 October 1917.)
735 of 1911. Nobel's Explosives Co. Ld. (To 11 October 1917.)
763 of 1911. Nobel's Explosives Co. Ld. (To 11 October 1917.)
793 of 1911. Wagner. (To 11 October 1917.)
543 of 1912. Dennison. (To 7 October 1917.)
550 of 1912. Reichmann. (To 14 October 1917.)
555 of 1912. R. E. Dietz Co. (To 14 October 1917.)
556 of 1912. Williams and others. (To 14 October 1917.)
559 of 1912. Cook and another. (To 28 October 1917.)
575 of 1912. Trautmann and another. (To 31 October 1917.)
590 of 1912. Babcock & Wilcox Ld. (To 4 November 1917.)
591 of 1912. Slaughter and Co. Ld. (To 5 November 1917.)
633 of 1912. Stewarts & Lloyds, Ld., and anr. (To 2 December 1917.)
706 of 1913. Wilhelmi and ors. (To 20 January 1918.)

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1905.

170, (Artom).

1906.

589, (Linotype & Machinery Ld.). 600, (Hatmaker).

1908.

175, (Deakin).

1910.

266, (Macpherson). 557, (Macdonald). 629, (Siegwart).

1911.

255, (O'Connor). 295, (Briggs). 662, (Debrunner).

1912.

334, (Jaakson). 337, (Weiss). 339, (Maggiora). 340, (Austin & ors.). 343, (Overman). 344, (Flynn). 349, (Bryan). 351, (Rolston). 352, (Hunt). 353, (Bystron & anr.). 354, (Schleyder). 355, (Dunavon). 356, (Morrow).

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT UNDER SECTION 17.

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2332 of 1915. Hugh Logi Allan of The Burmah Oil Company Limited (Scotland), Rangoon, Burma, and of 46 Park Circus, Ayr, Scotland, seeks leave to amend the specification

of his application for a patent numbered as above. The proposed amendments as shown in the printed specification are as follows :—

On page 1, line 2, by substituting "dephlegmation" for "Deplegmation".

On page 2, line 10, by inserting "for example" after "provided"; "four" after "with"; "downtake" after "metal" and "and an equal number of similarly arranged uptake tubes" after the reference letter "b".

On page 2, line 15, by inserting "downtake" after "The" and by deleting "and" after the reference letter "b".

On page 2, line 16, by deleting the reference letter "b'" and by substituting "uptake" for "corresponding": by inserting reference letter "b'" after "tubes" and by substituting "preceding unit" for "adjacent units".

On page 2, line 17, by deleting the reference letter "f'".

Some of the reference letters on the drawing are also altered.

DESIGNS ENTERED ON THE REGISTER.

October 9th to 14th, 1916.

Class 1. Nos. 4545 to 4546. John Johnson, Standard Works, Clifton Street, Old Hill, Stafford, England. July 22.

Class 3. No. 4511. Clarence Ormond Gomes, 17, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta. July 20.

Class 13. Nos. 4965 to 5016. The Calico Printers' Association, St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester. September 25.

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,,	The Bombay Textile and Engineering Association, No. 1A, Sussex Road, Parel.
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H. G. GRAVES,
Controller of Patents and Designs.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—
   (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

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Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

NOTICES.

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For the convenience of Civil and Military officers desirous of appearing for examination in Oriental languages, the Board of Examiners publish annually a collection of specimen papers set for the examination held by them. The following collections are available for sale:—

(1)	Collection for	1902-03,	price	R3	a copy.
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(6)	" "	1910-11	"	" 3-8	"
(7)	" "	1912-13	"	" 2-8	"
(8)	" "	1913-14	"	" 2-8	"
(9)	" "	1914-15	"	" 3-8	"

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"Diwan-i-Sarkhush" (official edition), one of the text-books prescribed for the High Proficiency examination in Persian; price R3 per copy.

"Kalam-i-Urdu," the text-book for the Proficiency Standard in Urdu; price R2-12.

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Glossary to the "Ar-Rauzatu-z-Zakiyah," the text-book for the Higher Standard examination in Arabic; price R6-4 per copy.

"Nazm-i-Muntakhab," one of the text-books prescribed for the Degree of Honour examination in Urdu; price R5 per copy.

"Siyahat-Nama-i-Ibrahim Beg" (official edition), one of the text-books prescribed for the High Proficiency examination in Persian; price R5 per copy.

"Raghuvamsam"—Expurgated Text (official edition), prescribed for the High Proficiency examination in Sanskrit; price R2-8.

"Akhlaq-i-Jalali" (official edition), one of the text-books prescribed for the Degree of Honour examination in Persian; price R5-12 per copy.

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"Selections for the Lower Standard examination in Persian"; price R2 per copy.

Waqayi'-i Ni'mat Khan-i'Ali, edited by Mr. Otto Rothfeld, I.C.S., one of the text-books prescribed for the Degree of Honour examination in Persian; price R2 per copy.

NOTE.—Two fully qualified instructors, natives of Persia and Arabia, respectively, are maintained by the Government of India, for the convenience of officers wishing to study Persian and Arabic. The services of these instructors may be obtained in Calcutta, on application to the Secretary, Board of Examiners.

The following list of Munshis who are qualified to teach Urdu under India Army Order No. 162 of 1907 is published for the information of all those students of this language who are desirous of obtaining competent teachers:—

AGRA.

1. M. Gulsari Lall . . . . Regimental Munshi, 6th Hampshire Regiment, Agra Cantonment.

ALLAHABAD.

1. M. Jawala Prasad, I . . . . . . 5th Hampshire Regiment, Sadar Bazar, Allahabad.
2. M. Syed Mazhar-ul Husain . . . . . 253A, Mohtashim Ganj, Allahabad.
3. M. Shaikh Mohammad Ismail . . . . South Malaka, Allahabad.

AMBALA.

1. M. Mohd. Miyan Khan	Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
2. M. Mohd. Akbar Khan	The Oriental Lodge, Ambala.
3. M. Sita Ram Mahta	Near Kali Bari, Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
4. M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey	Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment.
5. M. Anand Sarup	Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment (winter only).

BANNU.

1. M. Mul Chand Khurana	Mission Clerk, Bannu.

BAREILLY.

1. M. Rashid Ahmad Khan	Old City, Sailani, Bareilly.
2. M. Chhoto Lal	Sadar Bazar, Bareilly.
3. M. Jawala Parshad, II	Regimental Munshi, Sudder Bazar, Bareilly.

BELGAUM.

1. M. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni	Pandit, 1809, Kelkar Bag, Belgaum.

CALCUTTA.

1. M. Mohd. Gholam Kibriya	17/1, Noorallah Doctor's Lane, Balligunge Road, Calcutta.
2. M. Badruddin Ahmed, B.A.	8, Elliot Lane, Calcutta.
3. M. Hossain Mirza	1, Syed Ismail Lane, or 4-1, Collin Lane, Calcutta.
4. M. Mohd. Israil Khan	11, Goristan Lane, Calcutta.
5. M. Syed Nawab Ali	11, Colootola Street, Calcutta.
6. M. Mohd. Abdul Hamid	36, Indian Mirror Street, Calcutta.
7. M. Daliluddin Ahmed	12, Agha Muhammad Mehdi Street, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
8. M. Abdul Wajid	106, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
9. M. Syed Mohammad	12, Waliullah Lane, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
10. M. A. M. Ubaidur Rashid, B.A.	1, Korabardar Lane, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
11. M. Mohd. Muslim	12, Damzen's Lane, Chinapara, Calcutta.
12. M. Nisar Ahmad Khan	C/o Munshi A. K. Nashtar, 1, Jhowtolla Lane, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
13. M. Imdad Hussain	9, Baloo Huckak's Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
14. M. Abdul Habib Khan	89, Jhowtollah Road, P. O. Balligunge, Calcutta.

DALHOUSIE.

1. M. M. C. Saihgal	Officers' Munshi, Balun Bazar, Dalhousie.

DELHI.

1. M. Mithan Lal, B.A.	Muhalla Churi Walan, Delhi.
2. M. Akbar Khan Haidari	British Garrison Meer Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.
3. M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi)	Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.

DINAPORE.

1. M. Syed Hadi Hussain	Regimental Munshi, Orderly Bazar, Dinapore.
2. M. Farzand Ali Khan (of Patna)	Regimental Munshi, attd. 2nd Devon Battery, Dinapore.

FEROZEPORE.

1. M. J. Kishori Lall	Regimental Munshi, 82nd Coy. R. G. A. and 6th Sussex Battery, R. F. A., Sadar Bazar, near Jain Mandar, Ferozepore Cantonment.
2. M. Suraj Narain, B.A.	Kahani Bazar, Ferozepore.

FORT WILLIAM—CALCUTTA.

1. M. Abdul Karim	Regimental Munshi, C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Fort William, Calcutta.

GORAKHPORE.

1. M. Ram Charan Lal	Sub-Deputy Inspector of Schools, Gorakhpore.

JHANSI.

1. M. K. R. Mehta	R. A. Munshi, Jhansi.

JHELUM.

1. M. Thakur Das Pahwa	Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JUBBULPUR.

1. M. Abdur Rahim	Regimental Munshi, 1st Battalion, The York and Lancaster Regiment, Jubbulpur.

JULLUNDUR.

1. M. Karam Chand	C/o Janki Mull & Sons, Sudder Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

KAMPTEE.

1. M. S. Karim Bukhsh	Regimental Munshi, [illegible] Battalion, The Buffs, East Kent Regiment, Gora Bazar, Kamptee.

KARACHI.

1. M. Mukhtar Ahmad	Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.
2. M. Anandram Thadmal	30, Jethmal Buildings, Garrikhata, Karachi.

KASAULI.

1. M. Anand	Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

LAHORE CANTONMENT.

1. M. Sham Lal Bhargava	Dungar Street, Sadar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.
2. M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani	Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
3. M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman Sabri	Chhawni Manawala, Sammian Street, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

LUCKNOW.

1. M. Abdul Alim	Near the Police Post, Hussaingunge, Lucknow.
2. M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil)	Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
3. M. S. M. Shahabuddin	Near Police Out Post, Hussaingunge, Lucknow.
4. M. Farhat Ali Suhail	C/o M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil), near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.

MAYMYO (BURMA).

1. M. Saiyed Amir Ali (of Delhi)	Regimental Munshi, 4th Border Regiment, Alexandra Barracks, Maymyo, Burma.

MEERUT.

1. Pt. Hriday Narain	Regimental Munshi, 1-1st Wiltshire Battery, [illegible] A. Bazar, Meerut.

MULTA[illegible]

1. M. Mohd. Ishaq	R.[illegible]hi, Sadar Bazar, Multan Cantonment.
2. M. Sultan Mohamed	Regimental Munshi, Multan.

MURREE HILLS.

1. M. Abdul Ghani (of Nowshera)	C/o Syed Jafar Shah, Regimental Munshi, 1st Yorkshire Regiment, Barian Camp, Murree.
2. M. S. C. Bagchi	Munshi, Lawrence European School, Ghoragali P. O., Murree Hills.
3. M. Bodh Raj	Officers' Munshi, Murree Hills.

NAINI TAL.

1. M. Faqir Ulla	St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

1. M. Muhammad Din	Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).
2. M. Ghulam Jilani	R. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
3. M. S. Abdul Ghani	Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
4. M. Mohamed Sarwar	New Mohalla Sudder Bazaar, Nowshera.

PATNA.

1. M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi	Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

1. M. Ahmed Din	1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
2. M. Abdur Rahim	Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.
3. M. Safdar Khan	Near Anaj Mandi, Peshawar.

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1. M. Sher Mahomed	C/o Barkat Ali, Regimental Munshi, 2nd Royal Irish Fusiliers, Quetta.
2. M. Sheikh Abdul Aziz	Islamabad, Quetta.
3. M. Mohd. Rahim Shah	Regimental Munshi, Cadet College, Quetta.
4. M. Ahmed Bux	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

1. M. Ghulam Muhiuddin	R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
2. Ghulam Rasul	Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
3. M. Fazal Ahmed	Persian House, Rawalpindi.
4. M. Abdul Waheed	C/o Coffee Shop, 2nd Rifle Brigade, West Ridge, Rawalpindi.
5. M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan	C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.
6. M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh Gyani	Officers' Munshi, Ahata Sultan, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

1. M. Fazl-i-Haq	Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

1. M. Ajab Shah Anand	Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

In addition to the above, the following, who were examined in Urdu previous to the institution of the examination mentioned in the above India Army Order, are also, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, qualified to teach:—

1. M. Mohd. Arif	12, Harinbari Lane, Calcutta.
2. Maulvi Syed Abu Zafar	36, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta.
3. M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	14, Karaya Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
4. M. Badru-z-Zaman	29, Ice Factory Lane, Entally, Calcutta.
5. M. Abdul Badi	5, Ramsanker Roy's Lane, Calcutta.
6. M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 21, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
7. M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	25, Tiljalah 1st Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
8. M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nurali Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
9. M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
10. M. Mohd. Shuaib	Chowk Masjid, Arrah.

N.B.—It is requested that Munshis who have passed this examination, and whose names do not appear above, should communicate their present addresses to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, so that their names may be published also.

Whenever any munshi changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

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Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3¼ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. Post system*, and are obtainable from The Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1916 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	R
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	21-8 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	22-8 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 „

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 „

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 „

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0 10 0
„ „ 3 „	„ 6 „	„	Re.	1 0 0
„ „ 2 „	„ 9 „	„	Re.	1 8 0

N.B.—Postage stamps will not be accepted as revenue.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

Claimants who have attained their majority.

It is hereby notified that claims from the undermentioned individuals on account of the patrimony due to them should be submitted to the Controller of Military Accounts, Bolarum, through the Staff Officer of the station at which each claimant may be residing:—

Names of Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Brooks, John, Sergeant, Infantry Veteran Company	Caroline Brooks (daughter). Dennis Brooks (son).
Brandon, John, Gunner, European Artillery Veteran Company	John Brandon (son).* Charles Brandon (son).
Clarkson, Samuel, Artificer, Carnatic Ordnance Department	Ann Clarkson (daughter).
Carroll, J., Sergeant, 2nd European Light Infantry	Elizabeth Carroll (daughter). Joseph Carroll (son). Agnes Carroll (daughter).
Cosser, J., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	John Cosser (son).
Crawley, Sergeant	George Wellington Crawley (son).
Doyle, I., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery	James Doyle (son).
Danford, S., Gunner, 3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery	Amelia, *alias* Emma Danford (daughter).
Furlong, I., Corporal, 3rd Madras European Regiment	John Furlong (son).
Flynn, J., Corporal, 1st Madras Fusiliers	James Flynn (son). William Flynn (son). Joseph Flynn (son).
Grimstone, R., Sergeant, 3rd Madras European Regiment	Perquira Grimstone (daughter). Richard Grimstone (son).
Hawkins, Richard, Private, European Infantry Veteran Company	Jeremiah Mitchell Hawkins (Foster-son). George Hawkins (son).
Hunsley, W., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	Charles Hunsley (son).
Hutchins, James, Gunner, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	George Henry Hutchins (son).
Healey, P., Hospital Sergeant	Edward Healey (son). Frank Healey (son).
Keleker, I. T., Bombardier, 3rd Battalion Artillery	Mary Keleker (daughter).
Knowles, W. S., Bugler, D. Company, 1st Battalion, Madras Artillery	Andrew James Knowles (son).
McDonald, B., 2nd Corporal, Sappers and Miners	James McDonald (son).
McGuire, Michael, Staff Barrack Sergeant, B. Company, 4th Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew McGuire (son).
McManus, J., Foreman, Carnatic Ordnance Artificers Corps	Agnes Maude McManus (daughter). Mary Elizabeth McManus (daughter). Reith McManus (daughter). Patrick John McManus (son).
Murphy, I., Private, 3rd Madras European Regiment	James Murphy (son).
Nicholson, T., Shoeing Smith	Arabella Hannah Nicholson (daughter).
Rothe, R., Corporal, 2nd European Light Infantry	Catherine Rothe (daughter).
Scully, E., Sub-Overseer	Eleanor Scully (daughter). John Scully (son).
Smith, Michael, Colour-Sergeant, 1st Madras Fusiliers	Mary Ann Smith (daughter).
Smithes, R., Sergeant, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	Henry Smithes (son).
Sheepard, J., Sergeant, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery	John Sheepard (son). Ellen Sheepard (daughter).
Wallace, J., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Artillery	John Wallace (son). Thomas Wallace (son).
Wiggins, R., Gunner, Madras Artillery	John M. Wiggins (son).

* Claim received, but claimant has not yet appeared to receive payment.

H. C. SZCZEPANSKI, Major,
Controller of Military Accounts.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF MILITARY ACCOUNTS,
9TH (SECUNDERABAD) DIVISION, BOLARUM;
30TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 17th October 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 15th October 1916.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE.										
				COIN AND BULLION.							SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).		TOTAL.	REMARKS.
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	1,47,78,000	24,18,93,670	25,66,71,670	5,90,57,431	40,27,560	67,86,510	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 13,06,04,845	41,97,26,292	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R13,88,01,571. (c) Includes treasury bills purchased under Section 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R4,55,98,649.
Cawnpore	...	3,01,75,200	*3,01,75,200	2,48,45,829	1,82,10,045	...	...	..	..	...	..	..	4,30,55,874	
Lahore	...	5,85,20,105	5,85,20,105	1,85,37,363	2,10,87,547	...	..	...	...	.	...	..	3,96,24,910	
Bombay	1,65,56,585	19,97,95,720	20,63,52,305	7,76,80,575	3,83,30,633	95,83,073	.	...	...	...	.	..	12,55,94,281	
Karachi	...	2,23,52,650	2,23,52,650	1,06,41,737	36,97,215	...		...	...	.	..	...	1,43,38,952	
Madras	9,67,195	8,95,01,860	9,04,69,055	1,69,93,455	1,13,30,850	.	.	...	.	...		..	2,83,24,305	
Rangoon	...	5,51,69,665	5,51,69,665	3,83,90,141	99,19,230	..	.		...			.	4,83,09,371	
	3,23,01,780	68,74,08,870	71,97,10,650	24,61,46,531	10,66,08,080	1,63,69,583	11,92,50,000	...		...	9,99,99,946	13,06,04,845	71,89,73,935	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			9,36,665	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									2,00,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			71,87,73,985	TOTAL RESERVE R									71,87,73,985	

Gold worth £143,000 (R21,45,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 15th October 1916.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 15th October 1915 to 1,90 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi the, 2nd October 1916.

No. 6669-*Military*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 30 of the Punjab Military Transport Act, 1916 (I of 1916) as applied to the Province of Delhi by the Government of India's Notification No. 1038-C., dated the 22nd March 1916. The Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is hereby pleased to make the following rules :—

RULES UNDER THE PUNJAB MILITARY TRANSPORT ACT, I OF 1916.

POWERS AND DUTIES OF TRANSPORT INSPECTION OFFICERS AND OF TRANSPORT ASSISTANTS.

1. Subject to the general control of the Deputy Commissioner, the Transport Inspection Officer may inspect all animals and things liable to impressment within the area in which he exercises his powers under the Act.

2. Every Transport Inspection Officer will send to the Deputy Commissioner a programme of the tour of inspection which he proposes to make.

3. Every Transport Inspection Officer may issue such orders as he may deem necessary for the due discharge of his duties under the Act to any Transport Assistant in his circle; but orders for the collection of animals or things for inspection shall ordinarily be sent by him direct to the Zaildar Transport Assistants and not to the Tahsildar. The term Zaildar Transport Assistant includes a person appointed Transport Assistant by name under section 4(1) of the Act.

4. Every Transport Assistant shall obey to the best of his ability all orders which he may receive from the Transport Inspection Officer.

5. Every Zaildar Transport Assistant shall render all reasonable aid to the patwaris of his zail in the biennial enumeration of camels and mules made under these rules.

6. Every Zaildar Transport Assistant shall keep a memorandum of the number of bullocks fit for military transport available in each village in his zail.

7. It shall be the duty of every Transport Assistant receiving a requisition for the supply of animals or things for military transport to see that only fit animals or things are sent to the collecting centre.

ENUMERATION OF MULES AND CAMELS.

8. During the first week of August in every alternate year commencing from the year 1917 every patwari shall make a count of all mules and camels present in his circle, and shall enter in a register to be known as the Patwari's Military Transport Register the total number of mules, the total number of male camels of 6 years of age and over, the total number of male camels under 6 years of age, and the total number of female camels. In the case of mules and camels which do not belong to his circle, he shall make a note showing the principal areas or districts from which they come and the gross number from each such area or district. The Register shall be in Form 1 appended to these Rules.

9. Every owner or person in charge of any mule or camel and every lumbardar shall be bound to give to the best of his ability any information which the patwari may require to fill up the entries in his Register, and every owner or person in charge shall be bound if so required to produce such animal or camel for enumeration at such time and place within the limits of his village as the patwari may fix.

10. The patwari shall be bound to produce his Register for inspection by the Transport Inspection Officer whenever the latter may so order.

11. The patwari shall take or send his Register to the Tahsil not later than the 15th of August for the purpose of filling up the entries in the Tahsil Military Transport Register, which shall be in Form 2 appended to these Rules. The Patwari's Register shall be returned to the patwari not later than the end of August. Before the 15th of September the Tahsil Register shall be send to the District headquarters for the purpose of filling up the entries in the District Military Transport Register, Form 3. The Transport Inspection Officer may examine any of these Registers.

12. In municipalities and in notified areas the Deputy Commissioner may require the committee to have the enumeration of camels and mules carried out as aforesaid by servants of the municipal committee or notified area. The committee shall send its returns to the office of the Deputy Commissioner and they shall be entered in the District Register, but it shall not be necessary for the Committee to maintain a Register of its own. In other respects the above rules shall apply in the case of this agency equally as in the case of the patwari.

INSPECTIONS.

13. When a Transport Inspection Officer wishes to hold an inspection of any animals or things liable to impressment, he shall give notice in good time to the Deputy Commissioner of his intended visit, and shall also send an intimation to the Transport Assistant concerned, stating what animals or things he wishes to inspect and the places and times at which he will inspect them.

14. The Transport Assistant shall on receipt of this intimation take all necessary steps to ensure the presence of the animals or things at the times and places appointed. He will ordinarily cause a notice of the inspection to be proclaimed in each village or town where such inspection is to take place, and may in such notice call upon any owner or person in charge of animals or things then present in the town or village to produce them at the time and place appointed, and may also require any person owning land or resident in the village to bring in for inspection any animals or things belonging to him which may be in the neighbouring villages.

15. Every lumbardar and village watchman shall be bound to give the Transport Inspection Officer and the Transport Assistant all reasonable aid in procuring the presence of the said animals or things.

16. Every owner or person in charge of any animal or thing shall be bound to give the Transport Inspection Officer such information as he may require regarding the fitness of the animal or thing for purposes of military transport, and shall in the case of camels and mules state if required their permanent abodes and the places where they usually ply for hire.

DISTRIBUTION LIST FOR PURPOSES OF REQUISITION.

17. The Collector in consultation with the Transport Inspection Officer shall prepare a distribution statement (Form 4) showing the number of bullocks which are available for requisition for purposes of military transport from his district the figures being given by tahsils. This statement shall be entered in the District Military Transport Register. Similarly the Tahsildar shall prepare a distribution statement (Form 5) for his tahsil giving the figures by zails, and entering the figures in his Tahsil Military Transport Register. The zaildar shall keep a memorandum showing the number of bullocks available from each village in his zail.

The distribution statements shall be revised from time to time, as may be necessary. Copies of the original statements and of the revised statements shall be forwarded by the Chief Commissioner of Delhi.

COMMITTEES OF ASSESSMENT.

18. The Committee of Assessment to be constituted under section 12 shall consist of the following members :—

(1) A Civil Officer not below the rank of an Extra Assistant Commissioner, to be nominated by the Deputy Commissioner ;

(2) A land-owner of the district to be nominated by the Deputy Commissioner ;

(3) The Officer authorised under section 11* or any person deputed by him or nominated by the General Officer Commanding the Division for this purpose.

19. The Register of Assessment to be maintained by the Committee shall be in Form 6 appended to these Rules.

IMPRESSMENT FOR HIRE IN TIMES OF PEACE.

20. The Collector may impress for hire for the purposes of military transport on occasions other than active service and grave emergency all animals and things liable to impressment under the Act. The terms and conditions of hire are set out in the Appendix to these Rules.

POWERS OF ENTRY.

21. Except in cases of suspected concealment of animals or things liable to impressment, the power of entry conferred by section 21 of the Act shall not be exercised after sunset or before sunrise.

22. In cases of entry under section 21 of the Act, reasonable opportunity shall be given to the women of the household to withdraw.

ESTABLISHMENT OF DEPÔTS.

23. The Collector shall provide at least one depôt at each collecting centre in his district and shall provide the necessary establishment for the same.

24. The Collector shall make adequate arrangements for the safeguarding of goods deposited in each depôt, and for their protection from weather and insect pests and vermin.

*NOTE.—When impressment for active service or grave emergency becomes necessary, the Local Government will authorise an officer, who will be nominated by the Military Department, under section 11 of the Act.

25. The person appointed by the Collector to be in charge of the depôt shall maintain a register of deposits in Form 7 appended to these Rules, and such other records as may be prescribed by the Collector.

26. A receipt in Form 8 shall be given by the person in charge of the depôt for all goods deposited in the depôt.

27. The person in charge of the depôt shall cause a number to be marked in clear figures on each separate article or package to enable it to be readily identified.

28. Any person depositing any goods in a depôt shall draw the attention of the person in charge of the depôt to any goods of a perishable nature among those deposited by him, and the person in charge shall without delay obtain the orders of the Collector regarding their sale or disposal.

29. Subject to the provisions of section 25 (4) of the Act, goods deposited in a depôt shall be returnable to the person making the deposit or to the consignee declared by the person making the deposit.

30. The Collector shall in the notice to the consignee in which he calls upon him to take delivery warn him that if delivery is not taken within three months the goods will be sold by auction.

31. Auction sale shall be held by a person deputed for this purpose by the Collector.

32. No goods shall be deposited in a depôt except goods taken from an animal or things purchased or hired under this Act for active service or for an occasion of grave emergency. The depôt shall not be available for the deposit of goods taken from animals or things hired in times of peace, or from animals or things before they are approved for hire or purchase by the officer appointed under section 11.

33. No fees shall be chargeable in respect of the deposits of goods in a depôt or for their sale by auction.

34. The deposit of goods in a depôt shall not be compulsory, but the owners or persons in charge of animals or things impressed should be informed that loads can be deposited in a depôt free of charge.

GENERAL.

35. On occasions of active service or grave emergency all animals or things, except boats, impressed shall be purchased and not hired. This rule does not apply to grantee camels.

36. The Register of Assessment referred to in Rule 19 shall be kept in the Office of the Deputy Commissioner of the district.

37. It shall not be necessary to assess the value of animals or things impressed for hire in times of peace.

38. Owners of animals collected at a collecting centre in pursuance of an order under section 8 of the Act shall receive from the purchasing officer, if the animals are not accepted, a subsistence allowance at the following rates:—

	If seized or collected within 15 miles from the collecting centre.	If seized or collected over 15 miles and within 30 miles from the collecting centre.	If seized or collected beyond 30 miles from the collecting centre.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
For each pony or mule	1 0 0	2 0 0	4 0 0
" camel or bullock	0 8 0	1 0 0	2 0 0
" donkey	0 4 0	0 8 0	1 0 0

An allowance will also be paid for each complete day's detention at the collecting centre at the following rates:—

	Rs. A. P.
For each mule or pony	0 8 0
" camel or bullock	0 4 0
" donkey	0 2 0

39. The purchasing officer will maintain a register of sums paid as subsistence allowance in Form 11 appended to these rules.

Form No. 1.

PATWARI'S MILITARY TRANSPORT REGISTER.

Name of Patwari's Circle *Tahsil* *District*

Village, name or number.	CAMELS.			MULES.		REMARKS.
	Male camels 6 years (chogs), and over.	Male camels under 6 years of age.	Females.	5 years and over.	Under 5 years.	
Total in Patwari's Circle.						

Instructions.—1. All camels and mules found at the time of the enumeration in the circle should be counted and the numbers entered in the register.

2. In the case of mules and camels which do not belong to his circle, the patwari shall make a note showing the principal areas or districts from which they come, and the gross number from each such area or district.

Form No. 2.

TAHSIL MILITARY TRANSPORT REGISTER

Name of Tahsil *Name of District*

Name of Patwari's Circle.	CAMELS.			MULES.		REMARKS.
	Males of 6 years of age, and over.	Males under 6 years of age.	Females.	5 years and over.	Under 5 years.	

Instructions.—1. Only the total number of each circle should be shown. The numbers in each village should not be shown.

2. In the case of camels and mules which do not belong to the Tahsil, a note should be made showing the nopiripal areas or districts from which they come, and the gross number from each such area or district.

Form No. 3.

DISTRICT MILITARY TRANSPORT REGISTER.

Name of District

Name of Tahsil.	Camels.			Mules.		Remarks.
	Males of 6 years of age, and over.	Males under 6 years of age.	Females.	5 years and over	Under 5 years.	

Instructions.—1 Only the total number for each tahsil should be shown.

2. In the case of camels and mules which do not belong to the District, a note should be made showing the principal areas or districts from which they come, and the gross number from each such area or district.

Form No. 4.

DISTRICT DISTRIBUTION STATEMENT.

Name of Tahsil.	Number of bullocks available for requisition for purposes of Military transport.	Remarks.

Note.—These forms should be bound up at the end of the District Military Transport Register.

Form No. 5.

TAHSIL DISTRIBUTION STATEMENT.

Name of Zail.	Number of bullocks available for requisition for purpose of Military transport.	Remarks.

Note.—These forms should be bound up at the end of the Tahsil Military Transport Register.

Form No. 6.

REGISTER OF ASSESSMENT UNDER SECTION 12 OF THE PUNJAB MILITARY TRANSPORT ACT, I OF 1916.

Committee held at *on the*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Serial No.	Name and address of the owners.	Name and address of the person incharge of the animal or thing.	Class of animal or thing, *i.e.*, bullock, camel, donkey, etc.	Description of the animal or thing.	Market value as determined by the Committee.	15 per cent. on column 6 for compulsory acquisition.	Total amount deposited by the Officer (section 13) in payment of the animal or thing.	Signature or thumb mark of the payee in receipt for the sum deposited.	Signature of Collector's representative for sums not paid to owner, but deposited with Collector under section 15 (2) of the Act.	Signature of Members of Committee of Assessment.	Collector's orders regarding payment of sum shown in column 10.
					Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.				

Form No. 7.

REGISTER OF GOODS STORED UNDER SECTION 25 OF THE PUNJAB MILITARY TRANSPORT ACT, I OF 1916.

Name of the Depôt *District* *Name of the person in charge*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Serial No.	Date of deposit.	Description of goods deposited, with mark or number of identification. (Rule 27) Enter perishable goods in red ink.	Number of packages, bundles, etc.	Gross weight.	Name of consignor and address.	Name of consignee and address.	Name of person making deposit and address.	Counterfoil Nos. of the Notice on Forms 9 and 10 sent to consignor and consignee, respectively.	Signature of person in charge of depôt.	Receipt for goods removed and date of removal.	Amount realized for goods by auction sale.	Payee's receipt for the sum so realized and date of payment.	REMARKS.
				Mds. Sr.							Rs. A. P.		

Form No. 8.

Serial No.________

District______________

Collecting centre____________________

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Received from ______________________________________

the following goods for deposit :—

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Description of goods_______________

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Weight____________

____

Marks of identification______________

____

Signature of person in charge of Depôt.

Date ______________

Form No. 8.

Serial No.________

District______________

Collecting centre____________________

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Received from ______________________________________

the following goods for deposit :—

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Description of goods_______________

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Weight____________

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Marks of identification______________

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Signature of person in charge of Depôt.

Date ______________

Counterfoil of Forms Nos. 9 and 10.

Serial No.———— Date of Issue————19 .

1. Name and address of Consignor————

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2. Name and address of Consignee————

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3. Name and address of person making the deposit

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4. Date of deposit————

5. Description of goods. (Enter perishable goods in red ink)————

6. Total weight————

7. No. of packages————

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Signature of person in charge of Depôt.

Form No. 9.

SECTION 25 (3) OF THE PUNJAB MILITARY TRANSPORT ACT, I OF 1916.

Notice to Consignor.

No.

You are hereby informed that the goods as described below consigned by you to————at————and carried by————of————have this day been deposited at the Depôt at————in the————District and are now held in Government charge.

The following goods————weighing————being perishable, will be sold by public auction at once.

A notice has this day been sent to the Consignee to take delivery of the remaining goods within three months from the date of deposit.

Description and weight of goods.

————

Dated———— *In charge*————*Depôt,*

————*District.*

Form No. 10.

SECTION 25 (3) OF THE PUNJAB MILITARY TRANSPORT ACT, I OF 1916.

Notice to Consignee.

No.

You are hereby informed that the goods as described below have been consigned to you by————residing at————and carried by————of————and have this day been deposited at the Depôt at————in the————District and are now held in Government charge.

The following goods————weighing————being perishable will be sold by public auction at once.

You are hereby required to take delivery of the remaining goods within three months from the date of deposit, failing which the goods will be sold by auction.

Description and weight of goods.

————

Dated———— *In charge*————*Depôt,*

————*District.*

Form No. 11.

REGISTER OF SUBSISTENCE MONEY.

No.________

Name of owner ________

Number of animals—

	Subsistence allowance paid. Rs.	A.
Camels		
Mules		
Bullocks		
Ponies		
Donkeys		
Total .		

Signature or thumb mark of payee.

Signature of purchasing officer and date.

No.________

Name of owner ________

Number of animals—

	Subsistence allowance paid. Rs.	A.
Camels		
Mules		
Bullocks		
Ponies		
Donkeys		
Total .		

Signature or thumb mark of payee.

Signature of purchasing officer and date.

Appendix I.

H.—CARRIAGE.

I.—The following are the Military Rules on this subject—*vide* Appendix VII, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, edition 1904:—

[Correction Slip 44 S. O., dated January 1911.]

1. Requisition on the civil authorities for hired carriage required for the movements of troops or stores should be prepared on I. A. F. S. 1675, giving full details of requirements, and sent so as to reach the District or Political Officer concerned, if possible, not less than fifteen days (one month in Gwalior State) before the carriage is required.

[Correction Slip 44 S. O., dated January 1911.]

2. Hired carriage will not ordinarily be required to proceed beyond the limits of the next civil district on the route, but will be exchanged, if possible, at such stations therein as may be fixed by the local civil authorities. It will be paid for at the authorized local hire rate from the date on which it is engaged by the civil officer for the march to the date of its discharge, both inclusive, but if taken double marches, double rates will be paid for each such march. Return hire will only be admissible when the carriage is necessarily taken beyond the nearest exchanging station, when half the full hire rate will be paid for each route book or other recognized stage on the return journey, without any allowance for halts. When circumstances render it necessary to collect the carriage before the date on which it is required, the civil authorities will always notify to the intending officer the time required for collection prior to the start, and the probable extra expense that will be incurred. Similarly, any carriage indented for which may be found in excess of final requirements and discharged before the march commences, will be paid for at the full hire rate, for each day or part of a day for which it is retained. If carriage is declared unserviceable by a committee of officers (which should include a civil officer), it will not be paid for. When chaudhris are engaged to collect carriage, their fees at local rates will be paid by the owners and not by the Military Department.

3. On engagement of the carriage, the civil or political officer will advance to the owners half the estimated hire for the full journey, and will then send the carriage to the place required in charge of a tahsil or darbar official, who will hand to the requisitioning officer a detail of the composition of the carriage, authorised loads, hire rates, owners' names, amount advanced and receipts for the same, and intimation as to the station at which the carriage should be exchanged (See I. A. F. S. 1675). The amount advanced will be at once repaid to the civil officer by the Supply and Transport Corps.

4. The civil officer supplying the carriage will at the same time warn the civil officer at the first exchanging station of the transport requiring exchange, and the date and place at which it will be required. The latter will then proceed as in paragraph 3 and warn the next exchanging station. Similar action will be taken at each exchanging station on the route.

5. Should any change be required *en-route* in the original quantity and description of transport supplied, the Officer Commanding the troops must give the civil officer at the exchanging station concerned as much notice as possible.

6. Carriage breaking down between exchanging stations should be replaced on the spot in communication with the local civil officials, and paid off. If the advance received has not been liquidated, the owner must refund the amount then due.

7. On arrival at an exchanging station or at destination, the carriage should be at once released and paid off by the Supply and Transport Officer if there is one, otherwise by a British Officer of the marching unit in the presence of the civil official attached to the troops, the acquittance roll being signed by both and countersigned by the Officer Commanding. Any disputes will be referred to and settled by the district civil officer at the place at which the transport is released.

[Correction Slip 44 S. O., dated January 1911.]

8. If carts are brought from a distance and detained at a camp of exercise, etc., the full rate of hire will be paid for each day for such detention. Carriage should not, however, be detained at a camp which lasts for five days or over, except in very special circumstances.

9. When carriage is discharged, a certificate in English and the Vernacular should be given by the civil officer to the exchanging station or by the civil officer accompanying the troops, to each person in charge thereof, to protect the carriage from being taken for the use of troops while on its return journey, unless such troops are marching in the direction of the owner's home. If so employed, the full hire rate will be paid.

[*Para. 219, Army Regulations, India, Volume X.*]

10. The Officer Commanding will be responsible that animals are not overladen nor ill-treated, and that on arrival at destination or an exchanging station all carriage is released as early as possible. Animals must always be unloaded when crossing rivers in boats. Hired transport establishments not being amenable to Military discipline, any serious misbehaviour on their part must be dealt with in communication with the civil authorities.

II.—The following supplementary rules are issued by the Financial Commissioner with the approval of the Local Government:—

1. The responsibility for the supply of carriage for the movement of troops or for individuals in Military employ, authorised to travel at the public expense, or for stores, rests in the first instance, with the Supply and Transport Corps. It is only when that Corps is unable to meet the demand that a call will be made on the civil authorities.

2. A copy of Form I. A. F. S. 1675, referred to in rule I (1) is given as Appendix A to this standing order; the exchanging stations referred to in Rule I (2) are detailed in Appendix B and the local hire rates in Appendix C.

3. The cost of return hire for carriage taken beyond an exchanging station [Rule I (2)] will be a charge against the Military Department if the Commanding Officer of the regiment has failed to give due notice of his requirements, or if a relief has been provided by the civil officer responsible but has not been taken up by the regiment or detachment for which it is supplied. If such relief has not been provided in spite of due notice to the civil officers the excess payment will ordinarily be a charge against the Civil Department. The District Officer should report to the Commissioner each case in which he has declined to furnish a relief, assigning reasons for the same. The Commissioner will notice any cases in which the reasons are not satisfactory; for much of the hardship entailed under existing arrangements upon owners of cattle is owing to the rules regarding relief not being attended to.

[Correction Slip 44 S. O., dated January 1911.]

4. For carriage employed in any part of the Punjab during the rainy season or between the 1st of June and 1st of October, an additional charge will be made equivalent to 25 per cent. on the hire that would be leviable according to the local rates. This rule is subject to the special provisions of the Simla rules, which allow half rates for halts and back hire in certain cases, and dispense with the additional charge of 25 per cent. This rule does not apply to the Gurdaspur, Attock and Rawalpindi districts, rates for which are specially provided.

5. Ordinarily chaudhris will arrange with the owners of carriages as to the scale of fees to be paid, but in the absence of any special engagement, they will be entitled to 6 pies or half-an-anna per rupee on the total hire due for carriage from the station at which it is engaged to the station at which it ought to be relieved. In the case of coolies and bearers the chaudhri's fees will be 6 pies or half-an-anna per man.

6. An exception to the Military Rule, which lays down that chaudhri's fees will be paid by the owners, exists in the Simla District, where chaudhri's fees are added to the rates of hire fixed by the Local Government, and are therefore paid by the hirers of carriage.

7. (*i*) The civil officer furnishing the carriage is bound to see that the advance referred to in Rule I (8) is made before the carriage is made over to the applicant. He is also bound, before granting the passport referred to in Rule I (8) and formally discharging the carriage, to satisfy himself that the owners have been paid in full according to the prescribed rates.

(*ii*) This advance will be drawn from the Treasury on a simple receipt, and on its being recouped by the Supply and Transport Corps, will be refunded into the Treasury.

8. The owner of carriage should be supplied with a copy of the requisition filled up in English and Urdu characters.

9. All tolls will be payable by the hirer of carriage in cash or by free pass.

10. The rules and tables of rates should be hung up in dâk bungalows, serais, tahsils, thanas and other public places.

11. Monthly rates, when not specified, will be determined by mutual agreement.

12. For the purpose of calculating remuneration for carriage, a part of a stage must be treated as equivalent to a whole stage.

13. The authorised loads, except in the Rawalpindi, Attock and Gurdaspur districts, and the Kulu Sub-Division of the Kangra District, are as follows :—

Correction Sli[p] No. 144 S. O. [...] 9th January 19[..] No. 300 S. O., [...] and 22nd Janu[...] 1913.

	Description of carriage.	Load.		
		Pakka road in plains.	Kacha road.	Hill road.
1	Bullock Train Carts, 4-wheeled	30 maunds	30 maunds	24 maunds.
2	" " " 2 "	15 "	15 "	15 "
3	4-Bullock Carts	20 "	16 "	16 "
4	3 " "	15 "	12 "	12 "*
5	2 " "	10 "	8 "	8 "*
6	Camels	5 "	5 "	4 "
7	Bullocks	3 "	3 "	$2\frac{1}{2}$ "
8	Mules and Ponies	3 "	3 "	$2\frac{1}{2}$ "
9	Asses	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "	$1\frac{1}{4}$ "
10	Coolies	30 seers	30 seers	24 seers.

* The maximum load on the Simla-Kalka Road *for the down journey* will be 12 maunds for a two-bullock cart and 16 maunds for a three-bullock cart.

For maximum loads in the Rawalpindi and Gurdaspur districts see Appendix C to this circular.

The maximum load for a coolie in the Kulu Sub-Division of the Kangra District is 28 seers, except in the case of the stages which cross the passes, for which it is 26 seers. (Correction Slip No. 300 S. O., dated 22nd January 1913.)

Appendix A.

I. A. F. S. 1657. REQUISITION ON THE CIVIL AUTHORITIES FOR HIRED CARRIAGE.

(See para. 217, A. R. I., Vol. X.)

THE ______________________________

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Please supply the undermentioned hired carriage :— [Page 1.]

Quantity and description of carriage required.	Alternative carriage which will be accepted if that indented for is not available.

which should be delivered at ____________________ (place and station) by __________
(hour) on ________________ (date) to the ____________________
with a view to its proceeding with the ________________________ (corps, etc.)

Appendix A—*continued.*

which is marching from__________ on __________
(date) *en-route* for__________

2. *The above__________(corps, etc) will be at the following stations (here enter main, civil or exchanging stations if known in each civil district which will be passed through *en-route*, and dates).

Station __________

Date __________ 19 .

____
(*Rank and appointment of indenting officer.*)

II.—SUPPLYING OFFICER.

To

THE__________

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Herewith a detail of the transport supplied :—

Quantity and description.	Authorised loads.	Authorised hire rates and date from which due.	Owner's name.	Amounts advanced to owners.	Signature or seal of owners to advance.

†1. The above carriage should be exchanged at __________ on __________
and the__________has been requested to arrange accordingly.

2. Please remit to me the amount advanced

†II. Forwarded to the __________ with the request that arrangements may be made for the relief of the above carriage at__________
on the__________

*Place*__________

*Date*__________*19* .

____
Signature of Civil Officer

*In the case of a long series of marches an itinerary of the movements can be attached instead.
†Score through I or II according to whether used for indenting or exchanging officer.

III.—1ST EXCHANGING STATION.

The carriage referred to in II was exchanged at__________
__________ on __________
for the following transport :—__________

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____

2. The above will require exchange at__________
on__________

Place __________

*Date*__________*19* .

____
Signature of 1st exchanging officer.

Appendix A—*continued.*

To

THE

(2nd exchanging officer.)

IV.—2ND EXCHANGING STATION.

The carriage referred to in III was exchanged at on [Page

for the following transport :—

2. The above will require exchange at

on

Place

Date 19 .

Signature of 2nd exchanging officer.

To

THE

(3rd exchanging officer.)

INSTRUCTIONS.*

1. This indent will be submitted in quadruplicate, with page 1 completed by the original indenting officer, to the district or political officer concerned. The latter will complete page 2 in all the copies, retain one copy for his own use, return two copies with the carriage—one for the O. C. troops, and one for the local S. and T. officer—and send one copy to the civil officer at the first exchanging station.

2. The civil officer at the first exchanging station will complete page 5, remove it and send it with the transport to the O. C. the troops and then pass on the form, endorsed on page 3, to the civil officer at the second exchanging station, who will then take similar action as regards pages 6 and 3. If there are more than two exchanging stations on the route the original indenting officer will attach as many spare sheets of pages 3 to 6 as are likely to be required. The object of the form is to admit of the details given on page 1 being passed along the route, and not rewritten for each exchanging station.

3. Should any change be required *en-route* in the original quantity and description of transport supplied or in the details of the movement given on page 1, the O. C. the troops must give the civil officer at the exchanging station concerned as much notice as possible, and the latter will correct the form accordingly before passing it on to the next civil officer concerned.

*The pages here mentioned refer to the paging of the requisition form I. A. F. S. 1675 and not to that of this Circular.

1ST EXCHANGING STATION.

To

THE O. C.

Herewith a detail of the exchange transport supplied :— [Page

Quantity and description.	Authorised loads.	Authorised hire rates and date from which due.	Owner's name.	Amounts advanced to owners.	Signature or seal of owners to advance.

The above carriage should be exchanged at on

and the has been requested to arrange accordingly.

2. Please cause the amount advanced to be remitted to me.

Place

Date 19 .

Signature of 1st exchanging officer.

Appendix A—*concluded.*

2ND EXCHANGING STATION.

To

THE O. C.

Herewith a detail of the exchange transport supplied:—

Quantity and description.		Authorised loads.	Authorised hire rates and date from which due.	Owner's name.	Amounts advanced to owners.	Signature or seal of owners to advance.

The above carriage should be exchanged at——————————on——————————

and the——————————————has been requested to arrange accordingly.

2. Please cause the amount advanced to be remitted to me.

Place ——————————

Date ——————————

——————————

Signature of 2nd exchanging officer.

Appendix B.

STATEMENT OF EXCHANGING STATIONS.

[*Rule II* (2).]

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4	Abbottabad	Edwardesabad.	Attock	1. Fatehjang.	61	235 190	5. Abbottabad 4. Hatar	Hazara.	
						174	3. Fatehjang.	Attock.	
			Attock	2. Shah Muhammadwala.	121	114	2. Shah Muhammadwala.	Ditto.	
			Mianwali Bannu	3. Isa Khel 4. Lakki	179 204	56	1. Isa Khel	Mianwali.	
5	Ditto	Kohat	Attock	1. Fatehjang	61	144	3. Abbottabad	Hazara.	
			Kohat	2. Khushalgarh. 3. Kohat	114 144	108 39	2. Hatar 1. Jand	Hazara. Attock.	
7	Ditto	Shahpur *viâ* Haripur. Talagang and Jaba.	Attock	1. Fatehjang. 2. Talagang	61 112	177 116	3. Abbottabad 2. Fatehjang.	Hazara. Attock.	
			Shahpur	3. Shahpur	177	65	1. Talagang	Attock.	
7 (a)	Ditto	Ditto *viâ* Haripur, Hassan Abdal, Chauntra and Chakwal.	Attock Jhelum	1. Fatehjang 2. Chakwal	61 130	211 147	4. Abbottabad 3. Fatehjang.	Hazara. Attock.	
			Shahpur	3. Bhera or 4. Shahpur.	180 211	81 47	2. Chakwal 1. Pind Dadar Khan.	Jhelum.	
13	Agra	Delhi	Muttra Gurgaon Delhi	1. Muttra 2. Palwal 3. Delhi	32 87 128	128 96 38	3. Agra 2. Muttra 1. Palwal	Agra. Muttra. Gurgaon.	Correction No. 9 S. dated Febru[...] 1910.
25	Aligarh	Ditto	Bulandshahr Delhi	1. Khurja 2. Delhi	28 88	88 60	2. Aligarh 1. Khurja	Aligarh. Bulandshahr.	
47	Amritsar	Ferozepore	Ferozepore	Ferozepore	55	55	Amritsar	Amritsar.	
48	Ditto	Gujranwala	Gujranwala	Gujranwalla	56	56	Ditto	Ditto.	
49	Ditto	Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur	42	42	Ditto	Ditto.	
50	Ditto	Hoshiarpur *viâ* Grand Trunk Road and Kartarpur.	Hoshiarpur	Hoshiarpur	67	67 26	2. Amritsar 1. Kartarpur.	Ditto. Jullundur.	
50 (a)	Ditto	Hoshiarpur *viâ* Mahta.	Hoshiarpur	Hoshiarpur	70	70	Amritsar	Amritsar.	
50 (b)	Ditto	Ditto *viâ* Batala.	Hoshiarpur	Hoshiarpur	87	87	Ditto	Ditto.	
51	Ditto	Sialkot	Sialkot	Sialkot	68	68	Ditto	Ditto.	
57	Attock	Abbottabad	Hazra	1. Haripur 2. Abbottabad.	58 81	81 45	2. Attock 6. Sarai Kala	Attock. Rawalpindi.	
59	Ditto	Derband	Hazara	Derband	57	57	Attock	Attock.	
60	Ditto	Edwardesabad.	Bannu Attock Mianwali Bannu	1. Ucheri Jaba 2. Trap 3. Isa Khel 4. Lakki	61 98 155 211	211 169 125 56	4. Attock 3. Pind Sultani 2. Mukhad 1. Isa Khel	Attock. Mianwali.	

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61	Attock	Kohat	Kohat	Kohat	72	72	Attock	Attock.	
141	Campbellpur	Edwardesabad	Attock	1. Shah Muhammadwala.	77	191	4. Campbellpur.	Attock.	
			Mianwali	2. Isa Khel	135	158	3. Pind Sultani.		
			Bannu	3. Lakki	191	114	2. Shah Muhammadwala.		
						55	1. Isa Khel	Mianwali.	
142	Ditto	Kohat	Kohat	1. Khushalgarh.	54	84	2. Campbellpur.	Attock.	
				2. Kohat	84	39	1. Jand		
143	Ditto	Shahpur	Attock	1. Talagang	75	140	2. Campbellpur.	Attock.	
			Shahpur	2. Shahpur	140	65	1. Talagang		
175	Dalhousie	Dharmsala	Kangra	1. Nurpur 2. Dharmsala	35 73	73	Dalhousie	Gurdaspur.	
187	Delhi	Agra *viâ* Bank of the Agra Canal.	Gurgaon Agra	1. Mandkol 2. Agra	37 128	128 91	3. Delhi 1. Mandkol	Delhi. Gurgaon.	
188	Ditto	Alwar *viâ* Sohna and Firozpur.	Gurgaon	1. Gurgaon	24	74*	3. Delhi	Delhi	* Distance between Delhi and Firozpur-Jhirka.
		Jhirka.		2. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	...	...	2. Firozpur-Jhirka. 1. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	Gurgaon.	
188 (*a*)	Ditto	Ditto *viâ* Rewari.	Gurgaon	1. Garhi Harsaru.	23	49†	3. Delhi	Delhi	† Distance between Rewari and Delhi.
			Jaipur State	2. Kot Kasim‡ 3. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	54 ...	... ...	2. Rewari 3. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	Gurgaon	‡ Subject to consent of the Darbar.
188 (*b*)	Ditto Correction slip No. 9 S. O., dated 19th February 1910.	Ditto *viâ* Palwal.	Gurgaon	1. Palwal	38	3§	3. Delhi	Delhi	§ Distance between Firozpur-Jhirka and Delhi.
				2. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	...	...	2. Firozpur-Jhirka. 1. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	Gurgaon	
188 (*c*)	Ditto Correction slip No. 9 S. O., dated 19th February 1910.	Ditto *viâ* Hodal.	Gurgaon	1. Palwal	38	90‖	3. Delhi	Delhi	‖ Distance between Firozpur-Jhirka and Delhi.
				2. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	...	...	2. Firozpur-Jhirka. 1. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	Gurgaon	

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188 (*d*)	Delhi	Alwar *viâ* Kasaw.	Gurgaon *vide* 188 (*c*)	1. Gurgaon	24	42*	3. Delhi	Delhi	*Distance between Bahora and Delhi.
				2. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	...	...	2. Bahora 1. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	Gurgaon.	
189	Ditto	Bikaner	Gurgaon	1. Garhi Harsaru.	23	60†	3. Delhi	Delhi	†Distance between Bhalki Mazra and Delhi.
				2. As arranged with Darbar concerned.			2. Bhalki Mazra. 1. As arranged with Darbar concerned.	Gurgaon.	
190	Ditto	Bulandshahr	Bulandshahr	Bulandshahr	48	48	Delhi	Delhi.	
191	Ditto	Hissar	Rohtak	1. Rohtak	45	104	3. Delhi	Delhi.	
				2. Sorkhi	77	74	2. Sampala	Rohtak.	
			Hissar	3. Hissar	104	39	1. Mahm		
192	Ditto	Meerut	Meerut	Meerut	45	45	Delhi	Delhi.	
193	Ditto	Mhow	Gurgaon	1. Garhi Harsaru.	23	66‡	3. Delhi	Delhi	‡Distance between Shahjahanpur and Delhi.
				2. As arranged with United Provinces.	...	...	2. Shahjahanpur. 1. As arranged with United Provinces.	Gurgaon.	
194	Ditto	Moradabad	Meerut	Pilkhwa	28	62	Opheyra	Meerut.	
195	Ditto	Saharanpur	Do.	1. Baraut	34	69	2. Baraut	Meerut.	
			Muzaffarnagar	2. Jallalabad	76	27	1. Jallalabad	Muzaffarnagar.	
196	Dera Ghazi Khan.	Loralai	Dera Ghazi Khan.	Kharar	58	58	Dera Ghazi Khan.	Dera Ghazi Khan.	
197	Ditto	Rajanpur	Ditto	Rajanpur	72	72	Dera Ghazi Khan.	Dera Ghazi Khan.	
199	Dera Ismail Khan.	Dera Ghazi Khan *viâ* Bhakkar, Leiah and Dera Din Panah.	Mianwali	1. Leiah	66	137	4. Dera Ismail Khan.	Dera Ismail Khan.	
			Muzaffargarh	2. Dera Din Panah.	93	59	3. Kot Sultan	Mianwali.	
					137	16	2. Gujrat	Muzaffarnagar.	
			Dera Ghazi Khan.	3. Dera Ghazi Khan.		8	1. Ghazi Ghât	Ditto.	
						127	3. Dera Ismail Khan.	Dera Ismail Khan.	
199 (*a*)	Ditto	Ditto *viâ* the District Road.	Ditto	1. Tibbi	59	74	2. Natkani	Ditto.	
				2. Dera Ghazi Khan.	127	46	1. Taunsa	Dera Ghazi Khan.	
199 (*b*)	Ditto	Ditto *viâ* Frontier Road.	Ditto	Vehoa	80	160	3. Dera Ismail Khan.	Dera Ismail Khan.	
				2. Dera Ghazi Khan.	360.	116	2. Chandhwan		
						52	1. Mangrotha	Dera Ghazi Khan.	
208	Dharmsala	Srinagar	Chamba State	1. Chamba	53	267	3. Dharmsala	Kangra.	
			Kashmir State	2. Bhadarwa	110	215	2. Chamba	Chamba State.	Road usually in bad state of repair.
				3. As arranged with Kashmir Darbar.			1. As arranged with Darbar.	With Kashmir.	This route should be used only in case of necessity.
						107	2. Darban	Dera Ismail Khan.	

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233	Edwardesabad.	Dera Ghazi Khan.	Dera Ghazi Khan.	Natkani.	142	121	Milan	Dera Ismail Khan.	
						80	1. Vehoa	Dera Ghazi Khan.	
235	Ditto	Rajanpur	Dera Ismail Khan.	1. Tank	69	307	6. Edwardesabad.	Bannu.	
			Dera Ghazi Khan.	2. Vehoa	154	238	5. Tank	Dera Ismail Khan.	
				3. Taunsa	190	153	4. Vehoa		
				4. Dera Ghazi Khan.	235	117	3. Taunsa		
				5. Jampur	267	72	2. Dera Ghazi Khan.	Dera Ghazi Khan.	
				6. Rajanpur	307	40	1. Jampur		
254	Ferozepore	Bahawalpur	Ferozepore	1. Fazilka or	51	51	3. Ferozepore	Ferozepore	
			Bahawalpur State.	2. McLeodganj	74	...	2. Fazilka		
				3. As arranged with Bahawalpur Darbar.	...	...	1. Last halting place in Bahawalpur State.		
255	Ditto	Bikaner as far as Usman Khera.	Ferozepore	1. Fazilka	51	79*	3. Ferozepore	Ferozepore.*	*Distances from Usman Khera.
						28*	2. Fazilka		
							1. Usman Khera.		
256	Ditto	Hissar	Patiala State	1. Bhadhaur	54	168	3. Ferozepore.	Ferozepore.	
				2. Sunam	92	135	2. Baghapurana.		
			Hissar	3. Barwala	150	...			
				4. Hissar	168	76	1. Sunam	Patiala State.	
256(a)	Ditto	Do.	Patiala State	1. Bhadhaur	54	200	4. Ferozepore.	Ferozepore.	
				2. Sunam	02	166	3. Baghapurana.		
			Hissar	3. Narnaud	171	108	2. Sunam	Patiala State.	
				4. Hissar	200	43	1. Jind	Jind State.	
257	Ditto	Montgomery	Montgomery	1. Atari or	53	124	3. Ferozepore.	Ferozepore.	
				Hujra	69	87	2. Mokal		
				2. Montgomery	124	33	1. Satghara	Montgomery.	
258	Ditto	Multan	Lahore	1. Chunian	44	212	4. Ferozepore.	Ferozepore.	
			Montgomery	2. Muhammadpur.	105	168	3. Chunian	Lahore.	
			Multan	3. Talamba	158	52	2. Muhammadpur.	Montgomery.	
				4. Multan	212	54	1. Talamba	Multan.	
258(a)	Ditto	Do.	Montgomery	1. Haveli	75	232	5. Ferozepore.	Ferozepore.	
				2. Harappa	137	181	4. Fazilka		
			Multan	3. Talamba	178	135	3. Pakpattan.	Montgomery.	
				4. Multan	232	95	2. Harappa		
						54	1. Talamba	Multan.	
258(b)	Ditto	Do.	Montgomery	1. Haveli	75	227	4. Ferozepore.	Ferozepore.	
			Multan	2. Zorkot	170	176	3. Fazilka		
				3. Multan	227	130	2. Pakpattan.	Montgomery.	
						57	1. Zorkot	Multan.	
260	Ditto	Rohtak	Patiala State	1. Bhadhaur	54	194	4. Ferozepore.	Ferozepore.	
			Jind State	2. Sunam	92	161	3. Baghapurana.		
				3. Jind	157	103	2. Sunam	Patiala State.	
			Rohtak	4. Rohtak	194	37	1. Jind	1. Jind State.	
261	Ditto	Sirsa *viâ* Muktsar and Malawat.	Hissar	1. Dabwali	72	109	2. Ferozepore.	Ferozepore.	
				2. Sirsa	108	60	1. Malaut		
261(a)	Ditto	Sirsa *viâ* Faridkot and Bhatinda.	Patiala State	1. Bhatinda	55	103	2. Ferozepore.	Ferozepore.	
			Hissar	2. Sirsa	103	48	1. Bhatinda	Patiala State.	

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266	Fort William from Delhi (Grand Trunk Road).	Peshawar	Delhi	1. Delhi	902	592	13. Delhi	Delhi.	Correction Slip No. 365 S. O., dated 11th August 1915.
			Rohtak	1. (a) Larsauli	934	560	12. (a) Larsauli	Rohtak	
			Karnal	2. Karnal	976	518	12. Karnal	Karnal.	
			Ambala	3. Ambala	1024	470	11. Ambala	Ambala.	
			Ludhiana	4. Khanna	1067	437	10. Bara	Patiala State.	
			Jullundur	5. Jullundur	1130	399	9. Ludhiana	Ludhiana.	
			Amritsar	6. Amritsar	1183	365	8. Jullundur	Jullundur.	
			Lahore	7. Lahore Cantt.	1215	311	7. Amritsar	Amritsar.	
			Gujranwala	8. Gujranwala	1255	283	6. Lahore Cantt.	Lahore.	
			Gujrat	9. Gujrat	1286	218	5. Wazirabad	Gujranwala.	
			Jhelum	10. Jhelum	1318	208	4. Gujrat	Gujrat.	
			Rawalpindi	11. Rawalpindi	1384	176	3. Jhelum	Jhelum.	
			Attock	12. Hasan Abdal.	1414	110	2. Rawalpindi	Rawalpindi.	
			Peshawar	13. Khairabad	1449	66	1. Hatli	Rawalpindi	Correction Slip No. 810 S. O., dated 11th March 1913.
				14. Peshawar	1494	...			
298	Gujranwala	Edwardesabad	Gujrat	1. Phalia	42	278	7. Gujranwala	Gujranwala.	
			Jhelum	2. Pind Dadan-Khan.	82	230	6. Phalia	Gujrat.	
			Attock	3. Talagang	133	204	5. Miani	Shahpur.	
			Mianwali	4. Kalabagh	194	145	4. Talagang	Attock.	
						114	3. Shah Muhammadwala		
			Bannu	5. Isa Khel	222	55	2. Isa Khel	Mianwali.	
				6. Lakki	247	31	1. Lakki	Bannu.	
299	Ditto	Jhang	Jhang	1. Chiniot	84	137	2. Gujranwala	Gujranwala.	
				2. Jhang	137	75	1. Pindi Bhattian.		
300	Ditto	Montgomery	Lahore	1. Mianpur	46	129	3. Gujranwala	Gujranwala.	
				2. Sayadwala	88	83	2. Moranpur	Lahore.	
			Montgomery	3. Montgomery	129	41	1. Sayadwala	Montgomery.	
301	Gujrat	Ditto	Gujranwala	1. Khangah Dogran.	68	160	3. Gujrat	Gujrat.	
			Montgomery	2. Sayadwala	119	92	2. Khangah Dogran.	Gujranwala.	
				3. Montgomery.	160	41	1. Sayadwala	Montgomery.	
302	Ditto	Shahpur	Shahpur	1. Bhera or	69	99	2. Gujrat	Gujrat.	
				2. Shahpur	99	66	1. Mung		
303	Ditto	Srinagar	Kashmir State	1. Nowshera	53	*58	3. Gujrat	Gujrat.	*Distance between Nowshera and Gujrat.
				2 As arranged with Kashmir Darbar.	...	...	2. Nowshera	Kashmir State	
							1. As arranged with Kashmir State.		
304	Gurdaspur	Bakloh	Gurdaspur	Bakloh	64	64	Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur.	
305	Ditto	Chamba	Chamba State.	1. Sindhara	35	80	2. Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur.	
				2. Chamba	80	37	1. Phargotah		
307	Ditto	Dharamsala	Gurdaspur	1. Pathankot	23	77	2. Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur.	
			Kangra	2. Dharamsala	77	54	1. Pathankot		
308	Ditto	Sialkot	Sialkot	Sialkot	65	65	Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur.	
309	Ditto	Srinagar	Kashmir State.	1. Basauli	55	55	3. Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur.	†Distance from Nagar to Basauli.
				2. As arranged with Kashmir Darbar.	...	†22	2. Basauli	Sialkot	
							1. As arranged with Kashmir Darbar.		
310	Gurgaon	Hissar	Rohtak	1. Jhajjar	31	103	4. Gurgaon	Gurgaon.	
				2. Kalanaur	54	72	3. Jhajjar	Rohtak.	
			Hissar	3. Sorkhi	76	49	2. Kalanaur		
				4. Hissar	103	27	1. Sorkhi	Hissar.	

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311	Gurgaon	Rohtak *viâ* Najafgarh.	Rohtak	1. Bahadurgarh. 2. Rohtak	16 43	43 27	2. Gurgaon 1. Bahadurgarh.	Gurgaon. Rohtak.	
324	Hissar	Bikaner as far as Bhal.	Hissar As arranged with Bikaner State.	1. Bhal 2. First halting place in Native State concerned.	41 16	41 ...	3. Hissar 2. Bhal 1. Last halting place in Native State concerned.	Hissar. Bikaner State.	
324 (*a*)	Ditto	Bikaner as far as Balsamand.	Hissar	Balsamand	16	16	Hissar	Hissar.	
325	Ditto	Nasirabad	Hissar Patiala State.	1. Bhiwani 2. Bowana 3. First halting place in Native State concerned.	37 70	*37 †33	4. Hissar 3. Bhiwani 2. Bowana 1. Last halting place in Native State concerned.	Hissar Patiala State.	*Distance between Hissar and Bhiwani. †Distance between Bowana and Bhiwani.
326	Ditto	Nimach	Ditto	Ditto	...	‡54	3. Hissar 2. Dadri 1. Last halting place in Native State.	Hissar. Jind State.	‡Distance between Dadri and Hissar.
328	Hoshiarpur	Dalhousie	Gurdaspur	1. Pathankot 2. Dalhousie	57 112	112 87 55	3. Hoshiarpur 2. Dasuya 1. Pathankot	Hoshiarpur. Gurdaspur.	
329	Ditto	Dharmsala	Kangra	1. Kangra 2. Upper Dharmsala.	62 77	77 15	2. Hoshiarpur 1. Kangra	Hoshiarpur. Kangra.	
330	Ditto	Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur	48	48	Hoshiarpur	Hoshiarpur.	
331	Ditto	Simla	Ambala Simla	1. Rupar 2. Kalka 3. Simla	55 96 156	156 101 60	3. Hoshiarpur 2. Rupar 1. Kalka	Hoshiarpur. Ambala.	
331 (*a*)	Ditto	Simla (*by old road*).	Ambala Simla	1. Rupar 2. Simla	55 115	115 60	2. Hoshiarpur 1. Rupar	Hoshiarpur. Ambala.	
349	Jhang	Chichawatni Railway Station.	Montgomery	Kamalia or Chichawatni.	40 62	62 37	2. Jhang 1. Toba Tek Singh.	Jhang. Lyallpur.	
350	Ditto	Dera Ismail Khan.	Mianwali Dera Ismail Khan.	1. Haidarabad 2. Dera Ismail Khan.	49 114	114 65	Jhang Haidarabad	Jhang. Mianwali.	
351	Ditto	Shahpur	Shahpur	1. Shahpur	73	73 52	2. Jhang 1. Bhamo	Jhang.	
357	Jhelum	Dera Ismail Khan.	Jhelum Shahpur Dera Ismail Khan.	1. Pind Dadan Khan. 2. Khushab 3. Dera Ismail Khan.	52 95 192	192 140 97	3. Jhelum 2. Pind Dadan Khan. 1. Khushab	Jhelum. Shahpur.	

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358	Jhelum	Edwardesabad	Jhelum	1. Chakwal	67	239	4. Jhelum	Jhelum.	
			Attock	2. Talagang	94	172	3. Chahwal		
			Mianwali	3. Kalabagh	155	114	2. Shah Muhammadwala.	Attock.	
			Bannu	4. Lakki	204	56	1. Isa Khel	Mianwali.	
359	Ditto	Kohat	Jhelum	1. Chackwal	67	169	3. Jhelum	Jhelum.	
359(a)			Attock	2. Pindigheb	110	102	2. Chakwal		
359(b)			Kohat	3. Kohat	169	39	1. Jand	Attock.	
360	Ditto	Montgomery	Gujranwala	1. Ramnagar	50	181	4. Jhelum	Jhelum.	
			Montgomery	2. Sayadwala	140	153	3. Dinga	Gujrat.	
				3. Montgomery	181	92	2. Khangah Dogran.	Gujranwala.	
						41	1. Sayadwala	Montgomery.	
361	Ditto	Shahpur	Shahpur	1. Bhera or	63	93	2. Jhelum	Jhelum.	
				2. Shahpur	93	66	1. Mung	Gujrat.	
362	Ditto	Srinagar	Kashmir State	1. Kotli	73	73	3. Jhelum	Jhelum.	* Distance from Srinagar to Kotli.
				2. First halting place in Kashmir territory.		130	2. *Kotli	Kashmir	
							1. Last halting place in Kashmir territory.		
370	Jullundur	Bakloh	Gurdaspur	1. Batala	47	130	1. Jullundur	Jullundur.	
				2. Pathankot	89	83	2. Batala	Gurdaspur.	
				3. Bakloh	130	41	3. Pathankot		
371	Ditto	Dalhousie	Gurdaspur	1. Mirthal or	58	124	3. Jullundur	Jullundur.	
				Pathankot	70	87	2. Dasuya	Hoshiarpur.	
				2. Dalhousie	124	54	1. Pathankot	Gurdaspur.	
373	Ditto	Ferozepore	Ferozepore	1. Talwandi?	41	66	2. Jullundur	Jullundur.	
				2. Ferozepore	66	32	1 Indrisa Ghat		
374	Ditto	Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur	58	58	Jullundur	Jullundur.	
377	Ditto	Sialkot	Ditto	1. Batala	47	110	2. Jullundur	Jullundur.	
			Sialkot	2. Dhamtal	84	63	1. Batala	Gurdaspur.	
						144			
						102	4. Jullundur	Jullundur.	
							3. Jndla		
378	Ditto	Simla	Ambala	1. Rupar	62	82	2. Rupar	Ambala.	
				2. Kalka	103	41	1. Kalka		
			Simla	3. Simla	144				
379	Ditto	Sirsa	Ferozepore	1. Dharmkot	35	142	3. Jullundur	Jullundur.	
			Patiala State	2. Bhatinda	94	97	2. Mogha	Ferozepore.	
			Hissar	3. Sirsa	142	62	1. Nathana		
381	Karnal	Ferozepore *viâ* Kaithal.	Patiala State.	1. Barta	51	181	4. Karnal	Karnal.	
				2. Langawal	98	141	3. Kaithal		
		Sunam and Bhadaur.	Ferozepore	3. Baghapurana	148	91	2. Sunam	Patiala State.	
				4. Ferozepore	181	54	1. Bhadaur		

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381 (*a*)	Karnal	Ferozepore *via* Goela and Ladda.	Jind State Ferozepore	1. Kularan* 2. Baghapurna 3. Ferozepore	68 142 175	175 39 97 60	4. Karnal 3. Pihowa 2. Chunhairi 1. Chandanwal	Karnal Patiala State	* The sources of supply in this station being limited notice of sufficient time for supply will be necessary.
382	Ditto	Hissar	Hissar	1. Narnaud 2. Hissar	69 98	99 43	2. Karnal 1. Jind	Karnal. Jind State.	
383	Ditto	Ludhiana	Patiala State Ludhiana	1. Samana 2. Ludhiana	67 31	31 95 27	3. Karnal 2. Pihowa 1. Maler Kotla	Karnal. Maler Kotla.	
384	Ditto	Lahore Cantt.	Jind State Ferozepore Lahore	1. Kularan 2. Badni Kalar 3. Hariki 4. Lahore Cantt	68 33 75 218	112 82 103 48	4. Karnal 3. Pihowa 2. Chandanwal 1. Makhu	Karnal. Patiala State. Ferozepore.	
385	Ditto	Rohtak	Rohtak	1. Gohana 2. Rohtak	45 64	64 19	2. Karnal 1. Gohana	Karnal. Rohtak.	
386	Ditto	Saharanpur	Gangoh	Saharanpur	19	24	Gangoh	Saharanpur.	
410	Landor	Simla	Dera Dun Ambala Simla	1. Rampur Mandi. 2. Naraingarh 3. Simla	40 91 89	89 49 98	3. Landor 2. Rampur Mandi 1. Naraingarh	Dera Dun. Ambala.	
424	Ludhiana	Ferozepore	Ferozepore	1. Mahana 2. Ferozepore	38 77	77 53	2. Ludhiana 1. Jagraon	Ludhiana.	
425	Ditto	Hissar	Jind State Patiala State Hissar	1. Sangrur 2. Manwi 3. Hissar	49 82 134	134 85 52	3. Ludhiana 2. Sangrur 1. Manwi	Ludhiana. Jind State. Patiala State.	
426	Ditto	Hoshiarpur	Hoshiarpur	Hoshiarpur	46	46	Ludhiana	Ludhiana.	
427	Ditto	Lahore Cantt.	Ferozepur Lahore.	1. Dharmkot 2. Hariki 3. Lahore Cantt.	43 69 112	112 88 48	3. Ludhiana 2. Jagraon 1. Makhu	Ludhiana. Ferozepore.	
428	Ditto	Rohtak	Patiala State Jind State Rohtak	1. Samana 2. Jind 3. Rohtak	64 126 163	163 99 37	3. Ludhiana 2. Samana 1. Jind	Ludhiana. Patiala State. Jind State.	
429	Ditto	Simla *via* Morinda, Kalka and the new road.	Ambala Simla	1. Kharar 2. Kalka 3. Simla	50 73 133	133 83 60	3. Ludhiana 2. Kharar 1. Kalka	Ludhiana. Ambala.	
429 (*a*)	Ditto	Ditto *via* Morinda, Rupar and Badi.	Ambala Simla	1. Rupar 2. Simla	57 116	116 60	2. Ludhiana 1. Rupar	Ludhiana. Ambala.	
430	Ditto	Sirsa	Patiala State Hissar	1. Kaleke 2. Phagu 3. Sirsa	54 94 112	112 8 81	3. Ludhiana 2. Maler Kotla 1. Raipur	Ludhiana. Maler Kotla State. Patiala State.	
445	Lahore Cantt.	Edwardesabad	Gujranwala Gujrat Jhelum Attock Mianwali Bannu	1. Kila Didar Singh. 2. Phalia 3. Pind Dadan Khan. 4. Talagang 5. Kalabagh 6. Lakki 7. Edwardesabad.	60 85 124 175 237 290 321	321 271 226 204 183 114 56	7. Lahore Cantt. 6. Kila Didar Singh. 5. Kuthiala Sherkhan. 4. Miani 3. Choya Saidan Shah. 2. Shah Muhammadwala. 1. Isa Khel	Lahore. Gujranwala. Gujrat. Shahpur. Jhelum. Attock. Mianwali.	

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446	Lahore Cantt.	Ferozepore	Ferozepore	Ferozepore	46	46	Lahore Cantt.	Lahore.	
447	Ditto	Gujrat	Gujranwala Gujrat	1. Hafizabad 2. Gujrat	58 108	108 50	2. Lahore Cantt. 1. Hafizabad	Lahore. Gujranwala.	
448	Ditto	Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur	1. Batala 2. Gurdaspur	58 76	76 18	2. Lahore Cantt. 1. Batala	Lahore. Gurdaspur.	
449	Ditto	Hoshiarpur	Gurdaspur Hoshiarpur	1. Batala 2. Hoshiarpur	58 107	107 49	3. Lahore Cantt. 1. Batala	Lahore. Gurdaspur.	
450	Ditto	Jhang	Gujranwala	1. Khangah Dogran	51	147	3. Lahore Cantt	Lahore.	
			Jhang	2. Chiniot 3. Jhang	95 147	96 52	2. Khangah Dogran. 1. Chiniot	Gujranwala. Jhang.	
451	Ditto	Montgomery *viâ* Akbar.	Montgomery	1 Chochak 2. Montgomery	62 106	106 60	2. Lahore Cantt 1. Mughal Sarai.	Lahore.	
451 (a)	Ditto	Montgomery *viâ* Chunian.	Ditto	1. Shergarh 2. Montgomery	75 123	123 66	2. Lahore Cantt 1. Chunian.	Lahore.	
452	Ditto	Shahpur *viâ* Shekhupura and Pindi Bhattian.	Gujranwala Shahpure	1. Khangah Dogran Shahpur or Mithalak.	51 126 106	123 99 53	3. Lahore Cantt. 2. Sheikhupura 1. Pindi Bhattian.	Lahore. Gujranwala.	
452 (a)	Ditto	Shahpur *viâ* Ramnagar.	Gujranwala Gujrat Shahpur	1. Ratali Kalan. 2. Phalia 3. Bhera or Shahpur.	30 82 123 154	154 87 72 ...	3. Lahore Cantt. 2. Ramnagar 1. Phalia	Lahore. Gujranwala. Gujrat.	
453	Ditto	Sialkot	Gujranwala Sialkot	1. Eminabad 2. Sialkot	38 78	78 40	2. Lahore Cantt 1. Eminabad	Lahore. Gujranwala.	
453 (a)	Ditto	Ditto *viâ* Gujranwala and Daska.	Gujranwala Sialkot	1. Gujranwala 2. Sialkot	45 80	80 35	2. Lahore Cantt 1. Gujranwala	Lahore, Gujranwala.	
454	Meerut	Karnal	Karnal	1. Karnal	63	63 25	2. Meerut 1. Shamli 4. As arranged with United Provinces.	Meerut. Muzaffarnugar.	
459	Ditto	Simla	Ambala Simla	1. Jagadri 2. Kalka 3. Simla	94 160 220	150 126 60	3. Saharanpur 2. Jagadhri 1. Kalka.	Shahpur. Ambala.	
459	Ditto	Ambala	Ambala	1. Jagadri 2 Ambala	94 135	135 ...	2. Ambala 1. As arranged with United Provinces.		
476	Montgomery	Jhang *viâ* Harappa.	Lyallpur Jhang	1. Toba Tek Singh. 2. Jhang	51 76	76 46	2. Montgomery 1. Kamalia	Montgomery.	
764 (a)	Ditto	Jhang *viâ* Gugera.	Lyallpur	1. Samundri 2. Jhang	46 86	86 60	2. Montgomery 1. Gugera	Montgomery.	

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477	Multan .	Ahmadpur .	Multan . Bahawalpur State.	1. Jalalpur . 2. Ahmadpur	51 77	77 26	2. Multan . 1. Jalalpur .	Multan.	
478	Ditto .	Bahawalpur .	Multan . Bahawalpur State.	1. Adamwahan. 2. Bahawalpur.	51 57	 57	 Multan . .	 Multan.	
479	Ditto .	Dera Ghazi Khan.	Muzaffargarh.	1. Muzaffargarh. 2. Dera Ghazi Khan.	19 47	38 9	2. Sher Shah 1. Ghazi Ghât	Multan. Muzaffargarh.	
480	Ditto .	Dera Ismail Khan.	Muzaffargarh Mianwali . Dera Ismail Khan.	No exchange. 1. Leiah . 2. Dera Ismail Khan.	 73 139	 139 79	 2. Multan . 1. Kot Sultan	 Multan. Mianwali.	
481	Ditto .	Jhang *viâ* Maithal and Shorkot.	Jhang .	1. Shorkot . 2. Jhang .	62 94	95 33	2. Multan . 1. Shorkot .	Multan. Jhang.	
481 (*a*)	Ditto .	Ditto *viâ* Sarai Sidu and Shorekot.	Ditto .	1. Shorkot . 2. Jhang .	62 94	94 45	2. Multan . 1. Koranga .	Multan.	
496	Murree .	Abbotabad *viâ* Upper Road.	Hazara .	1. Dungagali 2. Abbottabad	18 40	40 22	2. Murree . 1. Dungagali	Rawalpindi. Hazara.	
496 (*a*)	Ditto .	Abbottabad *viâ* Lower Road.	Ditto .	1. Sajkot . 2. Abbottabad	23 40	40 17	2. Murree . 1. Sajkot	Rawalpindi. Hazara.	
497	Ditto .	Bandipura .	Kashmir State	1. Dulai . 2. As arranged with Kashmir Darbar.	39 ..	151 ...	2. Murree . 1. As arranged with Kashmir Darbar.	Rawalpindi.	
499	Ditto .	Srinagar .	Ditto .	1. Chatarkalas 2. As arranged with Kashmir Darbar.	30 ...	155 ...	2. Murree . 1. As arranged with Kashmir Darbar.	Rawalpindi.	
503	Muttra . .	Gurgaon *viâ* Hodal and Palwal.	Gurgaon .	Gurgaon .	91	91	2. Muttra .	Muttra . .	Carts to do whole journey each day.
503 (*a*)	Ditto .	Gurgaon *viâ* Dig, Ferozepore Jhirka and Sohana.	Ditto .	1. Ferozepore Jhirka. 2. Gurgaon .	66 116	116 65	2. Muttra . 1. Paharli .	Muttra. Dholepore State.	Correction Slip No. 9 S. O., dated 19th February 1910.
503 (*b*)	Ditto .	Gurgaon *viâ* Hodal, Hathin and Sohana.	Ditto .	1. Gurgaon .	116	116	2. Muttra .	Muttra . .	Carts to do whole journey each day.
504	Ditto .	Hissar . .	Ditto . Hissar .	1. Punahana 2. Dharubera 3. Bhiwani . 4. Hissar .	43 84 147 184	181 141 89 37	4. Muttra . 3. Punahana 2. Rewari . 1. Bhiwani .	Muttra. Gurgaon. Hissar.	

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507	Muzaffargarh .	Dera Ismail Khan.	Mianwali . Dera Ismail Khan.	1. Leiah . 2. Dera Ismail Khan.	66 132	132 66	2. Muzaffargarh 1. Leiah .	Muzaffargarh Mianwali.	
508	Ditto .	Rajanpur .	Muzaffargarh . Dera Ghazi Khan.	1. Alipur . 2 Rajanpur .	51 98	98 47	2. Muzaffargarh 1. Alipur .	Muzaffargarh.	
537	Peshawar .	Campbellpur .	Attock .	1. Campbellpur	62	62	1. Peshawar .	Peshawar.	
546	Rajanpur .	Sukkur as far as Shahwali.	Dera Ghazi Khan.	1. Rojhan 2. Shahwali .	39 62	*39 ...	2. Rajanpur . 1. Rojhan .	Dera Ghazi Khan.	*Distance between Rojhan and Rajanpur.
556	Rawalpindi .	Abbottabad .	Hazara .	1. Haripur . 2. Abbottabad	43 66	66 23	2. Rawalpindi 1. Haripur .	Rawalpindi. Hazara.	
557	Ditto .	Campbellpur .	Attock .	Campbellpur .	52	52	Rawalpindi .	Rawalpindi.	
558	Ditto .	Dera Ismail Khan.	Attock .	1. Fattehjang. 2. Shah Muhammadwala.	28 88	212 184	4. Rawalpindi 3. Fattehjang	Rawalpindi. Attock.	
			Mianwali .	3. Mianwali .	142	124	2. Shah Muhammadwala.	Attock.	
			Dera Ismail Khan.	4. Dera Ismail Khan.	212	70	1. Mianwali .	Mianwali.	
560	Ditto .	Shahpur *viâ* Madura, Chakwal and Pind Dadan Khan.	Jhelum . Shahpur	1. Chakwal . 2. Miani . 3. Shahpur .	58 99 139	139 93 47	3. Rawalpindi 2. Dudial . 1. Pind Dadan Khan.	Rawalpindi. Jhelum.	
560(*a*)	Ditto .	Ditto *viâ* Madura, Chakwal and Nurpur.	Jhelum . Shahpur	1. Chakwal . 2. Pail . 3. Shahpur .	58 97 126	126 60 ...	2. Rawalpindi 1. Bhon .	Rawalpindi. Jhelum.	
560(*b*)	Ditto .	Ditto *viâ* Dadumbar, Talagang and Jaba.	Attock . Shahpur .	1. Talagang . 2. Shahpur .	65 130	130 65	2. Rawalpindi 1. Talagang .	Rawalpindi. Attock.	
561	Rohtak .	Alwar as far as Kot Kasim.	Gurgaon . Jaipur State .	1. Gharaura . 2. Kot Kasim	38 66	51 †28	3. Rohtak . 2. Jhajjar . 1. Rewari .	Rohtak. Gurgaon.	†Distance from Rewari.
564	Rurki .	Ambala .	Saharanpur . Ambala .	1. Saharanpur 2. Jagadhri .	22 47	66 41	2. Saharanpur 1. Jagadhri .	Saharanpur. Ambala.	
586	Shahpur .	Dera Ismail Khan *viâ* Khushab and Jandarwala.	Dera Ismail Khan.	Dera Ismail Khan.	105	105	1. Shahpur .	Shahpur.	
586 (*a*)	Ditto .	Ditto *viâ* Khushab and Wanpachran.	Mainwali .	1. Kundian .	66	126 118	2. Shahpur or Khushab.	Shahpur.	
			Dera Ismail Khan.	2. Dera Ismail Khan.	126	60	1. Kundian .	Mianwali.	
587	Ditto .	Edwardesabad.	Mianwali . Ditto . Bannu .	1. Mianwali . 2. Landiwali . 3. Edwardesabad.	66 105 188 ...	188 125 96 49	3. Shahpur or Khushab. 2. Wan Kaila 1. Isa Khel .	Shahpur. Mianwali.	

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588	Shahpur	Kohat *viâ* Talagang, Pindigheb and Khushalgarh.	Attock Kohat	1. Talagang 2. Khushalgarh 3. Kohat	52 108 138	138 86 39	3. Shahpur 2. Talagang 1. Jand	Shahpur. Attock. Attock.	
588 (*a*)	Ditto	Do. *viâ* Khushab, Mianwali and Kalabagh.	Mianwali Kohat	1. Mianwali 2. Shakardarra 3. Kohat	66 124 163	163 126 67	3. Shahpur 2. Wan Kaila 1. Kalabagh	Shahpur. Mianwali.	
589	Ditto	Muzaffargarh	Jhang Muzaffargarh	1. Kot Shakir 2. Kot Mahpal 3. Rangpur 4. Muzaffargarh.	64 103 141 179	179 144 105 55	4. Shahpur 3. Jaurah 2. Kot Shakir 1. Ahmadpur Syal.	Shahpur. Jhang.	
596	Sialkot	Dalhousie	Gurdaspur	1. Pathankot 2. Dalhousie	78 132	132 108 54	3. Sialkot 2. Zaffarwal 1. Pathankot	Sialkot. Gurdaspur.	
597	Ditto	Dharmsala	Gurdaspur Kangra	1. Pathankot 2. Dharmsala	78 132	132 108 54	3. Silakot 2. Jaffarwal 1. Pathankot	Sialkot. Gurdaspur.	
600	Ditto	Jhang	Gujranwala Jhang	1. Ramnagar 2. Chiniot 3. Jhang	50 115 168	160 110 7	3. Sialkot 2. Ramnagar 1. Pindi Bhattian.	Sialkot. Gujranwala.	
602	Ditto	Srinagar	Kashmir State	As arranged with Kashmir Darbar.	...	180	2. Sialkot 1. As arranged with Kashmir Darbar.	Sialkot.	
606	Simla	Chakrata	Dehra Dun	1. Mandhoi 2. Chakrata	65 110	110	Simla	Simla.	
609	Ditto	Dalhousie	Hoshiarpur Gurdaspur	1. Nurpur 2. Una 3. Pathankot 4. Dalhousie	67 93 170 224	224 181 78 54	4. Simla 3. Una 2. Hajipur 1. Pathankot	Simla. Hoshiarpur. Gurdaspur.	
610	Ditto	Dharamsala *viâ* Jutogh, Bilaspur and Sujanpur.	Kangra	1. Sujanpur 2. Upper Dharmsala.	91 132	132 41	2. Simla 1. Sujanpur	Simla Kangra	Mule roads not available for wheeled traffic.
610 (*a*)	Ditto	Dharamsala *viâ* Bilaspur, Nadaun and Jawalamukhi.	Kangra	1. Nadaun 2. Upper Dharmsala.	96 141	141 41	2. Simla 1. Nadaun	Simla Kangra.	Ditto ditto.
610 (*b*)	Ditto	Dharmsala *viâ* Kalka, Amb Gopipur Dera.	Ambala Hosiarpur Kangra	1. Kalka 2. Nurpur 3. Gopipur Dera. 4. Dharmsala	58 97 167 205	205 147 108 50	4. Simla 3. Kalka 2. Nurpur 1. Bhurwain	Simla. Ambala. Hoshiarpur.	
610 (*c*)	Ditto	Do. *viâ* Kotgarh, Dalash, Bajaura and Baijnath.	Kulu (Kangra) Kangra	1. Manglaor 2. Badwahi 3. Palampur 4. Upper Dharmsala.	100 147 190 215	215 87 45	3. Simla 2. Sultanpur 1. Dhelu	Simla. Kulu (Kangra). Kangra.	
620	Sirsa	Bahawalpur *viâ* Bhutnir, Sardargarh and Anupgarh.	Bikaneer State Bahawalpur State.	1. Surawali or Bhutnir. 2. Walar 3. Bahawalpur	81 44 130 209	209 178 91 57	4. Simla 3. Surawali 2. Anupgarh 1. Mirgarh	Hissar. Bikaner State. Bahawalpur State.	

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600(*a*)	Sirsa	Bahawalpur *viâ* Malaut, Fazilka and Khairpur.	Ferozepore Bahawalpur State.	1. Malaut 2. McLeodganj 3. Mahta Jhedu 4. Khairpur 5. Bahawalpur	60 113 170 200 250	250 214 160 93 37	5. Sirsa 4. Dabwali 3. Fazilka 2. Sadikpur 1. Khairpur	Hissar. Ferozepore. Bahawalpur State.	
621	Ditto	Bikaner as far as Pipawa.	Hissar	Pipawa	21	21	Sirsa	Hissar.	
622	Ditto	Lahore Cantt	Faridkot State Ferozepore Lahore	1. Kotkapura 2. Mudki 3. Hariki 4. Lahore Cantt.	76 106 125 168	168 92 59 163	3. Sirsa 2. Kotkapura 1. Zira	Hissar. Faridkot State. Ferozepore.	
623	Ditto	Montgomery	Ferozepore Montgomery	1. Malaut 2. Atari 3. Montgomery	60 106 163	127 63 31	4. Sirsa 3. Dabwali 2. Parbat 1. Singwala Dipalpur	Hissar. Ferozepore. Montgomery.	
644	Ambala	Bahawalpur	Patiala State Ferozepore Bahawalpur State.	1. Patiala 2. Mehraj 3. Malaut 4. McLeodganj 5. Matha Jhedu 6. Khairpur 7. Bahawalpur	32 108 152 206 263 305 343	343 287 235 204 161 94 50	7. Ambala 6. Bhawanigarh 5. Mehraj 4. Kot Bhai 3. Fazilka 2. Sadikpur 1. Kaimpur	Ambala. Patiala State. Ferozepore. Bahawalpur State.	
645	Ditto	Dagshai *viâ* Kalka and the new road.	Ambala	Dagshai	59	59	1. Ambala	Ambala.	
645(*a*)	Ditto	Dagshai *viâ* Nahan.	Nahan State Simla	1. Nahan or 2. Dagshai	35 67	67 22	2. Ambala 1. Nahan	Ditto. Nahan State.	
646	Ditto	Dharmsala	Ambala Kangra	1. Rupar 2. Suket 3. Baijnath 4. Upper Dharmsala.	46 103 163 197	197 153 116 81	4. Ambala 3. Rupar 2. Bilaspur 1. Mandi	Ambala. Simla. Kangra.	Mule roads not available for wheeled traffic.
647	Ditto	Ferozepore *viâ* Patiala, Nabha and Maler Kotla.	Nabha State Ferozepore	1. Nabha 2. Badni Kalan 3. Ferozepore	48 106 150	150 118 59	3. Ambala 2. Patiala 1. Bassain	Ambala. Patiala State. Ludhiana.	
648	Ditto	Hissar	Karnal Hissar	1. Kaithal 2. Hissar	48 113	113 65	2. Ambala 1. Kaithal	Ambala. Karnal.	
649	Ditto	Jutogh	Simla	Jutogh	97	97 58	2. Ambala 1. Kalka	Ambala.	
650	Ditto	Kasauli	Ambala	1. Kasauli	62	62	1. Ambala	Ditto.	
651	Ditto	Landor	Dehra Dun	1. Rampur Mandi. 2. Landor	... 103	103 40	2. Ambala 1. Rampur Mandi.	Ditto. Dehra Dun.	
652	Ditto	Ludhiana *viâ* Patiala and Isru.	Patiala State Ludhiana	1. Patiala 2. Ludhiana	32 87	87 55	2. Ambala 1. Patiala	Ditto. Patiala State.	
653	Ditto	Rohtak	Karnal Jind State Rohtak	1. Kaithal 2. Jind 3. Rohtak	48 82 120	120 72 38	3. Ambala 2. Kaithal 1. Jind	Ambala. Karnal. Jind State.	
654	Ditto	Sirsa	Patiala State Hissar	1. Patiala 2. Badlada 3. Sirsa	32 94 137	137 105 43	3. Ambala 2. Patiala 1. Badlada	Ambala. Patiala State. Hissar.	
655	Ditto	Sabathu	Ambala	1. Kalka	40	65 26	2. Ambala 1. Kalka	Ambala.	

Appendix C.

The following rates of hire will be chargeable in Delhi, but they will not supersede within municipal or cantonment limits any rates already fixed or which may be fixed in future by competent authority under Act XIV of 1879 or otherwise :—

The rates may be raised 25 per cent. by order of the Chief Commissioner in times of scarcity or high prices.

(a) BULLOCK CARTS.

Eight annas per stage per bullock.

(b) CAMELS.

Not ordinarily procurable.

(c) PACK BULLOCKS.

Not ordinarily procurable.

(d) OTHER CARRIAGE.

Carriage.	Rate per stage.
Mules and ponies	Seven annas each.
Asses	Four annas each.
Ekkas	Twelve annas each on metalled roads. One rupee each on unmetalled.
Tum-tums	One rupee each on metalled roads. One rupee four annas each on unmetalled.
Coolies	Four annas each.
Kahars	Six annas each.

Delhi, the 12th October 1916.

No. 6815-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths registered at the under-mentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 30th September 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi	225,471	167	150	317	78	100	178	1	...	...	79	9	57	3	29	...	32	38	70	73·11	41·05
	Notified Area	3,673	2	4	6	3	5	8	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	2	84·94	113·25
	Total	229,144	169	154	323	81	105	186	1	...	...	85	9	57	3	31	...	33	39	72	73·20	42·20

The 13th October 1916.

No. 6828-C. & I.—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in the Delhi Province are published for information :—

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the head-quarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 30th September 1916. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82⅐ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs.	A.	P.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs.	A.	P.
Rice, unhusked	...			Cotton seed	2	15	6
„ husked	6	0	0	Ghi	54	0	0
Wheat (white)	3	11	0	Flour (Wheat)	4	3	0
Barley	3	1	0	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8	0	0
Oats	...			Turmeric (unground)	17	0	0
Jowár	2	12	0	Salt, Sambhar	1	15	0
Bajra	2	14	0	Raw Hides (Cow)	30	0	0
Maize	...			Bran	2	4	0
Gram	3	1	0	Grass (dry)	1	0	0
Arhar Dál	4	4	0	Bhusa (white)	1	2	0
Linseed	5	8	0	Jowár Stalks (green)	0	4	3
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4	8	0	Bengal Coal	0	9	0
Poppy-seed	...			Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand)	2	3	0
Til (jinjili seed)	6	6	0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	200	0	0
Sugar (raw), Gur	5	5	0	Sheep, per score	80	0	0
Cotton (cleaned)	...			Bejhar	2	15	6

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half month ending 30th September 1916.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee. Srs.	Chts.	ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee. Srs.	Chts.
Wheat, white	10	4	Maize	Not available.	
Barley	12	8	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	9	0
Rice { Best sort	3	0	Firewood	60	0
Rice { Common sort	5	0	Salt { Wholesale	20	4
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum)	14	0	Salt { Retail	20	0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum)	13	8	Gur	6	12
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)	Not procurable.		Cotton (unginned)	Not available.	
Kangni (Setaria Italica)	Not procurable.		Bejhar	13	0
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	12	8			

Delhi, the 13th October 1916.

No. 6836-*Home*.—Mr. Sohan Lal, Magistrate of the 1st class is invested with powers to try summarily under section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, in the Delhi District, the offences falling under the Punjab Municipal Act III of 1911, and section 34 of the Police Act V of 1861.

Delhi, the 14th October 1916.

No. 6881-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths registered at the under-mentioned municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 7th October 1916, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	Delhi .	225,471	139	145	284	82	105	187	2	...	...	80	14	62	9	20	...	34	29	63	65·50	43·13
	Notified Area	3,673	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	..	...	...	...
	Total .	229,144	139	145	284	82	105	187	2	..	...	80	14	62	9	20	...	34	29	63	64·44	42·43

No. 6882-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending the 30th September 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			15
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.			Remarks.
			Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
P. S. Alipur	38	45	...	...	...	27	...	18	...	...	...	...	18	15	28	
Nangloi	79	55	...	...	...	31	1	23	1	...	2	...	15	15	30	
Najafgarh	64	46		...	...	20	3	20	...	...	2	1	5	14	19	
Subzimundi	4	11	...		...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	..	1	
Paharganj	...	1	...	..	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	
Mehrauli	43	52	...	...	...	26	3	20	...	...	3	...	12	10	22	
Raisina	5	29	...	...	.	28	...	...	...	...	1	..	4	3	7	
Shahdara	16	17	1	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	3	8	
New Cantonment . . .	7	13	...	...	...	7	.	4	...	...	2	...	4	1	5	
Total of the District .	256	272	1	...	...	165	7	86	1	...	11	1	59	62	121	

Delhi, the 14th October 1916.

No. 6892-*C. & I.*—The following draft amendment, which it is proposed to make in the rules made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, which were issued in Punjab Government Notification No. 90, dated 15th February 1909, is published for criticism. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 30th of November 1916, together with any remarks or suggestions received on or before that date :—

Draft amendment.

In rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II, of the said rules *for* the figure "500" *substitute* "2000."

Delhi, the 16th October 1916.

No. 6908-*Home*.—In anticipation of his services being placed by the Government of India, Home Department, at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Delhi Province, Mirza Zahur-Ud-Din, Munsif, assumed charge of his duties as Munsif at Delhi with effect from the forenoon of the 10th October 1916.

No. 6911-*Home*.—Under the provisions of section 28, sub-section (1) of the Punjab Courts Act, 1914, Mirza Zahur-Ud-Din is invested with the powers of a Munsif of the 1st Class, with respect to cases generally within the limit of the Delhi Province.

The Chief Commissioner is pleased to direct that Mirza Zahur-Ud-Din shall be deemed for the purposes of the said Act to be a Munsif.

No. 6912-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 29 of the Punjab Courts Act, 1914, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to confer upon Mirza Zahur-Ud-Din, Munsif, the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes, under the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887, for the trial of suits of which the value does not exceed Rs. 100, such powers to be exercised within the limits of the Delhi Province and with effect from 10th October 1916 on which he assumed charge of his duties.

Delhi, the 18th October 1916.

No. 6988-*Home*.—The services of Tika Rijindra Pal, Extra Assistant Commissioner, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department, with effect from the afternoon of 2nd October 1916 on which date he relinquished charge of his duties as Additional District Magistrate at Delhi.

No. 6992-*Home*.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Beadon, Officiating Chief Commissioner, Delhi Province, on relief by W. M. Hailey, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., assumed charge of the duties of Deputy Commissioner, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of 2nd October 1916.

No. 6995-*Home*.—Mr. V. Connolly, I.C.S., Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Delhi, on relief by Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Beadon, I.A., assumed charge of the duties of Additional District Magistrate, Delhi, with effect from the afternoon of the 2nd October 1916.

No. 7008-*C. & I.*—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 56 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (I of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, and with reference to section 6, sub-section (*b*) of that Act the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendments in the list of preparations exempted from the restrictions imposed on the import, export, transport, possession and sale of intoxicating drugs, which was issued in this office Notification No. 4352-C. & I., dated 22nd June 1916 :—

Amendments.

(1) Item I "Extractum Coca Liquidum" shall be cancelled.

(2) The words "and other" shall be inserted between "hypodermic" and "tablets" in the present heading "II. Cocaine hypodermic tablets."

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 13th October 1916.

No. 3515-1042.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898) the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to invest Mr. Purshotam Mehta with the ordinary powers of a Magistrate of the 1st class to be exercised in the district of Ajmer-Merwara, with effect from the date of his assuming charge of the office of General Manager of the Court-of-Wards, Ajmer.

No. 3516-1042.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Ajmer Courts Regulation, I of 1877, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Mr. Purshotam Mehta to be a Subordinate Judge of the 1st class in the district of Ajmer-Merwara, with effect from the date of his assuming charge of the office of General Manager of the Court-of-Wards, Ajmer.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 14th October 1916.

No. 3185-*R*.—The following draft amendment which it is proposed to make in the rules made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899) and published with the Honourable the Chief Commissioner's notification No. 2308, dated the 29th April 1909, is published for criticism.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 17th December 1916 with any remarks or suggestions which are received on or before that date:—

"In rule 6, chapter IV, Part II of the said rules for the figures '500' in the 2nd line the figures '2000' shall be substituted."

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

Secretary.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Indore, the 5th October 1916.

No. 2552-*D*.—The services of Mr. H. Bomford, I.C.S., which were placed at the disposal of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India by the notification of the Government of the United Provinces No. 3413-II-150, dated the 21st June 1913, are replaced at the disposal of that Government with effect from the date of his return to duty from the combined leave sanctioned in their Notification No. 121-II-150, dated the 13th January 1916.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General in Central India.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

NOTICE.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Manager's Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and Ex-Officio President of the Board of Examiners.

DHANBAD;
20th October 1916.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 10th August 1916.

No. 97.—Babu Ashutosh Banerji, Head Clerk, office of Assistant Commissioner, Sambhar Lake Division, and *Ex-Officio* Treasury Officer, Sambhar, is granted furlough for 3 months in continuation of and in combination with privilege leave for 3 months, from the afternoon of the 3rd October 1916.

No. 98.—Babu Braja Mohan Sarkar, Head Clark, Central Office, is appointed to be Head Clark in the Office of the Assistant Commissioner, Sambhar Lake Division, and *Ex-Officio* Treasury Officer, Sambhar, from the afternoon of the 3rd October 1916, during the absence on leave of Babu Ashutosh Banerji or until further orders.

No. 101.—Mr. Ahmad Husain, Assistant Superintendent, under orders of transfer to the Warcha Circle, Cis-Indus and Kalabagh Mines Division, is granted privilege leave for 2½ months, from the forenoon of the 27th September 1916.

No. 104.—Mr. Abid Husain, Inspector in charge, Drang Circle, Mandi Mines, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, from the forenoon of the 27th September 1916, during the remaining period of the absence on leave of Mr. Bhan Chand, Superintendent, or until further orders.

J. F. CONNOLLY,
Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 171 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 25th September 1916.

In the matter of Mariaviyagapa Devasagayam, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mariaviyagapa Devasagayam, Clerk, General Post Office, residing at No. 68, 35th Street, Rangoon, on the 18th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mariaviyagapa Devasagayam.

CASE No. 175 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 27th September 1916.

In the matter of Kelly Hugh Knight, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kelly Hugh Knight, Assistant Accountant, Port Commissioner's Office, residing at No. 28, Lewis Street, Rangoon, on the 26th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kelly Hugh Knight.

CASE No. 176 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 27th September 1916.

In the matter of Premchand Virchand and Chundulal Nehalchand, Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Premchand Virchand and Chundulal Nehalchand, both lately carrying on business in copartnership as jewellers under the style of Premchand Chundulal & Co., at No. 100, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 26th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Premchand Virchand and Chundulal Nehalchand.

CASE No. 177 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 27th September 1916.

In the matter of Vadamalai Chinnasami Munusami Pillay, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Vadamalai Chinnasami Munusami Pillay, Contractor, formerly of Rangoon, at present residing at East Kamayut on the 26th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Vadamalai Chinnasami Munusami Pillay.

CASE No. 178 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 2nd October 1916.

In the matter of P. Baboo Naidu, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by P. Baboo Naidu, Clerk, residing at No. 36, 52nd Street, Rangoon, on the 29th day of September 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said P. Baboo Naidu.

CASE No. 179 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 3rd October 1916.

In the matter of Narayanan Nair, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Narayanan Nair, Clerk, residing at No. 6, Pudupettia, Insein District, on the 3rd day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of Insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Narayanan Nair.

CASE No. 180 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 4th October 1916.

In the matter of Saka Muthialoo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Saka Muthialoo, Trader, residing at No. 42, 8th Street, Rangoon, on the 3rd day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Saka Muthialoo.

J. HORMASJI,
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 169 OF 1916.

Dated the 18th October 1916.

Re Mahamad Ali and Badruddin, residing at No. 5 and 6, Armenian Street in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business in woollen and piecegoods at the aforesaid place under the name of Mahamad Ali Badruddin, at present without occupation.

Ex parte the creditor. Babu Sris Chandra Bose— Attorney for the creditor.

On the 16th day of October 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE COURT OF THE SUB-JUDGE WITH INSOLVENCY POWERS, BEAWAR (RAJPUTANA).

It is hereby notified under the provisions of section 16 (7) of Act III of 1907 that (1) Sri Ram, son of Ram Chander and (2) Kaju Lal, son of Ram Chander, minor, under the guardianship of Sri Ram his elder brother, proprietors of the business of Behari Lal, Ram Chandra at Naganager have been adjudged Insolvents this day on 20th September 1916.

MADAN GOPAL,
Sub-Judge with Insolvency powers, Beawar (Rajputana).

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
602—1916	Chunilal Jugjiwandas Sha	Hindu	Kalbadevi Road	Formerly carrying on business in partnership with Balchand Chatreo, Bhagchand Chatreo and Manekchand Gulabchand as dealers in cloth at Yeola in the name of Rangildas Dewchad and now Agriculturist at Cotain Village in Yeola District and at Bombay.	9th	October	1916	10th	October	1916
591—1916	Shivaldas Hasanand Multani, Tugnamul Shivaldas Multani and Lakhamul Shiwaldas Multani.	"	1st and 2nd Debtors at Barbhai Molla and 3rd Debtor at Tokkar.	Lately doing business as Commission Agents in partnership in the name of Hasanand Shivaldas and the 1st and 2nd debtors now Mehtas in the employ of Mangumul Gopaldas and Gangaram Khupchand, respectively and the 3rd debtor unemployed.	3rd	"	"	"	"	"
585—1916	Punamchand Umgonlal Sha and Wadilal Tirchand Sha.	"	Champa Gulli and Kolsa Molla, respectively.	Lately doing business as Commission Agents in grocery and cloth and shroffs and speculators in silver, cotton, seeds, etc., in partnership with Dayal Virchand and Surjimul Virchand at Bombay under the name and style of Mugonlal Ramchand and at Patan in the name of Punamchand Mogonlal and now servants in the employ of Goculbhai Mulchand and Kilachand Dewchand, respectively.	30th	September	"	11th	"	"

603—1916	Liladhar Ladha Sha	Hindu	Mandvi, Dana Bunder	Formerly carrying on business as dealer in grain in partnership with Cooverji Liladhar, Govindji Dewji Oovursy Liladhar and Bhoola Liladhar under the name and style of Cooverji Liladhar and lately on his own account in the name of Velji Cooverji and now unemployed.	11th	October	1916	11th	October	1916
605—1916	Balkrishna Vithoba Vengurlekar	"	Thakurdwar	Lately clerk in the Bombay Steam Navigation Company, Ltd. and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
606—1916	Fraser, Joseph Demello	East Indian	Goa Street, Freere Road	Formerly clerk in the Criminal Investigation Department, Bombay Police and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
607—1916	Narayen Mahadoo Muccadum *alias* Bhalekar.	Hindu	Dadar	Jobber in the Kohinoor Mills, Bombay	12th	"	"	12th	"	"
609—1916	Lalji Vishram Soni	"	Bårbhai Molla, No. 296	Goldsmith	16th	"	"	16th	"	"
610—1916	Jan Mahamed Ebrahim Cutchi Memon.	Mahomedan	Bhownagri Street	Servant in the employ of Haji Jafer Bachu	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenåmed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT,
Bombay, this 16th day of October 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 8TH TO 15TH OCTOBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.		Receipt of Bullion for Coinage transferred from currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	58	...	...	58	66	...	66	38	87*	21	3	149		...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	26	...	...	26	42	...	42	...	118†	12	5	135		11	11	...	...	...	...

* Exclusive of 63 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
† Exclusive of 72 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 19th October 1916.

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th October 1916.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	TOTAL.	4 PER CENT. LOANS of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	4 per cent. Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	4½ PER CENT. LOANS Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. Portion.	TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
Balance of 30th September 1916.	29,28,700	96,89,200	4,80,24,900	1,52,17,400	68,46,000	23,95,400	8,21,72,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,45,000	...	...	8,71,46,600
Add— Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th October 1916	...	5,500	5,300	1,500	...	5,000	17,300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,300
	29,28,700	96,94,700	4,80,30,200	1,52,18,900	68,46,000	24,00,400	8,21,90,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,45,000	...	...	8,71,63,900
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balance on 15th October 1916	29,28,700	96,94,700	4,80,30,200	1,52,18,900	68,46,000	24,00,400	8,21,90,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,45,000	...	...	8,71,63,900

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Aug. 1916 Enfaced from India 12,363 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12,858 lakhs.
,, 16th Aug. 1916 ,, 31st ,, ,, ditto 1 lakh ditto ...
,, 1st Sept. ,, ,, 15th Sept. ,, ditto ... ditto 3 lakhs.
,, 16th ,, ,, 30th ,, ,, ditto 20 lakhs ditto ...
,, 1st Oct. ,, ,, 15th Oct. ,, ditto ... ditto ...

12,384 12,861

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 18th October 1916.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 17th October 1916.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,08,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	50,00,000	0	0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	1,16,22,081	12	2			
Public Deposits at Branches	1,16,49,722	8	1	2,32,71,804	4	3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				20,28,65,576	14	7
Bank Post Bills, etc.				22,39,793	6	1
Sundries				9,91,487	10	1
RUPEES				27,01,68,662	3	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities				6,50,25,077	12	0
Other authorized Investments				1,10,88,385	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities				3,18,52,952	9	6
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				5,71,29,006	0	0
Bills discounted and purchased				2,82,91,226	15	6
Balances with other Banks				46,14,742	8	8
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,23,336	11	9
Stamps				12,171	3	1
Sundries				3,70,780	13	8
				20,13,07,679	9	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	3,39,12,219	14	8			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches †	3,49,48,762	10	7	6,88,60,982	9	3
RUPEES				27,01,68,662	3	0

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,480 0 0

† Do. do. do. ,, 8,63,827 8 0

Rs. 12,15,307 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 19th October 1916.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
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NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 16th October 1916.

No. 2419—682.—Dr. Murray Stuart, D.Sc., Assistant Superintendent, Geological Survey of India, is granted 15 days' privilege leave with effect from the 17th October 1916, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

C. S. MIDDLEMISS,

Offg. Director, Geological Survey of India.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 12th October 1916.

No. 10.—Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Major L. A. H. Clerke, I.S.M.D., is granted, under the terms of paragraph 435 (*b*), Army Regulations, India, Volume I, 4 days extension of leave in continuation of the leave sanctioned in this office Notification No. 1, dated the 5th January 1916.

W. ROSS, Major, I.M.S.

for Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF FORESTS.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 11th October 1916.

No. 778—205-8.—On return from privilege leave, Mr. R. E. Marsden, Deputy Conservator of Forests, resumed charge of the office of the Sylviculturist from Mr. B. B. Osmaston, President, Forest Research Institute and College, Dehra Dun, with effect from the forenoon of 18th September 1916.

G. S. HART,

Inspector General of Forests.

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a deserter or absentee without leave from the "C" Battery, 218th Brigade, R. F. A., dated at Allahabad, this 15th day of October 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—1269, Gunner, Thomas Henry.
Age—24 years.
Height—5 feet 8 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, ginger; eyes, grey-blue.
Trade—Stock Brokers' Clerk.

Date of Enlistment—11th August 1914.
Place of Enlistment—Tavistock, Devon, England.
Date of desertion or absence—10th October 1916.
Place of desertion or absence—Allahabad.
Marks—*Nil.*
On furlough.
Under 3 years' service.

(*Illegible*), Major,

Commanding "C." Battery, 218th Brigade, R. F. A.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 13th October 1916.

No. 2731*s*-*Ap*.—Lala Ganpat Rai, Inspector of post offices, Moga Sub-Division, pay Rs. 100, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 28th August 1916 and until further orders.

Simla, the 16th October 1916.

No. 2737*s*.-*Ap*.—Mr. C. J. E. Clerici, C.I.E., Superintendent of post offices, 2nd grade and Assistant Director of Postal Services with the Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, is granted special leave on full pay for three months and in continuation thereof leave on medical certificate for four weeks, with effect from the 8th May 1916, under Army Department letters Nos. H.-5332 and H.-5529, dated 4th June 1915 and 26th June 1916, respectively.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 16th October 1916.

No. 5100-*T*.—Mr. A. G. Moore, Superintendent of post offices, Traffic, Punjab and N.-W. F. Circle, is granted privilege leave for three months in combination with leave on medical certificate for three months with effect from the 10th October 1916.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 18th October 1916.

No. 5166-*T*.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 5th October 1916 to 18th October 1916.

Name of office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
Minimarg	Kashmir	1st October 1916	Opened.
Mirjawa	Baluchistan	Ditto 1916	"
Sultans Battery	Madras	Ditto 1916	"
Sumerpur	Rajputana	9th October 1916	"
Chakdara Camp	North-West Frontier	28th February 1916	Closed.
	Railway Telegraph Office.		
Lahavit	Great Indian Peninsula Railway	15th August 1916	Opened.

R. MEREDITH,
Deputy Director-General of Telegraph Traffic.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.

In Insolvency.

Madras, the 18th October 1916.

Notice is hereby given that orders have been made by this Court adjudging the persons hereunder mentioned Insolvents and vesting the estates and effects of the said Insolvents in the Official Assignee of this Court; and all persons indebted to the said Insolvents, or who have any of their estates and effects, are hereby required forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said Official Assignee.

No. of Petition.	Date of Presentation.	Name, address and description of Insolvent.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Public Examination.
153 of 1916	10th August 1916	N. Deverajulu Naidu, son of G. Ramasami Naidu, residing at No. 29, Anna Pillai Street, Madras.	22nd August 1916 .	30th October 1916.
176 of 1916	9th September 1916.	C. Robert Ponniah, residing at No. 1-22, 1st Street, Periamet, Madras.	11th September 1916.	10th November 1916.
194 of 1916	3rd October 1916	A. Chella Mudelly, residing at No. 25, Ramanuja Iyer Street, Old Washermanpet, Madras.	3rd October 1916 .	1st December 1916.
205 of 1916	12th October 1916.	S. Venugopaul Pillai, residing at No. 9, Thaiyappa Mudelly Street, George Town, Madras.	12th October 1916 .	17th November 1916.

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Resident of Ganj, Peshawar City.

PESHAWAR;
Dated 30th August 1916.

STOLEN.

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BISWAMBHAR RAY
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Vice-Chairman, District Board, Nadia.

KRISHNAGAR,
The 27th September 1916.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA }
October 17, 1916

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics

Published by order of the Governor-General in Council

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 15th September 1916 as compared with the corresponding period of 1915.

Province	Rice (Common)		Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar Dâl (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 15th September of																			
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	191
Burma	100	71	100	107	...	...	100	100	100	117	100	86	100	96	100	100	...	...	100	13
Assam	100	87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	120	100	94	100	12
Bengal	100	94	100	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	92	100	108	100	111	100	120	100	12
Bihar and Orissa	100	76	100	79	100	75	100	85	100	92	100	98	100	88	100	108	100	99	100	10
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	95	100	86	100	92	100	72	...	...	100	90	100	85	100	113	100	78	100	11
Delhi	100	91	100	81	100	92	100	79	...	...	100	100	100	89	100	104	100	56	100	11
Punjab	100	82	100	84	100	92	100	83	100	66	100	96	100	73	100	102	100	65	100	14
North-West Frontier Province	100	95	100	87	100	94	100	81	100	75	100	100	100	77	100	102	100	68	100	12
Sind and Baluchistan	100	101	100	99	100	98	100	100	100	105	...	...	100	91	100	108	...	...	...	...
Bombay	100	94	100	81	100	89	100	81	...	...	100	81	100	81	100	92	100	67	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	91	100	82	...	...	100	71	...	...	100	91	100	83	100	118	...	...	100	11
Madras	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	81	100	77	100	101	100	82	100	12
India	100	90	100	88	100	90	100	85	100	91	100	92	100	86	100	107	100	83	100	12

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 15th September 1916 as compared with the previous fortnight.

Province.	Rice (common).		Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar Dâl (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending																			
	31st Aug. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	31st Aug. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	31st Aug. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	31st Aug. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	31st Aug. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	31st Aug. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	31st Aug. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	31st Aug. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	31st Aug. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	31st Aug. 1916	15th Sep 191
Burma	100	102	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	11
Assam	100	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	105	100	94	100	10
Bengal	100	105	100	97	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	97	100	100	100	101	100	123	100	10
Bihar and Orissa	100	92	100	99	100	95	100	108	100	100	100	105	100	103	100	101	100	103	100	10
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	98	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	91	100	102	100	98	100	102	100	103	100	9
Delhi	100	100	100	100	100	92	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	93	100	10
Punjab	100	95	100	99	100	91	100	100	100	96	100	99	100	100	100	99	100	100	100	10
North-West Frontier Province.	100	100	100	99	100	100	100	85	100	97	100	101	100	100	100	104	100	101	100	10
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	104	100	99	100	96	100	96	100	100	100	101	100	97	100	99	...	...	...	...
Bombay	100	107	100	97	100	97	100	95	...	...	100	93	100	100	100	96	100	99	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	100	100	99	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	102	100	100	100	101	...	...	100	10
Madras	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	97	100	100	100	99	100	10
India	100	100	100	99	100	96	100	98	100	97	100	100	100	100	100	101	100	102	100	10

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

HOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅔ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the fortnight ending 15th September of the years 1914, 1915 and 1916.

	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)			Rice (common)			Jawar (*Andropogon sorghum*)			Bajra (*Penniselum typhoideum*)			Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
cutta . . .	4 5 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	6 0 0	7 4 0	6 4 0	...	...	3 6 0	...	...	..	3 8 0	3 14 0	4 4 0
nbay . .	4 12 2	5 11 5	...	4 11 9	5 3 10	4 11 3	3 2 6	3 8 0	3 2 6	3 11 8	4 0 4	...	3 6 2	4 0 4	...
achi . . .	4 5 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	5 2 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	3 1 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 4 3	4 5 0	4 3 0	...	...	...
lras . . .	...	...	...	5 4 10	5 4 10	5 12 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 4	5 11 2	4 7 4
goon . . .	5 1 3	5 2 7	4 11 4	3 5 7	5 3 3	3 3 2	..	...	...	...	...	.	3 10 10	4 4 9	4 8 1
oa . . .	...	...	5 0 0	6 0 0	5 14 0	5 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...
na . . .	3 7 6	4 11 0	4 0 0	4 12 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	2 13 6	3 5 3	2 14 0	3 1 0	3 5 3	...	3 1 3	3 8 0	3 10 0
ohi . . .	4 2 0	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 12 0	6 10 0	5 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 0	4 3 0	4 10 0
tack . . .	4 1 4	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 3 4	5 13 0	4 7 8	...	..	...	...	...	...	4 1 2	4 5 8	3 12 11
ares . .	4 0 8	4 9 4	4 3 5	5 4 4	5 12 11	5 11 7	...	...	...	...	...	.	3 3 1	3 9 9	4 3 9
npore . .	4 0 0	4 13 6	4 8 0	5 8 0	5 14 0	5 6 0	2 6 0	3 5 0	...	3 1 0	.	..	3 2 0	3 6 0	4 0 0
rut . . .	3 13 0	4 5 0	4 3 6	5 11 0	5 9 3	6 0 0	..	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 3	3 3 3	3 11 6
a . . .	4 5 2	5 0 0	4 9 1	6 15 3	5 4 9	6 6 4	2 10 8	3 8 10	3 12 11	2 11 4	4 0 0	4 7 1	3 6 5	3 3 2	4 1 7
know . . .	4 0 0	4 9 2	4 7 1	4 7 1	5 5 4	4 11 6	2 6 9	...	...	...	..		2 10 8	3 8 9	4 3 4
ozepur . .	3 11 6	4 7 0	3 14 0	5 0 0	5 11 3	5 0 0	2 5 9	3 10 3	...	3 5 3		...	3 0 3	3 4 3	3 11 6
ore . . .	3 13 0	4 9 3	4 0 0	5 0 0	6 6 3	5 5 3	3 1 3	3 7 6	2 12 0	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 6 3	3 11 6
itsar . .	3 10 0	4 9 0	3 11 6	5 2 6	6 0 6	5 9 9	...	...	...	...	..	..	3 2 3	3 6 0	3 10 0
alpindi . .	3 13 0	4 10 0	3 9 6	5 11 0	6 8 0	5 10 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	2 3 6	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 3 0	3 5 3	3 9 0	3 5 0
lpur . . .	3 11 6	4 6 0	3 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	2 0 0	...	...	..	...	...	3 3 0	3 4 6	3 7 0
ala . . .	3 13 0	4 12 0	3 14 6	5 8 0	6 0 0	5 11 6	3 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	4 0 0
i . . .	3 13 0	4 11 0	4 5 0	6 0 0	6 10 0	6 7 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	4 4 0	3 13 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 10 0
awar . .	3 9 6	4 6 2	3 11 6	5 13 11	6 2 5	5 9 0	2 4 6	3 9 10	1 14 9	3 11 6	3 1 3	3 6 9	3 7 11	3 9 6	3 5 11
ta . . .	4 13 9	4 2 6	3 13 9	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
a . . .	4 2 8	5 8 11	5 1 11	5 8 0	5 11 8	...	2 8 0	...	3 1 5	3 9 9	3 9 9	3 9 9	3 10 5	4 0 7	4 10 4
dnagar . .	3 8 11	4 11 11	5 2 9	...	...	...	...	3 10 8	2 6 9	...	3 6 8	2 15 5	3 4 4	4 1 4	4 10 11
dabad . .	4 3 0	5 5 4	4 14 0	6 12 0	6 10 0	6 0 0	2 11 0	3 10 2	3 14 0	3 8 0	4 9 2	4 6 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 2 0
ur . . .	3 13 2	4 12 10	4 1 11	4 3 8	4 6 8	4 9 10	2 8 5	2 11 2	3 9 4	...	...	...	3 7 6	3 14 0	4 3 5
lpur . .	3 14 10	4 8 3	4 5 2	5 0 0	5 5 5	4 11 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6 6	3 12 11	4 5 2
ari . . .	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ar . . .	...	...	...	5 2 11	5 6 11	5 6 11	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF SEPTEMBER

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi.
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Burma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	45·71	51·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy		...	38·55	35·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	32·99	46·72	71·91	63·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	33·51	52·03	50·79	51·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	32·32	57 66	88·88	91·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	..	...	34 07	53·78	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	39·26	41·83	68·08	68·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	.	...	34 41	43 84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	32·99	49·61	51·61	54·7	...	...	...	...	22·38	22·38	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	35·75	48·35	...	71·91	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	37·5	35	55	60	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	27·5	32·5	47·5	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	26 25	30	50	57·5	...	.	...	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	..	...	50	60	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Dacca	32 5	37·5	60	58·75	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	31 25	35	60	72·5	43 12	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	33·75	35	50	55	60	55	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	28·75	36 25	55	62 5	46·25 to 47·5	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	31·87	28·75	55	52·5	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	20	22·5	57·5	57·5	55	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Bihar and Orissa*															
Bihar, north—															
Bhágalpore	.	...	45	63·75	40	53·12	...	...	28·75	33·12	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	..	61·56	66·56	40	50	...	...	25	30	..	...	.	...	..
Bihár, south—															
Patna	...	...	47·5	55	34·69	46·87	...	..	25	40	28·44	33·28	30·62	33·28	..
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	42·68	58 12	40·63	50·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
United Provinces—															
(a) Agra—															
Eastern—															
Benares	30·57	31·93	52·71	58·07	40·42	45·88	47·71	55·78	29·32	33·33	...	...	...	...	..
Central—															
Cawnpore	23·75	32·5	55	58·75	40	48·44	46·87	55	29·37	33·12	23·75	33·12	30·62	...	..
Jhánsi	...	...	51·56	56·72	40·1	48·44	...	...	27·34	...	21·41	30·62	...	...	..
Western—															
Meerut	...	...	56·87	55·16	38·12	43·12	42·19	50	29·53	31·67	...	...	...	...	..
Agra	...	...	69·53	52·97	48·23	50	50	55·16	29·58	30·73	26·67	35·52	27·08	40	..
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	25	34·37	50	66·56	37·19	46·25	43·28	53·12	28·59	30	25	...	26·56	...	..
(b) Oudh—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	25	...	44·43	53·33	40	45·73	48·44	57·13	27·6	31·98	24·22	...	...	...	..
Northern—															
Fyzabad	26·56	30·78	58·12	56·25	40	47·19	...	...	...	31·87	26·25	...	...	...	..

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

Note.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of fortnight

(he figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	61·54	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	Tavoy
...	..	...	65·98	50	68·82	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	36·78	42·95	57·14	58·18	57·66	57·66	...	...	...	...	..	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	60·95	68·82	68·82	74·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	40·76	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	21·64	18·71	35·96	40·76	65·98	68·82	58·18	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	31·22	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakókku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	59·26	57·14	92·75	72·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·5	50	Goalpára
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	50	50	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	45	50	70	70	...	...	...	...	100	80	60	65	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	70	75	...	...	...	...	70	100	70	70	Dacca
															Deltaic—
..	...	...	35	38·75	52·5	63·75	...	...	...	.	56·25	50	50	57·5	Calcutta
															Western—
..	...	...	37·5	40	57·5	56·25	...	...	...	...	70	55	55	50	Burdwan
...	.	...	40 to 42·5	45	52·5 to 65	60	...	...	.	...	52·5	55	62·5	67·5	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	73·12	65	...	...	...	...	60	47·5	61·25	62·5	Pabna
...	...	...	76·25	70	75	67·5	...	...	...	...	..	..	56·25	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa
															Bihar, north—
...	29·37	30	40	36·87	60	56·87	30	45	...	..	55	50	41·87 to 46·25	41·25 to 48·75	Bhágalpur
...	27·5	28·59	33·28	38·12	53·12	66·56	25	42·03	...	...	..	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
33·33	26·25	31·25	30·78	35	42·19	55	23·12	35	..	...	55	47·5	46·87	57·5	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	40·73	43·54	55·62	68·07	38·07	43·54	...	.	...	...	61·04	75	Cuttack
															United Provinces
															(a) AGRA—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	31·93	36·09	44·01	56·41	...	...	...	...	48·88	45·42	49·53	45	Benares
															Central—
...	21·25	...	31·25	33·75	48·75	50	40	47·5	27·5	28·75	56·87	53·12	46·87	46·56	Cawnpore
...	19·58	...	30·73	38·12	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	..	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	27·5	...	31·41	32·03	50	47·08	...	...	...	...	53·12	61·56	39·06	43·28	Meerut
...	...	...	34·01	31·98	61·51	63·96	...	...	28·54	21·15	59·22	51·56	47·08	50	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	20	...	28·59	36·25	40	48·75	...	...	...	25	50	43·75	44·37	47·5	Shahjahánpur
															(b) OUDH—
															Southern—
..	24·22	...	26·67	35·47	...	..	...	...	...	...	50	44·43	50	50	Lucknow
															Northern—
..	25	...	28·44	37·19	44·37	53·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	43·75	...	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF SEPTEMBER—*continued*.

DISTRICT.	SESAMUM (*Til* or *jinjili*)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (*Gur*)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURMERIC		GRASS	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915
Burma—														
Tenasserim—														
Mergui	...	...	640	640	...	...	22·86	21·26	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25·7	25·9	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457·14	457·14	...	...	24·62	16·89	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—														
Rangoon	..	...	581·82	533·33	...	...	30·47	21·84	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	..	...	492·31	492·31	...	...	39·26	26·84	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	.	...	640	581·82	...	..	45·71	28·57	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—														
Henzada	.	.	533·33	492·31	..	..	35·75	25·81	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	.	.	..	...		..	36·16	28·19	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—														
Mandalay		.	640	640	.	...	38·79	27·47	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokku		.	581·82	581·82	..	...	45·39	28·57	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—														
Akyab	.	.	581·82	581·82	..	...	30·77	30·77	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—														
Surma—														
Balaganj (Sylhet)			525	480	80	85	31·25	22·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—														
Goálpára		..	600	450	90	85	32·5	26·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati			575	500	78·75	90	35	28·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—														
Eastern—														
Chittagong	...	..	530	580	95	85	30	21·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	.	.	600	580	110	125	35	30	...	..	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—														
Calcutta	.	...	520	465	70	77·5	30	22·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—														
Burdwan	.	..	540	435	70	61·25	23·75	23·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	..	.	550 to 560	460 to 500	75 to 80	85	31·25	31·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—														
Pabna	.	..	580	500	93·12	67·5	36·87	25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	.	...	560	520	120	62·5	40	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—														
Bihar, north—														
Bhágalpur	80	70	500	460	80	70	29·53	30	100	90	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	.	533·12	402·5	50	80	28·59	25	160	266·56	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—														
Patna	50	50	480	390	60	60	30	28·75	12·5	20	...	...	3·12	...
Orissa—														
Cuttack	65·62	75	533·33	533·33	68·59	50·78	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	5
United Provinces—														
(*a*) AGRA—														
Eastern—														
Benares	48·91	53·4	510·26	469·37	58.07	77·24	28·23	25·2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—														
Cawnpore	...	56·87	475	420	66·25	85	22·5	17·5	115	100	112·5	65	...	...
Jhánsi	44·57	47·03	441·41	41[illegible]·41	66·56	84·22	22·19	20·47	...	...	...	106·56	2·5	10
Western—														
Meerut	..	...	473·75	474·66	50	...	20	17·5	..	...	..	...	...	...
Agra	58·33 to 61·51	66·67	492·29	426·67	78·15	100	20·47	16·98	120	160	110	105	10	5
Submontane, west—														
Shahjahánpur	50	80	460	420	63·75	90	23·12	20	180	200	130 to 140	80 to 90	...	...
(*b*) OUDH—														
Southern—														
Lucknow	..	...	495	460	...	...	24·22	20	...	...	...	85	2·5	...
Northern—														
Fyzabad	...	...	492·5	430	53·28	...	25	20·78	...	...	...	...	2·5	..

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw 1916	Straw 1915	Jawar stalks 1916	Jawar stalks 1915	Bhusa (white) 1916	Bhusa (white) 1915	Bran 1916	Bran 1915	Sheep, per score 1916	Sheep, per score 1915	Plough bullocks, per pair 1916	Plough bullocks, per pair 1915	Kerosene oil, per tin 1916	Kerosene oil, per tin 1915	Districts
														Burma—
														Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	20·58	27·23	...	...	.	.	3	2·56	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	.	2	2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9	..	..	..	.	2·56	2·25	Moulmein and Amherst
														Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·83	32·99	...	...	..		1·87	1·87	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	.	...		Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·48	...	...	...	.	1·94	1·87	Bassein
														Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	..	...	..	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	Toungoo
														Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	30·92	28·83	...	...	..		...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	.	2·06	2·06	Pakokku
														Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	2·06	2·41	Akyab
														Assam—
														Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1·95	1·92	Balaganj (Sylhet)
														Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	3·37	2·69	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	..	...	..	2·01	2·19	Gauhati
														Bengal—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	..		1·75	1·84	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·78	2·31	Dacca
														Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·59	2·17	Calcutta
														Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	2·78	2·26	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·19	Midnapur
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	.	2·81	2·19	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·94	2·5	Rangpur
														Bihar and Orissa—
														Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·75	25	...	...	...	...	1·98	1·98	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	...	10	10	25	30·78	...	...	..	...	2·06	2·05	Muzaffarpur
														Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	10	10	20·62	20	..	...	..	...	2·75	2	Patna
														Orissa—
5·62	5·62	...	...	...	...	7·5	7·5	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·22	Cuttack
														United Provinces—
														(a) Agra—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	25	29·63	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·44	Benares
														Central—
...	...	...	...	9·37	7·97	25·62	22·5	65	65	...	...	2·91	2·4[illegible]	Cawnpore
6·67	2·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·12	2·2	Jhánsi
														Western—
...	...	...	...	10	7·19	26·56	27·97	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·56	Meerut
12·5	12·5	...	...	6·67	6·67	30·16	30·73	...	...	100	80	3·06	2·69	Agra
														Submontane, west—
...	...	...	...	10	7·5	33·12	40	50 to 80	30 to 40	40 to 90	60 to 70	3·06	2·56	Shahjahánpur
														(b) Oudh—
														Southern—
...	...	...	...	7·34	10	22·5	22·5	...	...	...	..	3	2·47	Lucknow
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	11·25	11·23	...	...	...	..	50	50	2·81	2·44	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF SEPTEMBER—*continued*

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA		RAG:
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
jputana—															
astern—															
Ajmer	26·67	26·67	...	...	48·44	54·75	...	...	36·41	39·37	27·71	37·24	28·91	42·23	...
hi—															
Delhi	..	..	60	66·25	38·12	46·87	43·75	50	30·62	33·12	27·5	35	28·75	42·5	...
njab—															
uthern—															
Ferozepur	33·25	..	50	57·03	37·19	44·37	40	48·44	26·72	33·28	23·59	36·41	33·28	...	...
ntral—															
Lahore	34·69	37·19	50	63·91	38·12	45·78	43·28	50	29·69	25·59	30·78	34·69	31·69	38·12	...
bmontane—															
Amritsar	26·25	31·87	51·56	60·31	36·25	45·62	37·19	47·03	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
orthern—															
Rawalpindi	...	.	56·87	65	38·12	46·25	42·03	50	26·72	27·5	25	32·5	34·69	38·75	...
estern—															
Lyallpur	..	..	60	65	37·19	43·75	41·25	47·5	27·5	30	20	...	.	...	...
Multan	31·25	28·75	45·62	48·75	38·12	42·03	41·87	47·03	32·03	31·87	32·5	32·03	32·5	37·97	...
W. Frontier Pro-ince—															
Peshawar		..	58·7	61·51	35·94	43·85	41·04	44·74	23·96	25·62	22·81	36·15	37·19	30·78	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	.	64·69	...	43·75	48·12	47·19	...	32·03	...	31·25	28·12	31·25	35	...
d and Baluchistan—															
Karachi		.	51·25	53·75	43·12	46·87	...	...	...	...	30·62	33·12	32·66	43·12	...
Shikarpur		27·03	67·19	63·44	40·62	43·75	...	..	31·25	35·78	29·37	...	...	39·06	...
Quetta	.	...	..	...	47·34 to 49·84	39·37 to 43·75	65 to 75	72·5 to 85	37·5	34·69	32·5	30	...	...	...
nbay—															
onkan—															
Bombay	40·52	32·45	47·34	52·4	47·6	57·13	...	...	33·85	38·07	31·25	35	37·03	40·21	...
eccan and Karnátak—															
Dharwar	...	...	.	...	31·15	36·97	...	...	...	...	17·66	23·07	...	...	...
Sholapur	..	..	48·38	47·76	43·23	50·1	...	...	...	...	21·04	23·23	26·15	32·19	...
Poona	41·77	.	55	57·03	41·67	55·57	...	...	.	...	25	...	36·09	30·09	...
handesh and N.-E. Deccan—															
Ahmednagar	..	..	.	..	35·57	47·45	...	...	...	...	...	26·67	...	34·17	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	53·65	41·67	46·67	...	...	...	...	27·76	32·08	30·42	32·29	...
jarat—															
Surat	...	...	...	...	49·01	56·2	...	...	...	...	29·9	39·63	38·18	...	...
Ahmedabad	..	...	67·5	66·25	41·87	53·33	...	...	26·87	...	26·87	36·35	31·87	45·73	...
ntral Provinces* —															
Western—															
Nagpur		...	42·31	44·19	38·25	48	50	61·5	...	...	25·25	27	...	...	...
entral—															
Jubbulpore	...	...	50	53·37	39·25	45·12	48·5	59·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
astern—															
Raipur	35	36	41	41	36·5	47	44	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
rar—															
Akola	...	...	46·25	46·5	38·75	39·75	...	...	...	...	17·81	27·25	...	...	...
Amráoti	...	...	42·25	49·69	40·44	48·56	...	...	...	...	19·12	25·94	...	...	...
dras—															
outh, central—															
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31·9	32	...	36·6	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30
entral—															
Bellary	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23·9	24·4	...	...	...
Cuddapah	40·9	40·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20·4	29·4	29·4	30·2	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ast Coast, central—															
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·[illegible]
ast Coast, south—															
Madras	30·4	31·1	58	58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	...	28·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·1
outhern—															
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·3	35	40·4	35·1	...
ysore—															
Mysore	22	22	56	56	53	54	60	62·81	...	...	24	24	...	...	24
Bangalore	22	24	56	56	54	56	67·76	67·76	...	...	28	26	...	.	23

* The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the prices of cleaned rice

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dal		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Rajputana—
...	28·7	40·94	36·41	39·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	84·06	84·06	...	...	*Eastern—* Ajmer
...	...	...	31·87	31·87	42·5	47·5	...	...	29·69	25·62	55	50	47·5	46·87	**Delhi—** Delhi
															Punjab—
...	...	...	30·16	32·66	66·72	80	...	...	35·62	26·72	66·72	66·72	...	...	*Southern—* Ferozpur
...	28·59	50	32·03	33·91	48·44	61·56	38·91	50	33·28	26·72	55·16	57·19	47·03	48·44	*Central—* Lahore
...	...	...	31·41	33·75	...	...	...	..	33·75	26·25	50	...	50	57·5	*Submontane—* Amritsar
...	27·5	41·87	33·28	35·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	44·37	41·25	43·75	*Northern—* Ráwalpindi
..	20	...	31·87	32·81	...	...	...	...	35·94	26·25	..	..	45·63	47·5	*Western—* Lyallpur
..	26·56	40	32·03	32·5	56·25	77·5	34·37	34·37	33·12	25·6[illegible]	55	50	45	50	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
..	25·68	34·22	34·95	35·94	45·36	58·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	43·07	45·36	Peshâwar
..	35	...	37·19	36·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·04	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·94	29·37	...	...	...	...	Karáchi
..	..	...	34·84	...	54·37	...	...	...	33·12	26·87	...	...	..	...	Shikarpur
..	35 to 43·75	37·5	...	...	68·12 to 77·5	75 to 85	50	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
..	...	...	33·85	40·21	55·31	61·3	37·5	55·36	27·55	23·96	62·97	63·38	...	...	*Konkan—* Bombay
															Deccan and Karnátak
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23·40	...	...	...	...	...	Dharwar
..	...	...	33·59	39·74	45·52	68·23	...	...	20·83	17·08	...	49·32	...	...	Sholapur
..	...	...	36·51	40·36	52·19	68·85	...	...	28·07	22·81	...	...	...	...	Poona
															Khandesh and N. Deccan—
.	...	...	33·71	40·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	Ahmednagar
.	...	...	39·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	19·01	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
															Gujarat—
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
.	...	...	36·25	40	66·25	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
.	...	...	34·69	38·75	48·94	53·06	...	...	22·5	21·25	...	...	...	...	*Western—* Nagpur
.	...	...	34·06	38·06	48·5	51·12	44·44	40	28·56	...	57·12	47·06	...	...	*Central—* Jubbulpore
.	...	...	29	24	42	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
															Berar—
.	...	...	32·19	31·25	41·62	50	...	...	20·62	18·75	...	60·25	...	...	Akola
.	...	...	36·12	37·25	40·44	50·81	...	...	20	20	62·81	59·94	...	...	Amráoti
															Madras—
	...	...	55·8	60·7	...	...	...	...	36·8	32	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
·7	...	...	...	...	40·4	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
	...	...	46·3	46·3	35·3	46·3	...	...	23·8	23·8	...	...	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
	...	...	...	...	37·4	47·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
	...	...	42·1	57	...	...	56·7	61·7	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
	...	...	...	...	35	37·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
															Mysore—
	...	...	25	35	60	80	70	15·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
	...	...	28	36	56	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF SEPTEMBER—*concluded*

DISTRICTS	SESAMUM (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (*Gur*)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURMERIC		GRASS	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915
putana—														
astern—														
Ajmer	48·53	66·56	533·3	533·33	70	106·82		.	.	...	..	.	11·25	25
hi—														
Delhi	63·75	72·5	540	520	53·12	95	20	17·5	80	80	160	105	10	10
njab—														
outhern—														
Ferozpur	...	66·72	553·28	518·28	76·09	100	26·72	20	94·06	123·12	122·97	94·06	...	...
entral—														
Lahore	68·91	66·72	533·28	533·28	66·72	100	22·19	15·94	114·22	114·22	152·84	114·22	10	10
ubmontane—														
Amritsar	60	67·5	500	500	56·56	100	20·62	14·69	...	...	142·5	75	...	...
orthern—														
Rawalpindi	..	...	540	452·5	66·56	80	24·37	18·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
estern—														
Lyallpur	.	.	509	512·5	55	90	22·5	15	...	...	.	.	...	10
Multan	55	53·75	495	415	57·5	76·25	20	16·72	110	125	153·75	106·56	10	8·12
.W. Frontier Province—														
Peshâwar	...	..	501·93	492·29	83·12	94·11	18·91	15·36	128·07	136·15	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	..	..	568·91		66·25	.	15·36	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
nd and Baluchistan—														
Karâchi	...	..	...	517·5	.	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	540	527·5	57·5	...	...	...	47·5	53·75	...	...	...	...
Quetta	..	...	534·37 to 580	452·5 to 526·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ombay—														
Konkan—														
Bombay	65·73	65·73	557·13	550	91·15	134·69	...	..	...	...	138·75	87·08	8·8	16·82
Deccan and Karnâtak—														
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	73·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	400·52	533·33	81·51	127·34	...	...	125·26	...	...	...	...	..
Poona	70	..	463·18	463·18	89·43	129·84	...	...	210·52	210·52	...	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—														
Ahmodnagar	...	...	...	...	91·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	63·44	73·91	450	390	89·33	110	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Gujarat—														
Surat	...	...	497·29	535·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	.	500	510	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...
entral Provinces—														
Western—														
Nagpur	63·31	65	566·62	533·31	...	...	25	22·5	91·62	..	130	90	...	...
Central—														
Jubbulpore	53·31	53·37	450	410	...	...	26·62	21·06	80	80	160	88·87	...	...
Eastern—														
Raipur	...	...	475	420	...	...	25	26·25	160	140	80	58	...	...
erar—														
Akola	52·37	62	495	400		...	22·19	19	95·25	95·25	...	...	...	...
Amrâoti	61·5	69·19	540	440	...	...	21·25	17·06	138·81	124·44	...	...	3·19	...
Madras—														
South, central—														
Coimbatore	82·7	64·9	487·6	487·8	64	96	17·5	19·6	...	...	128	96	...	...
Salem	...	...	488	488	...	...	...	...	171·3	171·3	85·7	85·7	...	...
Central—														
Bellary	62	...	537·2	507·9	95·2	111·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	493·1	427·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	100·5	74·1	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	133·3	164·5	108·6	82·3	...	...
East Coast, central—														
Nellore	...	...	466·7	483·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—														
Madras	...	72·4	559·6	559·6	79	94·6	15·3	12·5	139·9	115·2	111·1	77·3	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	466·7	...	...	23·4	18·1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	540·5	540·5	...	...	20·6	17·5	128·4	123·4	...	...	...	...
Southern—														
Madura	66·7	87	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	...
ysore—														
Mysore	72	72	480	548·54	102·86	111·41	...	...	214·27*	205·68*	187·18	77·18	5·1	4·79
Bangalore	64	52	548·54	548·54	77·13	111·41	...	...	240*	240*	85·68	94·27	8·8	8·8

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 108 per 10 maunds

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw		Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
														Rajputana—
														Eastern—
...	12·03	...	17·81	...	...	...	...	110	...	80 to 90	80 to 90	2·75	2·56	Ajmer
														Delhi—
..	...	3·28	15·62	11·25	8·75	26·25	25	80	80	200	150	2·19	2·19	Delhi
														Punjab—
														Southern—
...	...	..	...	7·97	7·34	25	28·59	142·5	112·5	225	175	3·09	2·59	Ferozepur
														Central—
...	...	...	...	10·78	8·44	28·59	28·59	150	150	170	170	3·12	2·64	Lahore
														Submontane—
...	...	...	...	10	8·91	23·12	25	120	120	...	...	3·12	2·64	Amritsar
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	12·5	8·75	...	...	90	90	120	120	3·25	2·44	Ráwalpindi
														Western—
.	...	...	...	7·97	6·56	23·75	24·37	110	100	140	140	3·37	2·81	Lyallpur
...	...	5	...	10	5·78	27·19	26·56	100	100	...	...	3·19	2·67	Multan
														N.-W. Frontier Provinc
...	...	...	...	5·68	5·78	18·91	21·98	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·37	2·92	Pesháwar
...	...	...	...	12·71	...	28·44	...	...	...	...	...	3·37	2·87	Dera Ismael Khan
														Sind and Baluchistan—
..	...	...	...		...	..	..	...	...	...	...	2·72	2·22	Karáchi
...	...	...	...	9·37	5	...	22·5	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·52	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	9·69	6·72	30·52	31·25	120 to 220	100 to 200	...	..	2·97	2·47	Quetta
														Bombay—
														Konkan—
...		.	...	...	...	19·63	28·50	...	...	...	...	2·84	2·28	Bombay
														Deccan and Karnátak—
...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	85	87·5	...	..	2·94	2·41	Dharwar
..		..	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	..	2·09	2·09	Sholapur
..	.	...	...	...	...	24·27	...	...	..	...	.	2·8	2·3	Poona
														Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan
.	.	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	..	2·08	2	Ahmadnagar
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...		2·89	2·5	Dhulia
														Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	.	...	...	..		...	...	Surat
..	...	...	...	..	.	27·5	22·5	...	...	..	.	3·19	2·5	Ahmedabad
														Central Provinces—
														Western—
...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	70 to 80	...	125 to 200	2·19	2·19	Nagpur
														Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	30	32	60	60	70	70	2·12	1·81	Jubbulpore
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·25	2·25	Raipur
														Berar—
...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	97	88	60	56	2·44	2·19	Akola
...	...	4·94	...	..	..	...	...	70	50	70	55	2·19	2·19	Amráoti
														Madras—
														South, Central—
...	...	4	4		...	90·4*	90·4*	...	.	60	60	2·98	2·29	Coimbatore
7·7	7·7	...	...	..	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	.	2·53	2·19	Salem
														Central—
...	...	10·3	10·3	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	140	140	3	2·75	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·88	2·26	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·31	2·75	Karnul
														East Coast, Central—
5·7	4·3	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·04	1·82	Nellore
														East Coast, south—
...	...	...	...	...	...	31·3	32·3	188†	165†	...	...	2·06	1·78	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	14·4	6·2	170	110	...	...	2·83	2·13	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41·1	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·52	Trichinopoly
														Southern—
15	15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	60	60	2·69	2·06	Madura
														Mysore—
5·1	5·1	4·37	5·47	...	...	40	15	50 to 100	100	50 to 100	100	3·5	2·78	Mysore
8·8	8·8	...	...	...	...	33·8	33·8	160	160	120 to 150	120 to 150	2·62	2·5	Bangalore

* Superior quality † Sheep or goats

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF SEPTEMBER 1916

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	..	...	8 5	8 5	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 11	11 3	12 2	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	11 8	...	...	...	...
Maubin	4 5	4 5	...	...	9 2	9 2	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Bassein		...	...	...	9 11	11 3	10 6	11 3	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 10	11 7	12 8	...	...	...	...
Henzada	5 9	5 9	..	..	9 11	10 12	10 —	11 3	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	.	...	...	...	10 1	10 7	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 6	10 —	11 2	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	7 5	7 12	...	...	8 9	8 9	11 3	11 8	16 5	16 5	...	...
Bhamo	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	17 8	17 8	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 10	9 13	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu	3 8	3 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	...	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Cachar	4 4	4 4	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 7	7 7	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 8	5 5	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur	17 —	17 —	...	...	15 —	14 —	17 —	16 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	8 —	7 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati)	7 —	8 —	...	...	5 12	5 8	8 —	3 12	...	...	...	...
Darrang	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 4	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	..	...	..	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
Backerganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 —	...	...	..	...
Maimensingh	..	...	...	...	...	..	6 14	6 10	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	.	..	6 5	6 5	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 8	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	..	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	.	...	6 10	6 8	...	...	...	...
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	..	.	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 12	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	...	...	4 15	4 15	10 2	12 8	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	...	...	7 —	9 5	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 9	9 9	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Honzada
...	...	...	...	10 8	9 11	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	9 8	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	...	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	4 18	4 13	8 5	8 5	Thayetmyo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	16 —	16 —	5 12	5 10	9 5	9 5	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakôkku
...	...	...	...	18 5	16 —	42 12	42 12	15 10	15 10	14 —	14 —	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 14	15 14	3 4	3 4	11 6	11 6	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	10 8	10 8	Akyab
												Assam—
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	11 —	11 —	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	11 —	11 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	7 5	8 8	8 14	8 14	6 4	6 4	9 4	9 4	Khási and Jáintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4		...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...	...	...	...	4 8	4 —	22 —	22 —	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	8 —	9 8	10 —	10 8	6 4	6 8	11 —	11 —	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	7 8	8 8		...	6 4	7 —	10 8	11 4	Kámrúp (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	9 —	9 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	7 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 —	10 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	Lakhimpur
												Bengal—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 8	10 8	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 12	11 12	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	11 —	11 —	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 8	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 8	13 —	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 8	14 —	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 1	7 1	11 —	11 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	13 —	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	15 —	14 8	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 —	11 —	12 —	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF SEPTEMBER 1916—continued

Districts	Wheat (Triticum sativum)		Barley (Hordeum vulgare)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (Andropogon sorghum)		Bajra or cumbu (Pennisetum typhoideum)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	...	..	..	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Burdwan	...	..	...	..	..	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	.	...	.	...	...	...	7 —	7 4	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	...	..	...	...	...	...	7 2	...	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Malda	.	...	.	...	...	...	7 —	7 8	..	...	...	...
Bogra	..	..	..	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	..		...	...	...	7 8	7 4	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	..	7 13	7 13	...	...	...	..
Rangpur	...	..		...	...	...	6 12	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	..	..		..	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	10 —	10 —		..	...	...	8 7	8 —	...	...	..	...
Bhágalpur	10 —	9 8	12 12	13 12	...	...	8 12	7 8	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	9 5	9 5	15 6	15 6	...	...	7 11	8 4	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Sáran	10 —	10 —	13 8	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Champáran	10 —	10 8	16 8	17 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas	7 8	8 —	11 8	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	10 —	10 —	14 —	16 —	...	...	7 8	7 6	..	..	...	...
Gaya	8 12	9 8	12 8	12 —	...	..	7 8	7 8	13 —	12 8	...	
Patna	11 —	11 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	...	8 8	14 —	15 —	13 —	13 —
Shahabad	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum	9 —	9 —		..	...	..	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Mánbhum	8 12	9 —	10 —	8 —	...	...	7 4	7 —	...	...	13 —	...
Ranchi	9 8	9 —	10 —	10 —	...	..	7 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Palámau	10 2	10 2	14 1	14 10	...	...	8 7	8 7	...	...	..	...
Hazáribágh	8 —	9 —	10 —	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	9 3	9 13	...		...	...	9 3	9 3	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	9 3	9 3	..	...	...	.	9 3	9 3	...	...	.	...
Balasore	7 —	7 8	..	...	..	...	8 12	9 —	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 — to 9 8	...	..	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	9 —	8 12	11 —	12 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	14 —	12 —	12 —
Benares	9 8	9 10	13 —	12 11	5 4	5 4	7 3	7 3	...	...	...	...
Ghazipur	9 8	9 8	10 10	12 14	5 —	5 —	7 10	7 10	...	15 11	10 9	11 14
Jaunpur	9 10	9 10	13 5	13 5	3 12	3 12	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	9 4	9 8	12 8	12 12	4 8	4 8	8 4	8 4	13 12	15 8	13 4	13 8
Central—												
Bánda	10 6	10 4	12 12	13 4	4 —	4 —	7 14	7 10	13 8	17 8	...	15 8
Fatehpur	10 —	10 —	13 12	13 12	3 8	3 8	8 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur	9 —	10 2	11 8	10 12	5 —	4 12	6 6	6 12	15 12	14 12	14 12	13 14
Jalaun	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Cawnpore	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 4	...	...	6 12	6 8	16 —	16 4	12 12	12 12
Jhánsi	9 11½	9 13¾	14 6	14 9¾	4 8	4 8¼	7 8	7 11½	18 7	17 14	...	...
Etáwah	9 14	10 2	13 2	13 6	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	14 8	14 13	13 12	14 2
Farrukhabad	10 1	9 14	13 15	13 15	4 4	4 4	7 13	8 3	...	...	...	...
Mainpuri	10 —	9 8	13 8	13 8	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	12 8	12 8
Etah	10 4	10 4	13 4	13 —	4 —	4 —	8 4	8 4	14 —	...	...	...
Western—												
Meerut	10 4	10 —	13 —	12 12	3 —	3 —	7 —	6 12	...	14 —	...	...
Agra	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	5 8	5 8	...	...	14 12	15 8	14 4	...
Muttra	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	16 —	13 —	16 —	12 —
Aligarh	9 12	9 8	12 8	11 8	3 8	3 8	5 —	5 —	15 —	14 —	14 —	13 4
Bulandshahr	9 8	10 8	12 —	12 2	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	16 —	18 8	11 —	12 —
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	9 7	9 7	12 5	13 —	5 3	5 3	7 13	7 13	..	...	...	...
Azamgarh	9 4	9 4	13 —	13 —	5 10	5 10	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	11 —	10 12	14 —	12 4	7 4	6 12	9 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Basti	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 8	5 12	5 8	9 4	8 8	...	...	...	

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	6 —	6 8	13 —	13 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	6 8	10 8	10 8	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	11 —	11 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 8	9 12	...	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 12	9 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 12	12 —	12 —	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	12 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...		...	...	...	7 3	7 3	12 —	12 8	Dinajpur
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	9 8	9 8	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 12	8 8	8 —	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 —	16 —	14 —	6 8	6 8	10 8	10 8	Purnea
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 12	...	14 8	...	7 8	11 4	11 4	Bhágalpur
14 5	13 8	...	...	12 1	12 1	14 5	15 6	7 2	7 11	12 1	12 1	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	14 —	13 —	7 —	7 —	13 8	12 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Sáran
14 —	...	...	...	12 4	11 8	13 —	12 —	6 12	6 12	11 8	11 —	Champáran
												Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	20 — to 30 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	10 14	11 —	15 —	14 —	10 —	10 —	13 5	12 —	Monghyr
15 —	14 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 -	14 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	12 12	13 —	Gaya
...	...	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	15 —	15 —	...	9 8	12 8	13 6	Patna
...	...	...	..	12 —	12 —	12 —	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	15 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 8	11 8	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	10 4	10 8	16 —	11 —	6 12	7 —	11 4	11 —	Mánbhum
17 —	16 —	...	...	10 —	10 8	13 —	13 —	6 —	5 8	11 —	11 —	Ránchi
...	...	...	...	12 15	12 10½	...	...	10 2	9 —	11 13	12 6	Palámau
15 —	15 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	14 —	13 —	7 —	6 8	12 —	12 —	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	5 8	5 14	13 —	13 —	Balasore
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 8 to 7 8	6 8 to 7 8	13 12	13 12	Sambalpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	11 —	8 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	16 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Mirzapur
...	...	10 13½	10 13½	12 3	12 8	...	...	7 13	7 9	14 1	14 1	Benares
...	...	...	...	10 7	11 14	15 11	15 11	8 6	8 6	14 7	14 7	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	10 —	10½ —	15 12	15 12	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	12 12	13 4	...	...	10 —	10 —	18 —	14 —	Allahabad
												Central—
...	...	...	...	13 4	14 8	...	...	8 8	8 4	16 4	16 8	Bánda
...	...	...	...	13 12	14 8	...	...	10 8	10 8	15 —	15 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	14 12	13 14	...	...	8 —	8 4	14 4	14 4	Hamirpur
...	...	...	...	14 —	15 —	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	...	Jalaun
...	...	12 8	12 —	12 12	13 —	18 4	16 —	9 —	8 13	17 8	17 8	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	12 12½	12 11½	20 2	...	6 9	6 8	17 8	17 —	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	18 —	...	8 12	9 2	15 —	14 8	Etáwah
...	...	...	...	12 10	12 5	...	...	9 12	9 9	18 1	17 12	Farrukhabad
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	16 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	11 4	10 12	16 —	...	9 —	9 —	18 —	18 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	14 —	14 —	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Meerut
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	6 8	6 12	19 —	19 —	Agra
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 8	16 —	15 —	9 8	8 4	18 —	18 —	Muttra
...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 8	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	15 —	15 —	8 —	7 8	17 —	17 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	10 6	12 5	...	...	7 13	7 13	15 10	16 14	Ballia
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	11 —	11 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	..	12 12	12 4	...	...	8 6	8 5	13 4	13 4	Gorakhpur
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TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF SEPTEMBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces—*continued*												
(*a*) Agra—*continued*												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	10 8	10 8	...	14 10	3 —	3 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	14 —	...
Budaun	9 10	9 13	12 12	12 14	3 15	3 8	7 8	6 15	14 4	13 12	13 2	12 13
Pilibit	11 8	10 4	15 —	12 —	4 —	4 —	6 12	8 —	..	...	...	...
Bareli	10 5	10 5	15 —	14 12	3 12	3 12	7 15	7 10	13 8	13 8	13 —	13 —
Moradabad	9 9	10 —	12 12	12 12	4 4	4 4	8 8	8 8	13 12	...	...	...
Bijnor	10 4	10 —	14 8	14 8	3 4	3 4	6 —	6 —	...	..	...	14 —
Muzaffarnagar	10 8	10 8	13 10	13 2	6 9	6 9	8 4	8 4	12 5	12 5	11 —	11 —
Saháranpur	9 13	9 13	12 8	12 8	3 —	3 7	6 14	6 14	..	...	9 9	9 9
Dehra-Dun	9 4	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	12 —	11 —	11 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal	7 —	7 —	9 8	9 —	2 12	2 12	6 —	5 8	...	9 —	8 —	8 —
Almora	6 12	6 8	8 4	8 4	2 12	3 —	5 12	5 8	..	...	...	...
Garhwál*	.	4 8	...	8 —	...	3 —	...	4 —	...	...	...	...
(*b*) Oudh—												
Southern—												
Partábgarh	9 12	9 8	13 8	13 8	5 —	4 —	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	12 —	12 —
Sultanpur	10 8	10 —	15 8	14 —	5 —	4 —	8 4	8 4	...	12 6	...	...
Rao-Bareli	10 4	10 4	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	8 2	7 —	16 —	16 —	11 —	12 —
Unao	10 2	10 2	13 12	13 12	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 8	...	...	...	...
Lucknow	9 12	9 12	14 8	13 8	4 —	4 —	7 —	6 12	16 —	15 8	...	...
Hardoi	10 8	10 8	13 8	13 8	3 —	3 —	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Fyzabad	9 14	9 12	14 —	13 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 8	14 8	10 —	10 —
Barabanki	11 —	10 13	14 12	14 12	4 6	4 6	8 9	7 10	11 11	11 11	10 8	10 —
Gonda	11 —	11 —	15 —	15 —	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	10 8	10 —
Bahraich	11 4	11 4	17 —	16 8	5 —	5 —	7 12	7 12	18 —	..	15 8	14 4
Sitapur	10 8	10 8	15 —	13 8	4 —	4 —	9 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	10 8	10 8
Kheri	10 8	10 8	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	15 —	10 —	10 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	8 8	8 11	10 11	10 11	5 —	5 —	5 12	5 12	13 4	12 8	8 8	9 10
Ajmer	8 —	8 —	10 12	10 12	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	14 —	...	12 8	...
Kishangarh	9 8	9 4	11 4	11 8	3 6	3 —	6 —	6 —	13 8	14 —	11 9	13 —
Tonk	8 8	9 —	12 6	12 6	4 8	4 8	5 10	5 10	14 —	13 8	...	...
Jaipur	9 3	9 3	13 —	12 —	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	14 10	14 10	12 9	13 1
Karauli	8 14½	9 6	12 13	14 6	6 14	6 14	7 13	7 8	15 —	15 —	12 13	12 8
Dholpur	9 —	9 10½	13 9½	13 9½	4 12	5 —	5 —	5 4	16 —	16 —	15 ½	15 7
Bharatpur	9 2	9 8	12 12	12 10	4 5	4 5	4 14	4 14	14 2	14 2	13 4	13 2
Alwar	10 2	9 8	13 2	13 4	4 8	4 12	5 14	5 14	14 6	14 12	13 2	13 12
Nasirabad	9 —	9 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	14 —	13 8	14 —	12 —
Western—												
Bikaner	9 4	9 8	12 8	12 —	4 12	4 8	6 12	6 8	14 8	14 8	12 8	13 —
Jaisalmer	7 6	8 4	...	...	4 6	4 8	5 8	5 10	9 10	10 2	9 6	9 5
Jodhpur	7 12 and 8 4	8 3	10 12	10 9	5 —	5 6	6 —	...	14 —	13 7	11 12 and 13 4	10 14 and 11 12
Central India—												
Indore	10 12	10 4	12 —	11 —	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	20 —	17 8	16 —	13 —
Neemuch	10 8	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	17 —	16 —	11 —	11 —
Gwalior	9 4	10 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 12	6 —	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	10 —	10 —	12 8	11 8	3 —	2 12	5 —	5 —	14 —	14 —	13 8	14 —
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	10 12	10 8	14 —	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	15 —	14 —	13 —
Ferozepur	10 8	10 4	14 8	14 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	11 8	11 8
Central—												
Lahore	10 4	10 4	13 4	13 4	...	...	7 12	7 8	12 12	12 12	11 —	8 12
Gujranwala	10 12	10 12	14 —	13 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	19 8	19 8	11 12	10 12
Gujrat	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 —	12 —	11 —	10 —
Jhelam	10 8	10 12	14 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	13 —	11 —	11 —

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												United Provinces— *continued*
												(a) Agra—*continued*
												Submontane, west—
...	...	17 —	14 —	13 8	18 8	19 —	16 —	9 8	10 —	16 —	16 —	Shahjahánpur
...	...	10 —	7 4	11 10	12 1	16 2	15 —	8 —	8 9	17 —	17 8	Budaun
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 8	...	...	8 —	8 8	16 4	16 4	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 8	16 14	9 8	8 11	16 13	15 12	Bareli
...	...	12 —	...	11 12	11 12	14 12	...	8 8	8 4	17 12	17 12	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	16 —	16 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 1	14 4	14 4	5 8	5 8	17 8	17 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	8 8	8 8	17 8	17 8	Sahâranpur
12 —	12 —	...	...	11 12	11 12	15 —	15 —	10 —	9 —	12 —	13 —	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	10 —	9 —	5 —	5 —	10 —	8 —	Naini Tal
7 4	7 —	...	...	7 12	7 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 8	8 —	Almora
...	...	...	...	...	5 —	...	...	...	4 —	...	6 —	Garhwál
												(b) Oudh—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	Partábgarh
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 8	...	...	10 4	10 4	12 8	12 8	Sultanpur
10 —	10 —	8 —	8 —	14 8	14 —	10 —	10 —	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 —	Rae-Bareli
...	...	15 8	16 —	18 4	18 12	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 8	16 8	Unao
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 —	16 —	...	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Lucknow
...	...	21 —	...	13 12	13 12	21 —	...	9 —	8 8	15 —	14 —	Hardoi
												Northern—
...	...	8 8	8 —	13 8	13 4	16 —	16 —	8 8	8 8	15 8	15 —	Fyzabad
16 8	14 —	17 —	11 11	16 2	16 —	17 —	11 —	9 3	9 3	15 12	15 8	Barabanki
...	...	8 8	...	14 8	14 8	14 8	15 —	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	Gonda
...	...	5 8	5 8	15 —	15 —	18 —	16 —	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	Bahraich
...	...	16 —	10 8	14 8	14 —	20 —	12 —	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	Sitapur
20 —	14 —	9 —	8 —	14 —	15 —	17 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	9 10	8 14	9 10	9 4	12 14	12 2	7 2	7 2	14 10	14 4	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	4 —	4 —	10 12	10 12	13 8	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	10 4	10 4	14 —	14 —	...	...	20 4	20 —	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 2	12 —	...	...	...	16 14	16 14	Tonk
...	...	11 —	11 —	11 — and 14 10	11 — and 15 2	15 2	15 2	10 —	10 —	20 —	20 —	Jaipur
...	...	...	...	10 5	11 4	16 4	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	Karauli
...	...	7 8	7 8	11 10	11 12	...	...	7 1½	7 4	17 15	17 15½	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	10 14	11 —	13 10	13 10	7 4	7 4	18 8	18 8	Bharatpur
...	...	9 8	9 8	11 13	11 9	16 —	15 11	12 4	12 8	21 4	21 4	Alwar
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	21 —	21 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 4	6 —	17 —	17 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	8 10	7 14	...	...	...	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	12 3	11 6	...	...	6 —	5 14	22 8	22 —	Jodhpur
												Central India—
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 —	22 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Indore
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Neemuch
...	...	15 —	15 —	12 8	12 12	...	...	8 15	8 15	17 —	16 —	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	19 12	19 12	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 8	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	14 —	14 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	10 8	9 4	13 4	13 4	18 8	18 8	8 —	7 13	17 —	17 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 8	16 —	12 —	...	...	16 —	14 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 8	14 —	14 —	5 12	5 12	18 —	17 —	Jhelam

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Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
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Punjab—*continued*												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	9 12	9 12	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	12 8	12 8
Rohtak	10 8	10 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	14 —	13 —	13 —
Karnál	10 10	10 10	14 —	13 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	18 —	...	...
Submontane—												
Ambala	10 6	10 6	12 —	12 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 12	9 12	9 12	9 12
Ludhiana	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	14 —	14 —	10 —	10 —
Jullundur	10 12	10 12	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	15 —	8 —	8 —
Hoshiárpur	11 4	11 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	14 —	14 —	10 —	10 —
Gurdáspur	11 8	11 —	12 8	12 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	15 —	15 —	...	...
Amritsar	10 12	10 10	14 4	13 —	...	...	7 4	7 —	15 4	16 —	9 12	9 8
Siálkot	11 —	10 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	13 —	...	...
Hills—												
Simla	8 12	9 —	10 12	11 —	...	...	6 8	6 4	10 —	10 12	9 4	9 4
Kángra	11 8	11 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	10 14	10 4	14 8	13 8	...	...	6 12	6 12	15 8	15 8	11 4	11 8
Attock	10 8	10 12	16 —	16 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	10 —	10 —
Western—												
Sháhpur	11 4	11 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	11 4	11 4
Jhang	10 4	10 4	12 4	12 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	15 4	13 12	12 —	12 —
Lyallpur	10 9	10 —	13 4	12 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	19 8	13 12	...	...
Multan	10 4	10 8	12 4	11 12	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 12	11 12	11 12	11 12
Montgomery	10 4	10 4	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 8	6 —	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —
Muzaffargarh	10 4	10 4	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	10 —	10 —	12 8	12 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	9 8	8 12	10 —	10 —
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	9 10	9 7	15 4	15 4	3 9	3 9	6 14	6 14	...	...	8 —	8 —
Peshâwar	11 —	10	16 10	16 —	4 9	4 9	6 8	6 8	16 14	15 —	10 6	10 —
Kohát	9 10	9 10	14 4	14 3	3 9	3 9	8 7	7 10	14 —	13 11	11 11	11 —
Bannu	11 12	11 6	17 8	15 15	4 2	4 2	7 3	7 3	13 12	12 8	11 9	10 10
Dera Ismael Khan	9 —	9 —	12 4	12 6	3 7	3 7	6 2	6 2	12 8	10 —	12 8	12 8
Tochi	12 —	12 —	22 —	22 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Kurram	11 —	11 8	19 —	19 —	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	10 8	10 8	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	8 2	8 7	11 4	11 4	2 15	3 —	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	8 —	8 —	.	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	10 8	10 —
Hyderabad	8 —	8 8	...	...	6 8	6 —	7 8	7 —	12 —	11 8	11 —	10 8
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	9 4	9 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	13 —	11 —	11 —	10 4
Shikárpur	9 4	9 —	...	...	5 4	5 12	5 12	6 4	12 8	12 —	12 —	11 8
Upper Sind Frontier	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	6 12	6 12	11 8	12 —	12 8	12 —
Quetta	8 4 to 8 7½	8 2 to 8 9	10 4	10 4	8 1	8 —	6 4	6 —	11 9	10 14	10 1½	9 12
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 13	6 13	...	...	5 8	5 8	7 14	7 14	12 8	12 8	10 12	10 12
Ratnagiri	6 3	6 3	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 3	7 3	10 9	10 9	9 7	9 7
Alibág	6 5	6 5	...	...	6 1	6 1	6 12	6 12	...	...	8 5	8 5
Bombay	*7 10	*7 10	...	...	4 13	4 13	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	8 15	8 15
Thanna	8 13	8 13	...	...	6 6	6 6	6 15	6 15	12 7	12 7	10 15	10 15
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	11 3	11 3	...	...	7 12	7 12	8 10	8 10	18 14	18 14	13 2	13 2
Belgaum	10 1	9 9	...	...	7 10	7 6	8 10	8 1	16 10	16 1	15 15	15 15
Satara	9 —	9 —	...	...	5 3	5 8	5 14	6 3	14 11	14 11	12 13	12 13
Sholapur	8 13	8 12	...	...	6 15	6 15	7 9	7 9	18 2	18 2	12 10	11 11
Bijapur	11 9	11 9	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 13	7 13	18 10	18 10	18 2	18 2
Poona	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 5	6 11	6 11	15 10	...	10 13	10 13
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	9 9	9 9	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	16 8	16 8	12 10	12 10
Násik	10 5	10 5	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	...	...	10 4	10 4
Dhulia	...	9 4	...	...	6 6	5 15	7 6	6 8	18 13	18 18	12 —	12 —
Jalgaon	8 7	8 —	...	...	6 10	6 10	7 7	7 8	17 8	17 4	13 2	12 4
Gujarat—												
Surat	7 6	7 6	...	...	5 5	5 5	7 6	7 6	12 15	12 8	10 3	10 3
Broach	7 8	7 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —
Kaira	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	10 —
Baroda	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	10 —	8 12
Ahmedabad	8 8	8 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	14 —	12 —	11 8	10 8
Godhra	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	13 8	12 —
Disa	9 4	9 8	...	...	4 12	4 12	5 4	5 4	13 —	13 —	10 8	10 8
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	9 —	9 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 8	5 8	11 —	11 —	9 8	9 8
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	9 9	10 2	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	20 10	20 10	...	...
Hoshangabad	10 8	9 11	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	17 6	17 6	...	...
Betul	10 2	10 2	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 11	7 11	19 11	19 11	...	...
Chhindwara	10 10	11 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 12	8 2	21 6	21 6	...	...
Nagpur	10 3	10 3	...	...	5 3	5 3	9 2	9 2	15 7	15 7	...	...
Wardha	11 4	11 4	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 15	8 15	19 3	19 3	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
..		.	...	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	8 —	8 —	20 -	20 —	Gurgáon
..	-	..	.	13 8	13	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Rohtak
...		..	...	14 —	13 8	16 —	16 —	8 —	8	15 —	17 —	Karnál
												Submontane—
15 8	15 8	9 12	9 12	12 8	12 12	15 —	15 —	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	Ambala
...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	17 8	17 8	5 -	5 —	16 —	16 —	Ludhiána
.	...	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 8	15 —	14 8	.	...	16 8	16 —	Jullundur
..	...	...	..	13 —	13 —	17 —	17 —	...	.	14 —	14 —	Hoshiárpur
.	...	8 —	8 —	11 8	11 12	14 8	14 —		...	15 .	14 8	Gurdáspur
.	...	9 12	10 4	12 8	12 12	15 8	12 12	7 12	7 2	18 —	18 —	Amritsar
	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	.	...	16 —	17 -	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 8	14 —	14 —	5 4	5 —	10 —	11 —	Simla
...	..	...	...	9 8	9 12	16 —	16 —	6 —	5 8	11 4	12 4	Kángra
												Northern—
...		...	...	11 8	11 8	14 4	13 12	6 —	6 —	15 —	17 —	Ráwalpindi
...	..	...	...	12 —	12 —	14 8	14 8	5 12	5 12	18 —	20 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 —	14 —	15 —	6 —	6 —	18 —	17 12	Sháhpur
13 —	13 —	11 8	11 8	11 12	11 12	15 12	14 8	...	...	14 8	17 —	Jhang
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	19 8	18 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Lyallpur
...	.	9 8	9 8	12 —	11 12	14 8	15 8	6 12	6 12	10 —	19 —	Multan
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 8	16 8	Montgomery
..		...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Muzaffargarh
...	..	...	...	11 4	12 —	5 —	5 —	4 6	4 6	17 8	16 —	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province—
..	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	15 4	14 12	...	..	13 8	15 —	Hazára
.	...	8 13	9 2	11 6	11 —	15 4	15 —	8 8	8 7	20 13	22 —	Pesháwar
...	..	10 —	10 —	10 11	10 14	13 1	13 1	...		22 15	23 10	Kohát
..	...	...	...	12 —	11 13	18 12	17 8	...	..	25 —	26 4	Bannu
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	11 4	11 4	...	...	25 —	25 —	Dera Ismail Khan
..	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	.	.	20 —	20 —	Tochi
...	..	...	...	8 8	8 8	15 —	15 —	..	.	14 —	14 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	10 —	...	13 —	12 8	...	..	15 —	15 —	Malakand
...	..	...	..	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	..		...	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan—
...	..	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 —	6 8	20 —	20 —	Karáchi
...		...	...	10 8	10 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	19 —	19 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 12	10 —	...	...	...	.	16 —	16 —	Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	..	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	10 9	10 8	8 11 to 10 11	8 11 to 10 11	4 8 to 5 8	4 11 to 5 9½	14 1	13 8	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
14 6	14 6	...	...	9 —	9 —	..	...	6 3	6 3	16 14	16 14	Karwar
10 13	10 13	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	6 5	6 5	18 3	18 3	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 5	7 3	17 9	17 9	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	.	9 10	9 5	...	..	6 2	6 2	15 10	15 10	Bombay
10 12	10 12	...	..	9 6	9 6		.	5 15	5 15	17 14	17 14	Thanna
												Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	10 5	10 5	...	...	7 15	...	13 4	13 4	Dharwar
16 13	16 13	...	...	11 9	11 —	...	...	8 5	7 5	16 14	16 14	Belgaum
..	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	...	..	8 8	8 8	15 4	15 4	Satara
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 8	...	...	7 9	7 9	16 8	16 8	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 14	...	...	7 14	7 14	17 11	17 11	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	6 14	6 14	17 1	18 3	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 5	..	...	7 —	7 —	16 4	16 4	Ahmednagar
14 6	14 6	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 11	16 11	Násik
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 12	...	...	7 9	7 9	14 —	14 —	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 15	10 8	...	...	7 14	7 7	17 10	18 —	Jalgáon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	5 12	5 12	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	..	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	21 5	21 5	Broach
13 8	12 8	...	...	10 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	24 —	24 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 8	..	...	5 8	5 8	22	21 —	Ahmedabad
15 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	6 —	6 —	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
..	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	..	...	6 8	6 8	80 —	90 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	7 7	7 7	15 12	15 12	Nimar
...	...	...	...	14 15	14 15	...	...	9 2	9 2	16 —	16 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	11 13	11 8	...	...	7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	10 2	10 11	...	...	7 15	7 15	13 —	13 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 15	7 15	14 —	14 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 6	9 6	17 —	17 —	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF SEPTEMBER 1916—*concluded*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Central Provinces—*continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	9 9	9 14	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 13	6 13	16 —	16 —	...	...
Saugor	10 —	9 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 4	8 4	16 8	16 8		...
Damoh	10 12	10 4	...	..	6 11	6 11	7 11	7 11	19 8	18 5	.	...
Jubbulpore	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	6 —	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Mandla	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	9 7	9 7	...	...	...	...
Seoni	10 8	10 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bálághát	9 15	9 4	...	...	5 7	5 7	9 10	9 10	...	.	...	...
Bhandára	10 6	9 13	...	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	19 —	17 13	...	...
Chánda	9 6	9 6	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	17 13	17 13	...	...
Eastern—												
Biláspur	10 11	10 11	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 11	10 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Drug	10 —	11 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 7	6 14	21 10	23 —	...	...
Akola	9 11	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	9 —	21 —	21 —	...	...
Amráoti	9 12	9 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	20 4	20 4	...	...
Yeotmal	9 15	9 15	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 3	9 11	20 8	19 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	8 9	7 15	8 12	9 —	4 3	4 1	8 2	8 2	13 11	13 12	16 2	17 4
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	..	...	...	..	...	...	7 14	7 11	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	..	...	...	...	6 —	6 14	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	..	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	12 15	12 15	10 4	10 4
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	.	...	7 11	7 11		17 11	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	16 10	16 10	.	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	13 7	13 7
Karnul	...	...	...	..	...	...	8 4	8 4	16 8	16 1	...	...
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	..
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godávari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	19 —	16 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 6	11 6	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 1	13 1	11 8	12 —
Nellore	...	...	...	...	..	...	9 14	9 14	12 8	12 8	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	..	...	...	..	...	6 12	6 15	.	...	...	...
Chingleput	...		...	.	...	..	6 12	7 2	...	...	..	...
N. Arcot	...	..	...	..	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	..	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	11 3	10 15
Tanjore		...	...	..	...	.	7 7	7 7	...	...	12 5	12 5
Trichinopoly	..	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 13	12 6	11 10	10 15
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 15	13 5	11 5	11 10
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 —	11 —	9 9	9 9
Mysore—												
Mysore	...	7 8	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Bangalore	7 —	7 —	6 10	6 10	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	14 —	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	5 8	5 4	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Aden	4 10	5 1	...	...	4 7	4 9	4 9	4 15	8 10	8 10	8 —	8 —

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces—*continued*
												Central—
...		...		13 8	13 8	...		7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	.	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	16 —	16 —	Saugor
...	..	...	.	14 5	14 15	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 —	14 —	Damoh
..	...	...	..	11 4	11 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	16 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 1	...	.	6 8	6 8	14 —	14 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 —	14 —	14 —	Seoni
...	...	.	...	11 8	10 14	...	...	7 13	7 2	13 2	13 2	Bálághát
..	..	..	...	10 3	10 3	...	...	7 4	7 9	13 2	13 2	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	8 2	8 2	14 14	14 14	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	...	...	.	11 11	11 11	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 11	10 11	Biláspur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 8	13 8	Raipur
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	..	7 8	7 8	13 8	13 8	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	..	13 9	13 9	...	...	7 11	7 11	14 5	14 5	Buldána
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	.	8 6	8 6	14 —	14 —	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	12 2	...	...	9 12	9 12	18 —	18 8	Amráoti
...	...	...	..	10 6	10 6	...	.	9 1	9 1	14 13	14 13	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad—
19 4	19 1	...	...	10 6	10 8	...	...	11 5	11 12	12 13	12 14	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 12	15 13	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 11	17 4	S. Canara
												South, central—
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 7	16 7	Coimbatore
...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	12 13	12 13	Nilgiris
...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 3	16 3	Salem
												Central—
16 13	15 13	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	16 14	16 14	Bellary
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	15 10	15 10	Anantapur
16 11	16 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	14 —	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
12 13	12 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 2	15 —	Ganjam
13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Vizagapatam
14 14	14 14	...	..	..	...	.	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
12 13	12 13	...	..	...	...	..	...	.	...	20 2	17 10	Guntur
13 6	13 6	...		...	...	...	...	...	..	18 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 —	12 5	...	...		...	.	...	...	...	22 14	22 15	Madras
11 10	12 5	...	...		...	..	..	.	...	20 —	20 —	Chingleput
14 13	14 13	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	18 2	17 10	N. Arcot
12 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	..	...	...	...		...	...		...	...	Tanjore
14 1	13 5	...		...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
15 3	14 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	20 3	Tinnevelly
13 11	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 6	19 6	Madura
												Mysore—
16 —	16 —	...	..	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Mysore
16 —	16 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	..	...	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
17 8	17 —	...	...	17 —	15 —	...	..	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	Coorg
...	...	...	...	7 7	8 —	...	...	6 3	6 3	32 —	32 —	**Aden**—

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

TARIFF VALUATION OF SUGAR.

The following statement shows in respect of each of the descriptions of sugar distinguished in the Tariff Schedule II (excepting molasses and all other kinds of sugar), *first*, the total imports into India in the month of September 1916, and the average value per cwt. as calculated on the returns received from the Customs Houses; and, *secondly*, a running total showing the total imports into India since the beginning of the year (1st October to 30th September) and the average net value per cwt. so far established. It is published in conformity with the procedure laid down in Customs Circular No. V of 1911, in order to enable merchants to compute the probable rate of duty for the year 1917:—

Description of sugar.	Imported during the month of September 1916.		Imported since 1st October 1915.	
	Quantity	Average net value per cwt.	Quantity.	Average net value per cwt.
	Cwt.	R a.	Cwt.	R a.
Sugar, crystallised, beet	...	...	519*	16 12
" " and soft, refined in China	1,780	17 0	217,076	16 8
" " " " from Japan	..	...	110,916	16 0
" " " " from Egypt	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Java, 23 Dutch Standard and above.	584,287	17 4	5,444,213	16 4
" " " " from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch Standard.	202,413	15 8	2,526,304	14 8
" " " " from Java, 15 Dutch Standard and under.	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Mauritius equal to 16 Dutch Standard and over.	9,892	15 4	723,773	16 4

* Includes 308 cwt., being the imports by prize vessels.

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CALCUTTA:
The 18th October 1916.

WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE FIRST HALF OF SEPTEMBER 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
October 17, 1916.

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Director of Statistics.

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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914. Rs. A. P.	15th August 1914. Rs. A. P.	31st August 1914. Rs. A. P.	15th September 1914. Rs. A. P.	30th September 1914. Rs. A. P.	15th October 1914. Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 11 6
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5
	Aligarh	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)*	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5
	Index Numbers (a).	100	100	102	103	104	105

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

NOTE—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs.

Fortnight ending										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0
3 12 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0
4 13 6	5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4
4 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5
5 5 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5
3 11 6	3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121

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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915. Rs.	A.	P.	30th April 1915. Rs.	A.	P.	15th May 1915. Rs.	A.	P.	31st May 1915. Rs.	A.	P.	15th June 1915. Rs.	A.	P.	30th June 1915. Rs.	A.	P.
Port	Karachi (White)*	5	4	3	4	12	3	4	7	9	4	9	3	4	5	3	4	4	3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy).	4	15	2	4	11	1	4	12	7	4	15	2	4	9	10	...		
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5	3	6	4	13	0	4	6	0	4	9	0	4	6	6	4	8	0
Punjab	Lahore	4	13	6	4	3	3	3	7	6	3	13	0	3	11	6	3	11	6
	Ferozepur	5	0	0	4	0	0	3	10	0	3	14	3	3	13	0	3	13	0
	Lyallpur	4	10	0	4	1	0	3	11	0	3	14	6	3	9	0	3	12	0
	Amritsar	5	0	0	4	8	0	3	7	9	3	12	3	3	12	0	3	12	0
	Multan	4	6	0	3	13	0	3	7	6	3	14	0	3	11	6	3	10	0
	Rawalpindi	4	8	0	4	6	6	3	10	0	3	13	6	3	13	6	3	14	0
	Ambala	5	4	0	3	12	0	3	14	0	3	15	6	3	15	6	3	15	6
Delhi	Delhi	5	0	0	4	7	1	4	1	6	4	3	0	4	3	0	4	3	0
United Provinces	Benares	4	15	3	4	13	11	4	8	8	4	7	6	4	5	0	4	6	5
	Aligarh	4	8	8	4	3	6	4	0	2	3	14	1	3	14	5	4	3	5
	Cawnpore	4	9	0	4	5	0	4	4	0	4	5	0	4	5	0	4	7	0
	Meerut	4	8	6	4	0	0	3	14	6	3	14	6	3	13	0	3	13	0
	Shahjahanpur	4	5	0	4	2	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
	Agra	4	11	3	4	7	1	3	12	11	4	5	2	4	4	8	4	9	1
	Fyzabad	4	9	2	4	5	6	4	5	0	4	7	0	4	9	0	4	9	0
	Lucknow	4	5	3	4	5	3	4	2	6	4	4	3	4	7	1	4	7	1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4	5	0	4	5	0	4	1	11	4	3	5	4	3	6	4	5	0
	Jubbulpore	4	8	2	4	8	2	4	3	7	4	5	2	4	5	2	4	8	2
	Raipur	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	4	10	4	4	10
	Akola	4	6	0	4	9	0	4	8	10	4	2	10	4	2	10	3	15	7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4	8	7	4	8	7	3	11	6	3	4	6	3	8	10	3	8	10
Baluchistan	Quetta	5	2	0	4	15	6	4	13	6	4	11	2	4	10	0	4	7	3
Bombay	Poona	5	7	10	5	6	2	5	10	6	5	6	2	5	1	11	5	1	4
	Ahmednagar	4	[illegible]	1	...			4	11	11	4	10	1	4	8	4	4	10	1
	Ahmedabad	4	14	0	4	14	0	4	14	0	4	14	0	4	10	0	4	12	0
	Dharwar	3	3	5	3	7	0	3	10	6	3	8	1	3	7	0	3	11	9
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4	6	0	4	9	0	4	7	0	4	6	0	4	6	0	4	6	0
	Bhagalpur	4	8	0	4	8	0	4	7	0	4	8	0	4	10	0	4	8	0
	Muzaffarpur	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	4	7	0	4	7	0	4	7	0
	Ranchi	4	12	0	4	14	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	4	0	5	8	0
	Cuttack	4	11	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	4	11	3
Bengal	Dacca	...			...			...			...			...			...		
	Rangpur	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5
	Mandalay	4	12	5	4	12	5	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7
	Median Average)	4	11	8	4	8	0	4	4	0	4	5	2	4	5	0	4	6	2
	Index Numbers (a)	114			109			103			104			104			106		

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82$\frac{2}{7}$ lbs—*contd.*

FORTNIGHT ENDING									
15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 6 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0
...	...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4
4 12 0	4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0
4 0 0	4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0
4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0
3 14 0	4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6
4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0
4 5 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0
4 6 5	4 6 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3
4 9 4	4 7 5	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0
4 3 6	4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0
4 2 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3
4 7 1	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4
4 9 6	4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8
4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 5 10	4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7
4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7
4 7 2	4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5
3 15 7	3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10
3 13 4	4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2
4 0 5	3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6
5 4 1	5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11
4 13 9	4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8
4 12 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4
3 8 1	3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 11 11	3 12 1	3 11 11	3 15 9
4 8 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 8 0	4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0
4 10 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0
4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7
4 7 1	4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7
107	108	114	111	114	116	115	117	118	117

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 [illegible]
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0
Punjab	Lahore	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3
	Ferozepur	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3
	Lyallpur	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0
	Amritsar	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0
	Multan	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0
	Ambala	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0
Delhi	Delhi	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9
	Aligarh	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7
	Cawnpore	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6
	Meerut	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0
	Agra	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3
	Fyzabad	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0
	Lucknow	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7
	Jubbulpore	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4
	Raipur	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	...	4 6 5	4 0 0
	Akola	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6
Bombay	Poona	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...
	Ahmednagar	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 3 4
	Amedabad	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0
	Dharwar	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0
	Bhagalpur	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
	Ranchi	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0
	Cuttack	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3
Bengal	Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7
	(Median Average)	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2
	Index Numbers (b)	117	118	117	117	114	113

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

(a) Prices at ports after 1st September 1916.

Ports	Rate per	On 22nd September 1916.	On 29th September 1916.	On 6th October 1916.	On 13th October 1916.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 4 3	4 4 3	4 4 3	4 7 3
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy.)	"	4 7 3	4 5 10	4 3 1	4 5 10
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	4 4 6	4 4 6	...	4 4 6

(b) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82 2/7 lbs—*concld.*

Fortnight ending 15th March 1916. Rs. A. P.	31st March 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th April 1916. Rs. A. P.	30th April 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th May 1916. Rs. A. P.	31st May 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th June 1916 Rs. A. P.	30th June 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th July 1916. Rs. A. P.	31st July 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th August 1916. Rs. A. P.	31st August 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th September 191 Rs. A. P.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th September 1916 compared with preceding fortnight. Per cent
4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	—2
4 8 2	4 6 9	4 3 9	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	—1
4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	+2
4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	*Nil*
3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	—2
3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	—6
3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	—2
3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	+3
4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3*	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	*Nil*
4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	*Nil*
4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	*Nil*
4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	+2
4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	*Nil*
4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	—2
3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6	—2
4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	*Nil*
4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	*Nil*
4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	+1
3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	*Nil*
3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	—5
4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	—1
4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	+2
4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	*Nil*
3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	..	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	—3
4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	—4
3 2 8	3 0 10	2 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	—11
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	—3
5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	—4
5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	—3
5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	*Nil*
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	+10
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 12 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	+5
4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11*	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
101	95	92	92	92	92	92	90	93	92	94	97	97	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th September as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915:—

	1916. 31st August.	1916. 15th September.	1916. Increase or Decrease.	1915. 31st August.	1915. 15th September.	1915. Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	100	*Nil*	100	103	+3
Punjab . .	100	100	*Nil*	100	105	+5
United Provinces .	100	100	*Nil*	100	102	+2
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	100	*Nil*	100	100	*Nil*

B—Retail prices of Wheat in India.

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5¼	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109

Note.—These statistics are entirely compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8
7 8	6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12
9 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12
10 0	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12
10 4	9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0
9 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4
9 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12
9 12	7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 1	7 0	6 0
8 8	8 6	8 1½	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4
8 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0
8 8	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0
8 12	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14
9 8	8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4
9 8	8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2
8 4	8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15
8 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4
9 8	8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0
7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2
9 13	9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2¼	7 4¼	7 1	7 8¼
6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2
7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0
10 0	9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8
9 0	8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8
8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0
7 14	7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9
7 8	7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12
112	120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 0	9 0	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12
	Ferozepur	8 0	9 8	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12
	Amritsar	7 14	8 8	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0
	Rawalpindi	8 12	8 14	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12
	Lyallpur	8 8	9 8	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12
	Multan	9 0	10 4	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4
	Ambala	7 8	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6
Delhi	Delhi	7 12	9 0	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0
United Provinces.	Benares	7 13	7 13	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8
	Cawnpore	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Meerut	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8
	Agra	8 0	8 8	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Lucknow	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	8 2	8 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4
	Shahjahanpur	8 12	9 10	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14
	Fyzabad	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 15	8 15	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Akola	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	7 13	8 1	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0
Bombay	Poona	6 13	7 2	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8
	Bhagalpur	8 12	8 14	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	8 14
	Muzaffarpur	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0
	Cuttack	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5
	(Median Average)	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers(a)	116	112	106	106	108	109	112

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* [**The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.**]

Fortnight ending.										
31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8
10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 13	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12
8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0
8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4
8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4
9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0
8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14
8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6
9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11
10 2	9 13¾	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8	9 0½	8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½
7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3
7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14
8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0
10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0
8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4
7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14
8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
112	116	116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th January 1916. sr. ch.	31st January 1916. sr. ch.	15th February 1916. sr. ch.	29th February 1916. sr. ch.	15th March 1916. sr. ch.	31st March 1916. sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Bombay*	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0
	Ferozepore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0
	Amritsar	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8
	Rawalpindi	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4
	Lyallpur	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0
	Multan	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8
	Ambala	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8
Delhi	Delhi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8
United Provinces	Benares	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1
	Cawnpore	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	9 8
	Meerut	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0
	Agra	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12
	Lucknow	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0
	Aligarh	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12
	Shahjahanpur	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0
	Fyzabad	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0
	Jubbulpore	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4
	Raipur	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4
	Akola	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11
Bombay	Poona	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12
	Muzaffarpur	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8
	Ranchi	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8
	Cuttack	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4
	(Median Average)	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 0½	10 0
	Index Numbers (a)	120	120	118	116	106	96

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*concld.* **[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]**

Fortnight ending: 15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th September 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	*Nil*
7 5	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	*Nil*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11 0	11 8	10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	*Nil*
11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	−2
11 8	11 12	12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	−1
10 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	*Nil*
12 8	13 0	12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	−5
11 12	12 4	12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	+2
10 12	11 8	11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	*Nil*
9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
9 8	8 15	...	9 12	9 12	..	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	+1
10 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
10 8	11 0	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	−2
9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	*Nil*
10 8	11 0	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	*Nil*
10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	−3
10 10	11 12	12 8	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	*Nil*
10 2	10 4	11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	−1
10 0	9 11	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	*Nil*
10 12	11 4	11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	*Nil*
9 7	10 8	10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	+11
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	−9
9 4½	9 1	9 1	9 0¾	9 0	9 0	9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 1	+1
8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	*Nil*
9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	*Nil*
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	−8
11 5	11 5	10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3	*Nil*
10 0	10 0	10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	*Nil*
10 12	10 0	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	−5
10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
8 0	8 0	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	−5
9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	*Nil*
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	+6
10 0	10 0	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	−1
96	96	92	96	96	92	94	96	96	98	97	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th September as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915 :—

	1916.			1915.		
	31st August.	15th September	Increase or Decrease, Per cent.	31st August.	15th September.	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	99	−1	100	100	*Nil*
Punjab . .	100	99	−1	100	106	+6
United Provinces.	100	99	−1	100	100	*Nil*
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	102	+2	100	100	*Nil*

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	KARACHI. White (5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red). Price.	KARACHI. White. Index Numbers.	KARACHI. Red (5% barley, 3% dirt and 92% red). Price.	KARACHI. Red. Index Numbers.	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissy). Price.	Bombay. Index Numbers.	Calcutta (Club No. 2). Price.	Calcutta. Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9½	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	..
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	..	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 29th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 9th " "	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	33 11	95
" 16th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8	94
" 23rd " "	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 2	92
" 30th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
" 21st " "	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8	94
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96
" 4th August "	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 18th " "	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 25th " "	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " "	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	96
" 8th September "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
" 15th " "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½	98
" 22nd " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 29th " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 5th October "	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...	...
" 13th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grad[es] taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi.		Red Karachi.		Delhi.		Choice White Bombay.		Club No. 1.		Club No. 2	
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	In[dex] Nu[m]be[rs]
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-August.	100	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	..	...
1st August „	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	..
1st October „	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	..
4th November „	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
3rd December „	50 6	128	50 0	100		...	...	...	...	...	...	..
16th „ „	Nominal	...	...	..	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	.	..	50 6 April-May sellers.	10
30th „ „	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	10
8th January 1915	52 3 May-June.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	..	...	...	53 6 Do.	10
4th February „	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	..	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	..
25th „ „	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April	12
4th March „	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...		...	59 6 April-May.	11
8th April „	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	12
6th May „	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	..	...	...	65 0 Do.	12
12th „ „	68 9 Do.	161	63 3 June-July.	126	64 3 Do.	127	68 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June „	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	12
2nd July „	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
23rd „ „	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August „	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	11
27th „ „	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	11
3rd September „	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th September 1915 to 18th April 1916.	No sellers	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd June „	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9th „ „	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..
17th „ „	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd „ „	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
27th „ „	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 29th June to 7th July 1916.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-August.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	59 0 July-August.	149	58 6 July-August sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	61 3 July-August sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
4th August „	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th „ „	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th „ „	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..
25th „ „	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st „ „	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September „	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th „ „	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	71 0 Oct. sellers.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October „	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th „ „	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...

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NOTIFICATION.

No. 10307-W.-II.

Simla, the 23rd October, 1916.

In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Defence of India (Wool) Rules, 1916, published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 5134-W.-II., dated the 28th June 1916, namely:—

At the commencement of rule 3 *before* the word " No " the words " Save as otherwise provided in this rule," shall be inserted and *after* the words " the Dhond-Baramati Railway " the following words shall be inserted, namely :—" the Bengal and North Western, Oudh and Rohilkhand and Rohilkhund and Kumaun Railways (the prohibition in the case of these three railways extends to Thibet wool only)."

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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No. B. R.-1260.—Preliminary Account of Receipts and Disbursements of the Government of India for the first five months of 1916-1917 as compared with the corresponding period of 1915-1916.

ENGLAND.						RECEIPTS.	INDIA.					
WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO AUGUST.					WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO AUGUST.			
Preliminary Accounts, 1915-1916.	Budget, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.		Preliminary Accounts, 1915-1916.	Budget, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
£	£	£	£	£	£	**Revenue.**	R	R	R	R	R	R
						PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Land Revenue (including that due to Irrigation)	36,03,07,000	35,43,87,000	11,64,43,000	11,04,07,000	...	60,36,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Opium	2,74,47,000	3,43,04,000	1,07,94,000	1,75,28,000	67,34,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Salt	5,46,18,000	5,98,14,000	1,62,61,000	2,35,47,000	72,86,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Stamps	7,96,14,000	8,22,57,000	3,39,59,000	3,60,04,000	20,45,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Excise	12,92,16,000	12,82,70,000	5,21,31,000	5,44,95,000	23,64,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Customs	8,78,96,000	11,54,70,000	3,42,34,000	4,89,68,000	1,47,34,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Other Heads	7,92,51,000	9,18,10,000	2,62,57,000	3,32,98,000	70,41,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL PRINCIPAL HEADS	81,83,49,000	86,63,12,000	29,00,79,000	32,42,47,000	3,41,68,000	...
204,100	326,200	81,100	310,600	229,500	...	Interest	1,30,41,000	1,27,37,000	53,77,000	48,50,000	...	5,27,000
19,200	21,300	17,600	300	...	17,300	Posts and Telegraphs and Mint	5,39,30,000	5,89,28,000	2,19,50,000	2,45,91,000	26,41,000	...
1,100	1,300	300	400	100	...	Receipts by Civil Departments	2,34,96,000	2,32,28,000	86,49,000	89,60,000	3,11,000	...
66,000	60,000	39,800	20,200	...	19,600	Miscellaneous	65,33,000	75,77,000	25,73,000	32,71,000	6,98,000	...
74,500	72,300	69,900	178,600	108,700	...	Railways	56,97,49,000	56,38,61,000	23,12,53,000	25,46,42,000	2,33,89,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Irrigation (excluding Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	4,23,31,000	4,71,56,000	2,20,51,000	2,31,81,000	11,30,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Other Public Works	41,88,000	40,45,000	16,92,000	19,73,000	2,81,000	...
339,900	314,700	128,700	132,600	3,900	...	Military Receipts	1,17,06,000	1,27,68,000	40,81,000	50,76,000	9,95,000	...
704,800	795,800	337,400	642,700	305,300	...	TOTAL REVENUE	1,54,33,23,000	1,59,66,12,000	58,77,05,000	65,07,91,000	6,30,86,000	...
						Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Capital subscribed by Native States towards outlay on State Railways.	10,00,000	10,00,000	10,00,000	...	...	10,00,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Capital of Railway Companies (net Receipts)	1,29,34,000	19,64,000	70,75,000	3,64,000	...	67,11,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL	1,39,34,000	29,64,000	80,75,000	3,64,000	...	77,11,000
						Debt, Deposits and Advances.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Permanent Debt (net incurred)	4,93,32,000	6,48,32,000	4,38,93,000	6,16,43,000	1,77,50,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Temporary do. (do.)	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Unfunded do. (do.)	60,04,000	38,21,000	59,08,000	76,60,000	17,52,000	...
5,789,400	1,234,400	204,000	468,600	264,600	...	Deposits and Advances (net)	...	...	1,33,71,000	37,81,000	...	95,90,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans and advances by Imperial Government	88,18,000	31,00,000	20,34,000	30,54,000	10,20,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. by Provincial Governments	2,38,57,000	1,97,50,000	1,16,39,000	92,01,000	...	24,38,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans to Local Boards	1,16,000	1,20,000	...	...	...	...
21,427,900	17,092,800	10,398,600	5,207,800	...	5,190,800	Remittances (net)	...	...	...	...	...	...
4,590,100	3,885,000	2,624,600	3,259,200	1,234,600	...	Secretary of State's bills drawn	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Drafts on London (net)	7,00,20,000	...	7,26,45,000	...	...	7,26,45,000
31,807,400	22,211,700	12,627,200	8,935,600	...	3,691,600	TOTAL	15,81,47,000	9,16,23,000	14,94,90,000	8,53,39,000	...	6,41,51,000
32,512,200	23,007,500	12,964,600	9,578,300	...	3,386,300	TOTAL RECEIPTS	1,71,54,04,000	1,69,11,99,000	74,52,70,000	73,64,94,000	...	87,76,000
7,913,200	14,475,500	7,913,200	12,803,300	4,890,100	...	Opening Balance	22,16,90,000	17,17,79,000	22,16,90,000	18,02,41,000	...	4,14,49,000
40,425,400	37,483,000	20,877,800	22,381,600	1,503,800	...	GRAND TOTAL	1,93,70,94,000	1,86,29,78,000	96,69,60,000	91,67,35,000	...	5,02,25,000

ENGLAND.						DISBURSEMENTS.	INDIA.					
WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO AUGUST.					WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO AUGUST.			
Accounts, 1915-1916.	Budget, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.		Preliminary Accounts, 1915-1916.	Budget, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
£	£	£	£	£	£	**Expenditure.**	R	R	R	R	R	R
98,300	96,600	42,100	40,000	...	2,100	Direct Demands on the Revenues	13,64,32,000	14,03,10,000	6,33,00,000	6,25,14,000	...	7,86,000
2,316,600	2,227,300	1,033,800	999,400	...	34,400	Interest (including in India that on Capital Expenditure on Railways and Irrigation Works)	5,96,63,000	6,83,87,000	2,65,54,000	2,66,75,000	1,21,000	...
150,000	329,100	31,500	81,800	50,300	...	Posts and Telegraphs and Mint	3,83,87,000	4,89,70,000	1,73,07,000	1,58,11,000	...	14,96,000
382,800	424,000	127,300	170,400	43,100	...	Salaries and Expenses of Civil Departments	28,08,40,000	28,37,39,000	11,23,23,000	11,38,08,000	14,85,000	...
2,456,000	2,424,800	1,024,500	1,038,300	13,800	...	Miscellaneous Civil Charges	4,14,24,000	4,28,78,000	1,64,91,000	1,77,47,000	12,56,000	...
5,600	21,100	4,100	...	...	4,100	Famine Relief and Insurance	93,77,000	1,46,84,000	35,98,000	39,29,000	3,31,000	...
9,378,200	9,481,300	4,642,900	4,841,700	198,800	...	Railway Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on capital Expenditure)	30,84,38,000	31,54,34,000	13,15,41,000	12,99,55,000	...	15,86,000
127,600	127,600	61,300	64,200	2,900	...	Irrigation Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on Capital Expenditure)	3,29,58,000	3,39,21,000	1,27,44,000	1,22,96,000	...	4,48,000
49,800	39,500	15,500	21,200	5,700	...	Other Public Works	7,92,31,000	7,05,71,000	3,17,82,000	2,35,90,000		81,92,000
5,143,000	4,691,700	2,093,600	2,153,800	60,200	...	Military Services	19,27,26,000	26,46,13,000	7,55,83,000	7,86,07,000	30,24,000	...
20,107,900	19,863,000	9,076,600	9,410,800	334,200	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE, IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL	1,18,15,06,000	1,30,35,07,000	49,12,23,000	48,49,32,000	...	62,91,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	*Add*—Provincial Surpluses, that is portion of allotments to Provincial Governments not spent by them in the year	...	+2,07,000	...	...	...	...
...	...	...		...	...	*Deduct*—Provincial Deficits, that is portion of Provincial Expenditure defrayed from Provincial balances	...	—54,96,000	..	...	...	...
20,107,900	19,863,000	9,076,600	9,410,800	334,200	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE CHARGED AGAINST REVENUE	1,18,15,06,000	1,29,82,18,000	49,12,23,000	48,49,32,000	...	62,91,000
						Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.						
888,000	775,500	520,100	167,500	...	352,600	Capital outlay on Railways and Irrigation Works	1,88,71,000	4,38,52,000	—1,83,66,000	1,03,31,000	2,86,97,000	...
1,017,800	410,200	594,500	170,000	...	424,500	Capital of Railway Companies (net payments)	...	...	...	...	...	...
9,900	51,300	4,200	10,900	6,700	...	Initial expenditure on new Capital at Delhi	48,14,000	33,30,000	22,26,000	19,04,000	...	3,22,000
1,915,700	1,237,000	1,118,800	348,400	...	770,400	TOTAL	2,36,85,000	4,70,82,000	—1,61,40,000	1,22,35,000	2,83,75,000	...
						Debt Deposits and Advances.						
909,000	500,000	407,500	...	...	407,500	Permanent Debt (net discharged)		...	...	...	...	...
...	1,500,000	2,500,000	...	...	2,500,000	Temporary do. (do.)	4,50,00,000	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Unfunded do. (do.)	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Deposits and Advances (net)	6,02,52,000	29,52,000	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans and advances by Imperial Government	70,31,000	37,71,000	4,75,000	8,95,000	4,20,000	..
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. by Provincial Governments	1,92,13,000	1,32,79,000	87,17,000	54,09,000	...	33,08,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Remittances (net)	34,35,40,000	25,54,93,000	21,85,81,000	18,21,96,000	...	3,63,87,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Secretary of State's Bills paid	7,63,04,000	5,84,94,000	4,04,68,000	4,86,38,000	81,70,000	...
4,668,000	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. do. exchange	—16,06,000	—19,000	67,000	—5,35,000	...	6,02,000
..	...	4,828,000	...	...	4,828,000	Drafts on London (net)	..	...	...	...	...	...
5,577,000	2,000,000	7,735,500	...	...	7,735,500	TOTAL	54,97,32,000	33,37,75,000	26,63,10,000	23,66,03,000	...	3,17,07,000
27,600,600	23,100,000	17,930,900	9,759,200	...	8,171,700	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	1,75,49,23,000	1,67,90,75,000	74,33,33,000	73,37,70,000	...	96,23,000
12,824,800	14,383,000	2,946,900	12,622,400	9,675,500	...	Closing Balance	18,21,71,000	18,39,03,000	22,35,67,000	18,29,65,000	...	4,06,02,000
40,425,400	37,483,000	20,877,800	22,381,600	1,503,800	..	GRAND TOTAL	1,93,70,94,000	1,86,29,78,000	96,69,60,000	91,67,35,000	...	5,02,35,000

THE TREASURY:
Calcutta, the 25th October 1916.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

THE PATENT OFFICE.

PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 28th October 1916.

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

October 16.

2761. H. E. Hooper. *Improvements in or relating to the extraction of tungstic oxide from the Wolfram ores.*

2762. J. M. Draper. *Improvements in apparatus for separating substances of different specific gravities, such as fine coal or ores and the like.*

2763. T. D. Key. *Improvements in or relating to disc valves.*

October 17.

2764. Samuel Fox and Co., Ld. *Improvements in connection with rolling mills.*

October 20.

2765. F. T. LeFeuvre. *Improvement in the coupling of vacuum brake hose pipes of railway vehicles, especially goods vehicles, and the like.*

2766. F. T. LeFeuvre. *A paint for covering and protecting iron and steel work and other materials.*

October 21.

2767. G. W. Singh. *Automatic shutter.*

2768. G. M. Bahri. *Improvements in sewing machines and like.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in opposing the grant of a Patent on any one of the applications, referred to below, may, at any time within three months of the date of this *Gazette of India*, give notice at the Patent Office in the prescribed form No. 5 of such opposition.

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Any one desiring a copy posted to an address in British India should send to the Patent Office the sum of annas eight by money-order on which the number of the application should be stated on the coupon at the foot of the order.

2386. Banwari Lal Ojha. *Improvements in the shape of talc chimneys for lamps.*

2601. W. C. Echlin. *Improved release valve for railway vacuum brake cylinders.*

2719. W. S. Fraser and C. E. Wells. *Supherheater element union.*

2731. C. Allaun. *An improved washing plunger or clothes pounder.*

2732. B. Conklin. *Improvements in internal combustion rotary engines.*

2733. B. Conklin. *Improvements in rotary engines, pumps and the like.*

2735. F. Pascall. *Improvemen s in or relating to receptacles for solid, granular, powdered or semi-liquid materials and in covers therefor.*

2740. W. Beardmore and T. C. W. Pullinger. *Improvements in or relating to valve mechanism and associated parts of internal combustion engines.*

2741. W. Beardmore and T. C. W. Pullinger. *Improvements in or relating to aluminium or other light metal castings for internal combustion engines.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

Printed copies of the undernoted specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, annas eight each.

2466. B. C. Rowlandson. *Automatic point locking arrangement.*

270 . J. Fearfield, Saxby & Farmer (India), Ltd., and Saxby & Farmer, Ltd. *Improvements in interlocking between railway points and signals.*

2707. A. A. Bachmann. *A combined protecting cap and wrist band for wristlet watches.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

Notice is hereby given that a patent may now be sealed on the applications referred to below. If it is desired that a patent should be sealed, a request on the prescribed form No. 7, accompanied by the fee, R30, should be sent to the Controller of Patents, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta.

2609. Naicker and Asari.
2631. Dawson.
2634. Walker.
2636. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co., Ld.
2640. Minerals Separation, Ld.
2641. North.

PATENTS SEALED.

2098. Duff.
2451. Morden.
2635. Redfern.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

421 of 1907. Humphrey and anr. (To 30 October 1917.)

163 of 1908. Societe des Telegraphes Multiplex, etc. (To 18 November 1917.)

244 of 1910. Wohle. (To 5 December 1917.)

325 of 1910. Oppenheimer. (To 21 October 1917.)

561 of 1912. Wallace and anr. (To 28 October 1917.)

632 of 1912. Schmidt's Superheating Co. (1910) Ld. (To 2 December 1917.)

CESSATION OF EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGES.

The public are warned that entries under this heading must not be accepted as final, as under the provisions of Rules 9 and 11 of "The Indian Patents and Designs (Temporary) Rules, 1915," the Controller may extend the time prescribed by the Indian Patents and Designs Act, 1911, and by the Inventions and Designs Act, 1888, for paying the necessary renewal fees.

The Patent Office will supply on request definite information, so far as possible, as to the position of any particular Patent or Exclusive Privilege.

1910.

488, (Forbes).

1911.

689, (Peat Coal Investment Co.). 699, (Adams Fire Fighting and Instrument Co.). 700, (Adams Fire Fighting and Instrument Co.). 701, (Adams Fire Fighting and Instrument Co.).

1912.

357, (Thompson). 358, (Torrens). 359, (Riedinger and anr). 360, (Hudson). 363, (D'Cunha). 366, (McCloskey). 370, (Titley and ors.). 372, (Pereira and anr). 373, (Loewe). 374, (Grant and anr.). 377, (Sayer). 378, (Besley). 379, (Humphrey and anr.). 380, (Lennox). 381, (Tamboli).

DESIGNS ENTERED ON THE REGISTER.

October 16th to 21st, 1916.

Class 13. Nos. 5017 to 5018. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester. October 12.

Class 13. Nos. 5020 to 5052. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester. October 13.

Class 15. Nos. 5053 to 5054. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester. October 13.

NOTICES.

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CHITTAGONG	Office of the Commissioner, Chittagong Division.
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POONA	College of Engineering.
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ROORKEE	Thomason College.
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H. G. GRAVES,

Controller of Patents and Designs

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

NOTICE.

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The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and Ex-Officio President of the Board of Examiners.

DHANBAD;
20th October 1916.

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(5)	,, ,,	1909-10	,, ,, 3-8	,,
(6)	,, ,,	1910-11	,, ,, 3-8	,,
(7)	,, ,,	1912-13	,, ,, 2-8	,,
(8)	,, ,,	1913-14	,, ,, 2-8	,,
(9)	,, ,,	1914-15	,, ,, 3-8	,,

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"Siyahat-Nama-i-Ibrahim Beg" (official edition), one of the text-books prescribed for the High Proficiency examination in Persian; price R5 per copy.

"Raghuvamsam"—Expurgated Text (official edition), prescribed for the High Proficiency examination in Sanskrit; price R2-8.

"Akhlaq-i-Jalali" (official edition), one of the text-books prescribed for the Degree of Honour examination in Persian; price R5-12 per copy.

"Rajniti" (new annotated edition), prescribed as an alternative text-book for the Proficiency examination in Hindi; price R3 per copy.

"Selections for the Lower Standard examination in Persian"; price R2 per copy.

Waqayi'-i Ni'mat Khan-i'Ali, edited by Mr. Otto Rothfeld, I.C.S., one of the text-books prescribed for the Degree of Honour examination in Persian; price R2 per copy.

NOTE.—Two fully qualified instructors, natives of Persia and Arabia, respectively, are maintained by the Government of India, for the convenience of officers wishing to study Persian and Arabic. The services of these instructors may be obtained in Calcutta, on application to the Secretary, Board of Examiners.

The following list of Munshis who are qualified to teach Urdu under India Army Order No. 162 of 1907 is published for the information of all those students of this language who are desirous of obtaining competent teachers:—

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1. M. Gulzari Lall . . . . Regimental Munshi, 6th Hampshire Regiment, Agra Cantonment.

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2. M. Syed Mazhar-ul Husain . . . . 253A, Mohtashim Ganj, Allahabad.
3. M. Shaikh Mohammad Ismail . . . South Malaka, Allahabad.

AMBALA.

1. M. Mohd. Miyan Khan	Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
2. M. Mohd. Akbar Khan	The Oriental Lodge, Ambala.
3. M. Sita Ram Mahta	Near Kali Bari, Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
4. M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey	Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment.
5. M. Anand Sarup	Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment (winter only).

BANNU.

1. M. Mul Chand Khurana	Mission Clerk, Bannu.

BAREILLY.

1. M. Rashid Ahmad Khan	Old City, Sailani, Bareilly.
2. M. Chhote Lal	Sadar Bazar, Bareilly.
3. M. Jawala Parshad, II	Regimental Munshi, Sudder Bazar, Bareilly.

BELGAUM.

1. M. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni	Pandit, 1809, Kelkar Bag, Belgaum.

CALCUTTA.

1. M. Mohd. Gholam Kibriya	17/1, Noorallah Doctor's Lane, Balligunge Road, Calcutta.
2. M. Badruddin Ahmed, B.A.	8, Elliot Lane, Calcutta.
3. M. Hossain Mirza	1, Syed Ismail Lane, or 4-1, Collin Lane, Calcutta.
4. M. Mohd. Israil Khan	11, Goristan Lane, Calcutta.
5. M. Syed Nawab Ali	11, Colootola Street, Calcutta.
6. M. Mohd. Abdul Hamid	36, Indian Mirror Street, Calcutta.
7. M. Daliluddin Ahmed	12, Agha Muhammad Mehdi Street, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
8. M. Abdul Wajid	106, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
9. M. Syed Mohammad	12, Waliullah Lane, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
10. M. A. M. Ubaidur Rashid, B.A.	1, Korabardar Lane, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
11. M. Mohd. Muslim	12, Damzen's Lane. Chinapara, Calcutta.
12. M. Nisar Ahmad Khan	C/o Munshi A. K. Nashtar, 1, Jhowtolla Lane, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
13. M. Imdad Hussain	9, Baloo Huckak's Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
14. M. Abdul Habib Khan	89, Jhowtollah Road, P. O. Balligunge, Calcutta.

DALHOUSIE.

1. M. M. C. Saihgal	Officers' Munshi, Balun Bazar, Dalhousie.

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1. M. Mithan Lal, B.A.	Muhalla Churi Walan, Delhi.
2. M. Akbar Khan Haidari	British Garrison Meer Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.
3. M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi)	Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.

DINAPORE.

1. M. Syed Hadi Hussain	Regimental Munshi, Orderly Bazar, Dinapore.
2. M. Farzand Ali Khan (of Patna)	Regimental Munshi, attd. 2nd Devon Battery, Dinapore.

FEROZEPORE.

1. M. J. Kishori Lall	Regimental Munshi, 82nd Coy. R. G. A. and 6th Sussex Battery, R. F. A., Sadar Bazar, near Jain Mandar, Ferozepore Cantonment.
2. M. Suraj Narain, B.A.	Kahani Bazar, Ferozepore.

FORT WILLIAM,—CALCUTTA.

1. M. Abdul Karim	Regimental Munshi, C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Fort William, Calcutta.

GORAKHPORE.

1. M. Ram Charan Lal	Sub-Deputy Inspector of Schools, Gorakhpore.

JHANSI.

1. M. K. R. Mehta	R. A. Munshi, Jhansi.

JHELUM.

1. M. Thakur Das Pahwa	Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JUBBULPUR.

1. M. Abdur Rahim	Regimental Munshi, 1st Battalion, The York and Lancaster Regiment, Jubbulpur.

JULLUNDUR.

1. M. Karam Chand	C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

KAMPTEE.

1. M. S. Karim Bukhsh	Regimental Munshi, 5th Battalion, The Buffs, East Kent Regiment, Gora Bazar, Kamptee.

KARACHI.

1. M. Mukhtar Ahmad . . . . . . Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.
2. M. Anandram Thadmal . . . . . 30, Jethmal Buildings, Garrikhata, Karachi.

KASAULI.

1. M. Anand . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

LAHORE CANTONMENT.

1. M. Sham Lal Bhargava . . . . . . Dungar Street, Sadar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.
2. M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
3. M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman Sabri . . Chhawni Manawala, Sammian Street, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

LUCKNOW.

1. M. Abdul Alim . . . . Near the Police Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
2. M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil) . . Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
3. M. S. M. Shahabuddin . . . . . . Near Police Out Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
4. M. Farhat Ali Suhail . . . . . . C/o M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil), near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.

MAYMYO (BURMA).

1. M. Saiyed Amir Ali (of Delhi) . . . Regimental Munshi, 4th Border Regiment, Alexandra Barracks, Maymyo, Burma.

MEERUT.

1. Pt. Hriday Narain . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1-1st Wiltshire Battery, R. F. A., R. A. Bazar, Meerut.

MULTAN.

1. M. Mohd. Ishaq . . . . R. F. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Multan Cantonment.
2. M. Sultan Mohamed . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Multan.

MURREE HILLS.

1. M. Abdul Ghani (of Nowshera) . . . C/o Syed Jafar Shah, Regimental Munshi, 1st Yorkshire Regiment, Barian Camp, Murree.
2. M. S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence European School, Ghoragali P. O., Murree Hills.
3. M. Bodh Raj . . . . Officers' Munshi, Murree Hills.

NAINI TAL.

1. M. Faqir Ulla . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

1. M. Muhammad Din . . . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).
2. M. Ghulam Jilani . . . . R. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
3. M. S. Abdul Ghani . . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
4. M. Mohamed Sarwar . . . . . . New Mohalla Sudder Bazaar, Nowshera.

PATNA.

1. M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

1. M. Ahmed Din . . . . 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
2. M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.
3. M. Safdar Khan . . . . Near Anaj Mandi, Peshawar.

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1. M. Sher Mahomed . . . . C/o Barkat Ali, Regimental Munshi, 2nd Royal Irish Fusiliers, Quetta.
2. M. Sheikh Abdul Aziz . . . . . . Islamabad, Quetta.
3. M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Cadet College, Quetta.
4. M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

1. M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
2. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
3. M. Fazal Ahmed . . . . Persian House, Rawalpindi.
4. M. Abdul Waheed . . . . C/o Coffee Shop, 2nd Rifle Brigade, West Ridge, Rawalpindi.
5. M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.
6. M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh Gyani . . . Officers' Munshi, Ahata Sultan, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

1. M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

1. M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

In addition to the above, the following, who were examined in Urdu previous to the institution of the examination mentioned in the above India Army Order, are also, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, qualified to teach:—

1. M. Mohd. Arif	12, Harinbari Lane, Calcutta.
2. Maulvi Syed Abu Zafar	36, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta.
3. M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	14, Karaya Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
4. M. Badru-z-Zaman	29, Ice Factory Lane, Entally, Calcutta.
5. M. Abdul Badi	5, Ramsanker Roy's Lane, Calcutta.
6. M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 21, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
7. M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	25, Tiljalah 1st Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
8. M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nurali Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
9. M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
10. M. Mohd. Shuaib	Chowk Masjid, Arrah.

N.B.—It is requested that Munshis who have passed this examination, and whose names do not appear above, should communicate their present addresses to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, so that their names may be published also.

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O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

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ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Receipts in the North-West Frontier Province for August 1916 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1916-17.

REVENUE AND RECEIPTS.	BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1916-17.			Receipts in August 1916	RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 31ST AUGUST 1916.		
	Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.		Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Land Revenue	...	22,27,000	22,27,000	2,35,678	...	9,95,719	9,95,719
II.—Opium	...	49,000	49,000	4,202	...	20,900	20,900
IV.—Stamps	...	6,84,000	6,84,000	57,362	...	2,96,337	2,96,337
V.—Excise	...	3,19,000	3,19,000	28,990	...	1,49,180	1,49,180
VI.—Provincial Rates	...	2,000	2,000	...	...	535	535
VII.—Customs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
VIII.—Income Tax	6,000	2,12,000	2,18,000	17,969	2,217	51,966	54,183
IX.—Forest	...	2,21,000	2,21,000	11,509	...	50,330	50,330
X.—Registration	...	44,000	44,000	3,702	...	20,270	20,270
XI.—Tribute from Native States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XII.—Interest	30,000	...	30,000	4,003	14,993	...	14,993
XVIA.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	...	1,50,000	1,50,000	18,242	...	1,16,438	1,16,438
XVIB.— Ditto —Jails	...	45,000	45,000	4,410	...	20,426	20,426
XVII.—Police	...	49,000	49,000	4,658	...	13,787	13,787
XIX.—Education	...	24,000	24,000	1,25,770	...	1,36,906	1,36,906
XX.—Medical	...	8,000	8,000	1	...	521	521
XXIA.—Agriculture	...	6,000	6,000	1	...	232	232
XXIB.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	...	1,000	1,000	...	...	20	20
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation, etc.	...	21,000	21,000	1,911	...	10,727	10,727
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing	...	23,000	23,000	2,408	...	10,843	10,843
XXV.—Miscellaneous	...	1,23,000	1,23,000	4,346	...	24,340	24,340
XXIX.—Irrigation—Major Works—Direct Receipts	5,37,000	4,13,000	9,50,000	1,76,099	1,63,665	1,63,666	3,27,331
XXX.—Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXXI.—Civil Works	...	1,50,000	1,50,000	12,043	...	62,358	62,358
TOTAL REVENUE AND RECEIPTS	5,73,000	47,71,000	53,44,000	7,13,304	1,80,875	21,45,501	23,26,376
Add—Debt Accounts	...	...	...	69,89,688	...	...	3,85,66,767
TOTAL	...	...	...	77,02,992	...	...	4,08,93,143
Opening Cash Balance	...	...	...	(b)29,54,131	...	...	(a)24,36,019
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	1,06,57,123	...	...	4,33,29,162

(a) On 1st April 1916. (b) On 1st August 1916.

W. ALDER,
Accountant-General, Punjab.

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,
LAHORE;
The 19th October 1916.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Expenditure in the North-West Frontier Province for August 1916 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1916-17.

EXPENDITURE.	BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1916-17.			Disbursement in August 1916.	DISBURSEMENT FROM 1ST APRIL TO 31ST AUGUST 1916.		
	Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.		Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.—Refunds and Drawbacks	10,000	10,000	20,000	1,060	6,550	6,550	13,100
2.—Assignments and Compensations	9,000	9,000	18,000	218	4,447	4,447	8,894
3.—Land Revenue	3,90,000	2,99,000	6,89,000	41,784	1,63,525	1,18,244	2,81,769
6.—Stamps	12,000	12,000	24,000	1,375	4,753	4,754	9,507
7.—Excise	9,000	9,000	18,000	1,096	2,906	2,906	5,812
10.—Income Tax	1,000	...	1,000	65	164	163	327
11.—Forest	59,000	60,000	1,19,000	7,894	17,320	17,320	34,640
12.—Registration	6,000	6,000	12,000	883	2,662	2,662	5,324
13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14.—Interest on other obligations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18.—General Administration	2,61,000	1,20,000	3,81,000	29,902	97,933	41,434	1,39,367
19A.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	4,20,000	2,25,000	6,45,000	57,578	1,83,165	91,266	2,74,431
19B.— Ditto —Jails	1,37,000	1,37,000	2,74,000	24,488	64,938	64,938	1,29,876
20.—Police	10,85,000	10,86,000	21,71,000	1,69,945	4,51,191	4,51,192	9,02,383
22.—Education	2,72,000	2,72,000	5,44,000	17,454	72,590	72,589	1,45,179
23.—Ecclesiastical	54,000	...	54,000	4,178	19,277	...	19,277
24.—Medical	2,25,000	2,08,000	4,33,000	17,561	51,198	47,054	98,252
25.—Political	20,26,000	18,37,000	38,63,000	2,94,107	7,31,252	6,74,603	14,05,855
26A.—Agriculture	47,000	47,000	94,000	5,030	11,752	11,752	23,504
26B.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	5,000	6,000	11,000	590	1,354	1,355	2,709
27.—Territorial and Political Pensions	61,000	...	61,000	3,918	25,945	...	25,945
28.—Civil, Furlough and Absentee Allowances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29.—Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	98,000	97,000	1,95,000	13,685	36,620	36,619	73,239
30.—Stationery and Printing	62,000	62,000	1,24,000	9,294	21,661	21,661	43,322
32.—Miscellaneous	21,000	20,000	41,000	3,958	9,111	9,111	18,222
33.—Famine Relief	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36.—Reduction or Avoidance of Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42.—Major Works—Working Expenses	12,17,000	2,83,000	15,00,000	46,168	95,866	95,865	1,91,731
43.—Minor Works and Navigation	32,000	32,000	64,000	1,242	3,177	3,178	6,355
45.—Civil Works	12,09,000	12,03,000	24,12,000	1,23,979	1,70,847	1,70,847	3,41,694
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	77,28,000	60,40,000	1,37,68,000	8,77,452	22,50,204	19,50,510	42,00,714
Add—Debt Accounts	...	...	...	73,26,871	...	...	3,66,75,648
TOTAL	...	...	...	82,04,323	...	...	4,08,76,362
Balance on 31st August 1916	...	...	...	24,52,800	...	...	24,52,800
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	1,06,57,123	...	...	4,33,29,162

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB;
LAHORE,
The 19th October 1916.

W. ALDER,
Accountant-General, Punjab.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

Claimants who have attained their majority.

It is hereby notified that claims from the undermentioned individuals on account of the patrimony due to them should be submitted to the Controller of Military Accounts, Bolarum, through the Staff Officer of the station at which each claimant may be residing:—

Names of Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Brooks, John, Sergeant, Infantry Veteran Company	Caroline Brooks (daughter). Dennis Brooks (son).
Brandon, John, Gunner, European Artillery Veteran Company	John Brandon (son).* Charles Brandon (son).
Clarkson, Samuel, Artificer, Carnatic Ordnance Department	Ann Clarkson (daughter).
Carroll, J., Sergeant, 2nd European Light Infantry	Elizabeth Carroll (daughter). Joseph Carroll (son). Agnes Carroll (daughter).
Cosser, J., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	John Cosser (son).
Crawley, Sergeant	George Wellington Crawley (son).
Doyle, I., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery	James Doyle (son).
Danford, S., Gunner, 3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery	Amelia, *alias* Emma Danford (daughter).
Furlong, I., Corporal, 3rd Madras European Regiment	John Furlong (son).
Flynn, J., Corporal, 1st Madras Fusiliers	James Flynn (son). William Flynn (son). Joseph Flynn (son).
Grimstone, R., Sergeant, 3rd Madras European Regiment	Perquira Grimstone (daughter). Richard Grimstone (son).
Hawkins, Richard, Private, European Infantry Veteran Company	Jeremiah Mitchell Hawkins (Foster-son). George Hawkins (son).
Hunsley, W., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	Charles Hunsley (son).
Hutchins, James, Gunner, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	George Henry Hutchins (son).
Healey, P., Hospital Sergeant	Edward Healey (son). Frank Healey (son).
Keleker, I. T., Bombardier, 3rd Battalion Artillery	Mary Keleker (daughter).
Knowles, W. S., Bugler, D. Company, 1st Battalion, Madras Artillery	Andrew James Knowles (son).
McDonald, B., 2nd Corporal, Sappers and Miners	James McDonald (son).
McGuire, Michael, Staff Barrack Sergeant, B. Company, 4th Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew McGuire (son).
McManus, J., Foreman, Carnatic Ordnance Artificers Corps	Agnes Maude McManus (daughter). Mary Elizabeth McManus (daughter). Reith McManus (daughter). Patrick John McManus (son).
Murphy, I., Private, 3rd Madras European Regiment	James Murphy (son).
Nicholson, T., Shoeing Smith	Arabella Hannah Nicholson (daughter).
Rothe, R., Corporal, 2nd European Light Infantry	Catherine Rothe (daughter).
Scully, E., Sub-Overseer	Eleanor Scully (daughter). John Scully (son).
Smith, Michael, Colour-Sergeant, 1st Madras Fusiliers	Mary Ann Smith (daughter).
Smithes, R., Sergeant, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	Henry Smithes (son).
Sheepard, J., Sergeant, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery *	John Sheepard (son). Ellen Sheepard (daughter).
Wallace, J., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Artillery	John Wallace (son). Thomas Wallace (son).
Wiggins, R., Gunner, Madras Artillery	John M. Wiggins (son).

* Claim received, but claimant has not yet appeared to receive payment.

H. C. SZCZEPANSKI, Major,
Controller of Military Accounts.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF MILITARY ACCOUNTS,
9TH (SECUNDERABAD) DIVISION, BOLARUM;
30TH SEPTEMBER 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 24th October 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 22nd October 1916.

	Total amount of notes in circulation.			Reserve. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (Purchase price).		Total.	Remarks.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	Total.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R (a)	R (b) (c)	R	
Calcutta	1,75,71,000	23,86,08,615	25.61.79,615	6,21,33,437	83,47,560	71,30,785	11,92,50,000	...		...	9,99,99,946	13,06,04,845	42,74,66,563	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R13,88,01,571. (c) Includes Treasury bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R4,55,98,649.
Cawnpore	..	2,97,90 630	2,97,90,630	2,24,27,139	1,82,10,045	.	..	..	...	...	.	..	4,06,37,184	
Lahore	...	6,03,22,900	6,03,22,900	1.53,19,563	2,10,87,547	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,64,07,110	
Bombay	91,95,350	19,58 84,100	20,50,79,450	8,05,13,027	3,76,55,648	65,13,845	..	..	...	...	...	...	12,46,82,520	
Karachi		2,33,85,290	2,33,85,290	1,03,79,287	36,97,215	.	...	.	...	..	...	...	1,40,76,502	
Madras	14,69,100	9,11,27.580	9,25,96,630	1,76,64,990	1,13,30,850	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,89,95,840	
Rangoon	...	5,54,34,755	5,54,34,755	3,[illegible]8,53,061	99,17,730	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,87,70,791	
	2,82,35,450	69,45,53,820	72,27,89,270	24,72,90,494	11,02,46,595	1,36,44,630	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	13,06,04,845	72,10,36,510	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			27,52,760	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									10,00,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			72,00,36,510	TOTAL RESERVE R									72,00,36,510	

Gold worth £243,000 (Rs. 36,45,000) was transferred to the Paper Currency Reserve from the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 22nd October 1916.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 22nd October 1916 to 1,58 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 16TH TO 22ND OCTOBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for Coinage.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for Subsidiary coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	53	...	...	53	92	...	92	13	73*	23	1	110	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	[illegible]	...	...	70	34	...	34	...	154†	15	1	170	...	...	...	1	1	...

* Exclusive of [illegible] of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
† Inclusive of [illegible] of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
‡ [illegible] received from Bombay Mint.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint:
Calcutta, the 24th October 1916.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 23rd October 1916.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.	Rs. A. P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000 0 0	Government Securities	6,49,69,507 12 0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,08,00,000 0 0; Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* 50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000 0 0	Other authorized Investments	1,10,90,385 0 0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	50,00,000 0 0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	3,08,06,801 13 6
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 1,01,15,060 1 10; Public Deposits at Branches 1,21,43,871 9 8	2,22,58,931 11 6	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	5,91,65,658 15 3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	20,13,79,522 8 6	Bills discounted and purchased	2,71,86,726 12 6
Bank Post Bills, etc.	25,73,411 11 2	Balances with other Banks	41,94,218 14 6
Sundries	10,18,765 11 0	Bullion	......
		Dead Stock	29,23,658 4 6
		Stamps	12,162 6 0
		Sundries	3,71,057 14 1
			20,07,20,177 12 4
		Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 2,78,56,638 6 3; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† 3,94,53,815 7 7	6,73,10,453 13 10
RUPEES	26,80,30,631 10 2	RUPEES	26,80,30,631 10 2

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,480 0 0

† Do. do. do. „ 8,63,467 8 0

Rs. 12,14,947 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 25th October 1916.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

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SURVEY OF INDIA—SOUTHERN CIRCLE.

NOTIFICATION.

Bangalore, the 17th October 1916.

No. 9.—Mr. N. S. Haribara Iyer, Extra Assistant Superintendent, is granted, under Articles 246 and 260, Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for 21 days, with effect from the 20th October 1916 or such subsequent date from which he can avail himself of the same.

T. F. B. RENNY-TAILYOUR, Colonel, R.E.,
Superintendent, Southern Circle.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 20th October 1916.

No. 11.—Fourth class Assistant Surgeon C. G. S. Corner, I.S.M.D., House Surgeon, Walker Hospital, Simla, is granted privilege leave for one month and five days combined with leave on Medical Certificate, under the terms of paragraph 435 (b), Army Regulations, India, Volume I, for four months and twenty-five days, with effect from the forenoon of the 11th September 1916.

No. 12.—Fourth class Assistant Surgeon F. H. Johnson, I.S.M.D., is appointed House Surgeon, Walker Hospital, Simla, with effect from the forenoon of the 11th September 1916.

H. ROSS, Major, I.M.S.
for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
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6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—

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   (*b*) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

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	DRAMA—URDU.		
1	**Bal Bhagat Prahlad.** A short religious drama by Pandit Ganpati Ram. No. of pages 12. Published by Tervedi Lovji Maya Shankar Raval, Delhi. 15th July 1916. Size 18 x 22. 1st Edition. **Price 0-3-0.**	Art Printing Works, Delhi.	2,000
	EDUCATION—HINDI.		
2	**Varn Bodh.** Hindi Primer by Pandit Udho Ram Sharma, Sanskrit Teacher of Ramjas High School, Delhi. No. of pages 16. Published by the author, Delhi. 28th July 1916. Size 16 Royal. 1st Edition. **Price 0-0-6.**	Sat Dharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	2,000
	EDUCATION—URDU.		
3	**Tarjuma Nasab-i-Farsi Jadid.** A translation of the new Persian course for the Matriculation Examination of the Punjab University by Lilfazal Almuqbil-Delhvi. No. of pages 56. Published by the author, Delhi, 1916. Size 20 x 26. 1st Edition. **Price (not yet fixed).**	J. & Sons, Electric Press, Delhi.	1,000
4	**Jadid Chart.** Urdu Ka Naya Daida. Urdu Primer by Naim. No. of pages 15. Published by Ram Charan Agerwal, Bookseller of Bareilly. July 1916. Size 20 x 30 x 16. 2nd Edition. **Price 0-0-9.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	2,000
5	**Khulasa-i-Hikayat-i-Hind.** An abstract of Historical legends of India by A. Marsden, B.A. No. of pages 72. Published by Jagat Narain & Bros., Meerut. July 1916. Size 20 x 30 x 16. 3rd Edition. **Price 0-5-0.**	Ditto.	1,000

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	FICTION—HINDI.		
6	**Sangit Malkan.** The legend of Malkhan by Pandit Hargolal of Hilwari. No. of pages 182. Published by the author. June 1916. Size 20 x 26 x 8. 1st Edition. **Price 0-8-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,000
	GEOGRAPHY—HINDI.		
7	**Bhugol Zila Almora.** Geography of the District of Almora by Pandit Churawani Tripathi, Assistant Master, Model School, Almora. No. of pages 109. Published by the author. 28th June 1916. Crown 8vo. 1st Edition. **Price 0-4-0.**	Do.	2,000
	MEDICINE—SANSKRIT.		
8	**Ras Kirya.** 52 Yantras of Vedic system by Pandit Shiv Bakhsh Sharma. No. of pages 44. Published by Jamna Das Paldar, Delhi. 4th July 1916. Size Demy 8vo. 1st Edition. **Price 0-4-0.**	Sat Dharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	1,000
	MEDICINE—URDU.		
9	**Talimul Qabilah Hissa Chaharum.** Fourth part of Talimul Qabila by Haziq-ul-mulk Hakim Ajmal Khan of Delhi. No. of pages 498. Published by Abdul Rajak at Tibbia Madrasa, Delhi. 1916. Size 20 x 26. 1st Edition. **Price 3-0-0.**	J. & Sons, Electric Press, Delhi.	1,000
	MISCELLANEOUS—ENGLISH.		
10	**Rajput Directory, 1916,** by Thakir Ram Singh of Jangliona, Hoshiarpur. No. of pages 77. Published by the author, Delhi. 18th August 1916. Size 20 x 26 x 16. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Empire Press, Delhi.	250
	MISCELLANEOUS—HINDI.		
11	**Viyabala Shri Neminathji ka.** A poem on the marriage of Shri Neminathji by Phul Chand. No. of pages 8. Published by the author. 5th September 1916. Size Crown 8vo. 1st Edition. **Price 0-0-6.**	Sat Dharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	1,000

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	MISCELLANEOUS—HINDI—*contd*		
12	**Baramasa Shri Newnath Rajalmatika.** A collection of poems on the different seasons of the year by Phul Chand of Delhi. No. of pages 16. Published by the author. 4th September 1916. Size Crown 8vo. 1st Edition. **Price 0-0-9.**	Sat Dharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	1,000
13	**Ganpati Utsavophar.** A collection of hymns by Bishwa Nath Sarswath of Fatehpur. No. of pages 40. Published by Siri Marwari, Samaj Yeotmal (Berar). 2nd September 1916. Size Crown 8vo. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Do.	1,000
	MISCELLANEOUS—URDU.		
14	**Outpost ke Sawal-o-Jawab.** Questions and answers on outpost duty by Subedar Major Mian Sita Ram Singh. No. of pages 56. Published by the author. June 1916. Size 18 x 22 x 16. 1st Edition. **Price 0-4-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,000
15	**Kar-o-bar Hissa Awal.** Hints on business. Part I by Manumal Agarwal. No. of pages 16. Published by the author. June 1916. Size 18 x 22 x 8. 1st Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Do.	500
16	**Sada-i-Aman.** A pamphlet on the necessity of the Indian Defence Ordinance of 1915 by Nadir Ali, Pleader of Agra. No. of pages 16. Published by the General News Agency, Delhi. 17th July 1916. Size 20 x 30. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Helali Press, Delhi.	1,000
17	**Bayonet Training, 1916.** By Subedar-Major Mian Sita Ram Singh. No. of pages 40. Published by the Indian Army Book Depot, Johi, Cawnpur. July 1916. Size 18 x 22 x 16. 1st Edition. **Price 0-2-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,000

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	MISCELLANEOUS—URDU—*contd.*		
18	**Taàm-i-Dilpazir Mai Taswir.** French Confectionery cookery book by Saiyed Ahmadali of Ambala. No. of pages 304. Published by the author. August 1916. Size 20 x 26 x 8. 2nd Edition. **Price 1-2-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,500
	PHILOSOPHY—SANSKRIT.		
19	**Yog Sutr Vedic Vrithi.** A treatise on Yoga by Swami Her Pershad. No. of pages 165. Published by the author. 4th July 1916. Crown 8vo. 2nd Edition. **Price 0-12-0.**	Sat Dharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	1,000
	POETRY—HINDI.		
20	**Bhajan Ikkisa.** A collection of poems by Seth Jawahar Lal Jaini. No. of pages 24. Published by Atma Nandji of Delhi. 24th August 1916. Size Crown 8vo. 1st Edition. **Price 0-0-9.**	Do.	1,000
	POETRY—URDU.		
21	**Kalam-i-Vahdaniyat Hissa Awal.** A selection of poems, part I, by Captain Fateh Nasib of Alwar State. No. of pages 256. Published by the author. 20th July 1916. Size 20 x 30. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Hilali Press, Delhi.	150
22	**Shankargarh Sangram.** The battle of Shankergarh by Chiranji Lal and Natha Ram of Hathras. No. of pages 104. Published by Messrs Sham Lal Hira Lal of Hathras. August 1916. Size 18 x 22 x 8. 1st Edition. **Price 0-8-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	2,000
23	**Sangit Hissa Awal.** Sakha Amar Singh Rathor. An account of Amar Singh by Natha Ram Chiranji Lal of Hathras. No. of pages 112. Published by Sham Lal Hira Lal of Muthra. August 1916. Size 18 x 22 x 8. 2nd Edition. **Price 0-8-0.**	Do.	200

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	RELIGION—ARABIC URDU.		
24	**Aqidai Ahle Sunnat.** A short religious pamphlet for Mohammedans by Maulavi Abdullah Ahmad and Mohammed Ibrahim of Junagarh. No. of pages 32. Published by the author. 6th July 1916. Size 22 × 29 × 8. 1st Edition. Price 0-1-6.	Faruqi Press, Delhi.	2,000
25	**Al Qaulul Mumjad Fi Tafsir Ismahil Ahmad.** A religious book on the Qadiyani sect of Mohammadanism by Saiyed Mohammed Ahsan of Amroha. No. of pages 134. Published by the author. August 1916. 1st Edition. Price Free.	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,000
	RELIGION—HINDI.		
26	**Vyakhian Satya Dharam.** Hardships of a widow by Munshi Banwari Lal Shola, Vakil, Aligarh. No. of pages 8. Published by M. Jai Dyal Mul. 10th August 1916. 1st Edition. Price 0-0-6.	Sat Dharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	1,000
27	**Jain Tatwa Mimansa.** Principles of Jainism by Srijut Babu Kannu Mal, M.A., Judge, Dholpur State. No. of pages 16. Published by Atma Nandji of Agra. Size Crown 8vo. 28th August 1916. 1st Edition. Price Free.	Do.	1,000
28	**Jiwan Vijay.** Success of life by Ganga Pershad of Almora. No. of pages 118. Published by the author. 6th September 1916. Size Crown 8vo. 1st Edition. Price 0-8-0.	Do.	2,000
29	**Achara Anachara Aur Chhut Chhat.** Principles of living and things which a Hindu should not touch by Munshi Ram Jigiyasu No. of pages 44. Published by the Manager, Pracharak Pustak Bhandar. Size Crown 8vo. 8th September 1916. 1st Edition. Price 0-2-0.	Do.	2,000

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	RELIGION, HINDI—*contd.*		
30	**Updesh Monjri.** Advice to Hindus by Shimbhu Nath Vaish of Delhi. No. of pages 96. Published by the author. September 1916. Size 20 x 30 x 16. 1st Edition. Price 0-1-0.	Delhi Printing Works.	1,000
31	"**Granth Anubhav Parkash.**" Hymns for the use of the Hindus by Swami Anubhav Parkash of Delhi. No. of pages 124. Published by the author. 24th July 1916. 1st Edition. Price 0-8-0.	Sat Dharam Pracharak Press.	1,000
32	"**Sri Harisankirtan.**" A collection of Hymns by P. Joti Pershad Sharma. No. of pages 30. Published by Benarsi Das. 14th July 1916. Size Demy 8vo. 1st Edition. Price Free.	Do.	1,000
33	"**Shri Gaibar Bilas.**" A Jain religious book by Shri Gaibar Chandji. No. of pages 134. Published by Jain Sabha Library of Jodhpur. 1st July 1916. Size Crown 8vo. 1st Edition. Price 0-4-0.	Do.	1,000
34	**Prashnotra Shri Nem Nathji Rajal Mati Ke.** Questions and answers of Shri Nem Nathji on Jain Religion by Phul Chand of Delhi. No. of pages 16. Published by the author. 3rd September 1916. Size Crown 8vo. 1st Edition. Price 0-0-9.	Do.	1,000
	RELIGION—SANSKRIT—HINDI.		
35	"**Swasti Bachan Shanti Parkaran Tatha Samanya Parkaran.**" Hymns with translations for the use of Hindus by P. Ude Ram, teacher of Ranya's High School, Delhi. No. of pages 84. Published by the author. 18th July 1916. Size Royal 16mo. 1st Edition. Price 0-2-6.	Do.	2,000

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	RELIGION—SANSKRIT—HINDI—*contd.*		
36	**Sam Ved.** Translation of Sam Ved by Swami Har Parshad. No. of pages 55. Published by Khushi Ram, Government pensioner, Dera Dun. 22nd August 1916. Size Crown 8vo. 1st Edition. Price 0-4-0.	Sat Dharam Pracharak Press.	1,000
	RELIGION—URDU.		
37	"**Sharah Chahal Hadis.**" Commentary on the forty sayings of Mohammed by Molana Molvi Mohammed Khalid of Bhopal. No. of pages 20. Published by the author. June 1916. Size 20 × 26 × 8. 1st Edition. Price 0-2-0.	Delhi Printing Works.	500
38	"**Ainul Hayat Fi Ajril Khairat.**" Questions and answers dealing with Mohammadans by Mohammed Zahurul Haq. No. of pages 20. Published by Abdul Rashid, Book sellers, Chatgaon. 5th July 1916. Size 18 × 22. 1st Edition. Price 0-1-0.	Hilali Press, Delhi.	1,000
39	"**Urdu Sandhia.**" Hymns for the use of Hindus by Udha Ram Sharma of Delhi. No. of pages 12. Published by the author. 12th July 1916 Size 20 × 30. 1st Edition. Price 0-0-3.	Do.	1,000
40	"**Firqai Rasaiyah Ka Munazre se Farar.**" A religious debate by Sheik Mohammed of Neemuch. No. of pages 28. Published by the author. 19th July 1916. Size 18 × 22. 1st Edition. Price Free.	Do.	1,000
41	"[illegible]-Hind." History of [illegible] of India by [illegible] Published by the [illegible] × 8. [illegible] Edition. [illegible]-8-0.	Darvesh Press, Delhi.	500

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	RELIGION—URDU—*contd.*		
42	"**Si-Parai-dil Hissa Awal**". A collection of the works of Khan Hasan Nizami, part I, by Khan Hasan Nizami. No. of pages 230. Published by Hakikatul Mashaikh, Delhi. 15th August 1916. Size 20 × 30 × 8. 2nd Edition. **Price 1-8-0.**	Darvesh Press, Delhi.	2,000
43	"**Albayauns Said fi Mohamad Qurani Majid.**" A few remarks on the usefulness of the Quran by Haji Hafiz Munir Uddin of Delhi. No. of pages 8. Published by the author. 6th August 1916. Size 18 × 22. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Hilali Press	1,000
	RELIGION—URDU—ARABIC.		
44	"**Al fataviul Manifah**". A Mohammadan religious book by M. Gulam Haider of Peshawar. No. of pages 28. Published by Sh. Mohamad of Neemuch. 10th July 1916. Size 18 × 22. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Do.	1,000
45	"**Tabligul Quran.**" Preaching of Quran by M. Hashmat Ali. No. of pages 48. Published by the Author. 10th August 1916. Size 20 × 26. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Do.	500
46	**Kaful Momnat an Hazur-ut-Jamat.** Instructions for women according to Mohamadan religion by Molvi M. Kifayatulla. No. of pages 16. Published by the author. July 1916. Size 20 × 26 × 8. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Delhi Printing Works.	1,000

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	RELIGION—URDU—ARABIC—*contd.*		
47	**Hedayat uz-Zojain.** Rights and duties of husbands and wives according to Mohammadan religion by Molvi Abdul Gani, late teacher of Fatehpuri School, Delhi. No. of pages 16. Published by the author. August 1916. Size 20 x 26 x 8. 2nd Edition. Price Free.	Delhi Printing Works.	2,000
48	"**Taskheer-i-Mahar-A Khar-Yani-Amal-ai-Hazal-ul-Bahar.**" A guide for Mohammadans by Khuaja Hasan Nizami of Delhi. No. of pages 192. Published by Halqatul-Mashaiq, Delhi. 15th august 1916. Size 18 x 22 x 16. 2nd Edition. Price 0-8-0.	Darvesh Press	1,000
	TRAVEL—HINDI.		
49	**Kamniya Kamlini or Shri Shikarji-ki-Yatra.** Travels of Kamniya Kamlini and Shikarjee by Jhamaklal Patdiya. No. of pages 106. Published by the author. 4th September 1916. Size Crown 8vo. 1st Edition. Price 0-5-0.	Sat Dharam Pracharak Press.	1,000

H. C. BEADON,
Deputy Commissioner, Delhi.

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THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 14th October 1916.

No. 3185-*R*.—The following draft amendment which it is proposed to make in the rules made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), and published with the Honourable the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 2308, dated the 29th April 1909, is published for criticism.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 17th December 1916, with any emarks or suggestions which are received on or before that date :—

"In rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II of the said rules, for the figures '500' in the 2nd line the figures '2000' shall be substituted."

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,
Secretary.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 19th October 1916.

No. 7023-*Home*.—Mr. St. George A. Beaty, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Delhi, on return from the leave granted to him in the Chief Commissioner's, Delhi Province, Notification No. 6033-Home, dated the 4th September 1916, assumed charge of his duties with effect from the afternoon of the 14th October 1916.

No. 7043-*Education*.—The following draft rule which the Chief Commissioner proposes to make under the provisions of sections 240 (1) (*d*) and 242 (1) (*f*) of the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911, for the exclusion of aliens from the electorate and membership of Municipal Committees and notified areas in the Province of Delhi is published or general information.

The draft rule will be taken into consideration six weeks from the date of publication of this notification, and any objections or suggestions received before that date will receive consideration :—

Draft Rule.

"No person other than a British subject or a natural-born subject of a State in India shall be qualified to be a member, or to be a candidate for election as a member, or to vote at the election of any member of any Municipal Committee or notified area in the Province of Delhi."

No. 7046-*Education*.—The following draft rule which the Chief Commissioner proposes to make under the provisions of section 55 (2) (*d*) of the Punjab District Boards Act, 1883, for the exclusion of aliens from the electorate and memberships of the Delhi District Board in the Province of Delhi is published for general information.

The draft rule will be taken into consideration six weeks from the date of publication of this notification, and any objections or suggestions received before that date will receive consideration :—

Draft Rule.

"No person other than a British subject or the natural-born subject of a State in India shall be qualified to be a member or to be a candidate for election as member, or to vote at the election of any member of the Delhi District Board in the Province of Delhi."

The 20th October 1916.

No. 7054-*C. & I.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4, sub-section (4), of the Indian Factories Act, 1911 (XII of 1911), the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint every Assistant Commissioner of Delhi to be *ex-officio* additional Inspector of Factories for all the purposes of the Act within the limits of the Province of Delhi.

The 21st October 1916.

No. 7098-*C. & I.*—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in the Delhi Province are published for information :—

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the head-quarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 15th October 1916. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82⅐ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
Rice, unhusked	...	Cotton seed	2 15 6
" husked	6 0 0	Ghi	52 0 0
Wheat (white)	3 11 0	Flour (Wheat)	4 3 0
Barley	3 0 0	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8 0 0
Oats	...	Turmeric (unground)	16 8 0
Jowár	2 9 0	Salt	1 15 0
Bajra	2 14 0	Raw Hides (Cow)	80 0 0
Maize*	2 12 0	Bran	2 4 0
Gram	3 1 0	Grass (dry)	1 0 0
Arhar Dál	4 4 0	Bhusa (white)	1 2 0
Linseed	5 8 0	Jowár Stalks	0 4 6
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4 8 0	Bengal Coal	0 10 0
Poppy-seed	...	Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand)	2 4 6
Til (jinjili seed)	6 0 0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	200 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur	5 5 0	Sheep, per score	80 0 0
Cotton (cleaned)	...	Bejhar	2 15 6

* Brought in market for sale.

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 15th October 1916.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.
	Srs. Chts.		Srs. Chts.
Wheat, white	10 4	Maize	14 0
Barley	13 0	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	9 0
Rice { Best sort	3 0	Firewood	60 0
Rice { Common sort	5 0	Salt { Wholesale	20 4
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum)	15 0	Salt { Retail	20 0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum)	13 8	Gur	6 12
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)	Not procurable.	Cotton (unginned)	Not available.
Kangni (Setaria Italica)	Not procurable.	Bejhar	13 0
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	12 8		

Delhi, the 23rd October 1916.

No. 7123-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths registered at the under-mentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 14th October 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	Delhi . .	225,471	160	140	300	81	85	166	...	...	...	80	10	52	4	20	...	33	23	56	69·19	38·28
	Notified Area	3,673	1	3	4	4	5	9	...	...	...	7	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	2	56·62	127·41
	Total .	229,144	161	143	304	85	90	175	...	...	...	87	10	53	4	21	...	33	25	58	68·98	39·71

The 25th October 1916.

No. 7186-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi, during the half month ending the 15th October 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			15
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.			Remarks.
			Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
P. S. Alipur	45	38	...	...	...	18	...	10	...	...	...	...	4	7	11	
Nangloi	58	49	...	...	...	26	4	15	...	...	4	...	10	6	16	
Najafgarh	46	44	...	1	...	18	5	18	...	...	...	2	13	6	19	
Subzimundi	11	9	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	3	
Paharganj	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Mehrauli	52	37	...	...	...	19	...	17	...	...	1	...	4	5	9	
Raisina	29	8	...	...	...	5	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	
Shahdara	17	6	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
New Cantonment . . .	18	9	...	...	...	4	...	5	...	...	...	...	1	4	5	
Total of the District .	272	190	...	1	...	104	9	68	...	...	6	2	36	30	66	

Delhi, the 25th October 1916.

No. 7188-*Home*.—The following returns showing births and deaths registered in Delhi Province during the month of September 1916 are published for information :—

Monthly return of Vital Statistics of the Delhi Province for the month of September 1916.

Division.	No.	Name of District or Municipal Towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhoea. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		District excluding Delhi Municipal Town.	102,699	88,486	191,185	1056	66·28	3	15	·94	1	·06	...	...	333	20·90	12	·75	165	10·35	12	·75	15	·94	272	281	553	34·70	142	137	279	17·51	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	102,699	88,486	191,185	1065	66·84	10	1	·06	...	...	...	...	156	9·79	5	·30	103	6·46	2	·12	12	·75	142	137	279	17·51	...	...	...	...	
		Increase	...	...	...	9	·56	7	14	·88	1	·06	...	...	177	11·11	7	·45	62	3·89	10	·63	3	·19	130	144	274	17·19	...	...	...	...	
		or Decrease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

Monthly return of Vital Statistics of the Delhi Province for the month of August 1916.

Division.	No.	District excluding towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhoea. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		Delhi Municipality	129,521	95,950	225,471	1,246	66·31	36	4	·21	...	...	...	...	361	19·21	44	2·84	248	13·20	11	·59	104	5·54	379	293	772	41·09	278	274	547	29·11	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	129,521	95,950	225,471	1,344	71·53	30	4	·21	...	...	...	...	284	15·12	27	1·44	153	8·14	4	·21	75	3·99	273	274	547	29·11	...	...	...	...	
		Increase or	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	4·09	17	·90	95	5·06	7	·33	29	1·55	106	119	225	11·98	...	...	...	...	
		Decrease	...	...	...	98	5·22	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

By order,

G. F. DE MONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 12th October 1916.

No. 3498—1093.—The following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), is published for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner on or after the 20th November 1916.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date aforesaid will be considered by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment in the Ajmer-Merwara Petroleum Rules issued in this office Notification No. 1530—1093, dated the 14th October 1909:—

In Rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II, of the said rules for the figure "500" the figure "2000" shall be substituted.

The 16th October 1916.

No. 3531.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 2(ii), 9, 13, 27 and 62 of the Excise Regulation, 1915 (I of 1915), and in supersession of his Notification No. 1754—1227, dated the 10th September 1915, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following rules for the control of intoxicating drugs so far as they relate to cocaine:—

I. These rules shall apply to the whole of the territories administered by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara and shall come into force on and with effect from the 1st November 1916.

II. In these rules unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context:—

(*i*) The "Collector" shall mean the Collector of Excise Revenue, Ajmer-Merwara.

(*ii*) "Qualified medical practitioner" means a graduate in medicine of a recognised university in India, Europe or America, a medical practitioner eligible for registration in the Medical Register of Great Britain, a medical sudordinate in Government employment not below the rank of Sub-Assistant Surgeon, a duly qualified dentist entitled to be entered in the dentists' section of the Medical Register aforesaid and any medical officer or other person whom the Collector may direct to be admitted to the privilege of a medical practitioner for the purpose of these rules.

(*iii*) "Cocaine" means and includes coca leaves, alkaloids of coca, every other intoxicating drink or substance prepared from the coca plant (*Erythroxylum coca*) and all drugs synthetic or other having a like physiological effect to that of cocaine, and every preparation and admixture of any of the above.

(*iv*) "Licensed chemist" means a person who deals in European medicines and drugs as means of livelihood and has been licensed with the approval of the Civil Surgeon, Ajmer-Merwara, to sell cocaine.

Import.

III. The import of cocaine by means of the post is absolutely prohibited. Its import by other means is also prohibited except as specified in these rules.

IV. The Collector at his discretion may issue licenses for the import of cocaine on application by licensed chemists and by medical practitioners.

Cultivation, Production and Preparation.

V. The cultivation of the coca plant and the production or preparation of cocaine is prohibited.

Transport.

VI. The transport of cocaine by means of the post is prohibited. Its transport by other means is also prohibited except as specified in these rules.

VII. The transport of cocaine is permitted on behalf of licensed chemists or medical practitioners under cover of a pass issued by the Collector and in such quantities and subject to such conditions as may be specified therein.

VIII. When a licensee desires to transport cocaine for export either to a native state or to any other British territory, he shall apply to the Collector for an export permit. The Collector on production of a no-objection certificate signed by the Political Agent or the District Collector, as the case may be, of the place to which it is proposed to export the drug, may grant such application.

IX. Transport on behalf of private persons is permitted only in respect of the quantities which they are authorised to possess under section 16 of the Regulation.

General.

X. The Chief Commissioner may, by Notification, either wholly or partially, and subject to such conditions, if any, as he may think fit to prescribe, exempt any medicinal preparations of cocaine or any class of such preparations from all or any of the provisions of these rules.

XI. Nothing contained in these rules nor in those, if any, made under rule X, shall apply to import, cultivation, production, preparation or transport on behalf of Government.

No. 3532.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 2(ii), 5, 13, 16, 27 and 62 of the Excise Regulation, 1915 (I of 1915), and in supersession of his Notification No. 1755—1227, dated the 10th September 1915, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following rules for the control of intoxicating drugs so far as they relate to cocaine:—

I. These rules shall apply to the whole of the territories administered by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara and shall come into force on and with effect from the 1st November 1916.

II. In these rules unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context:—

(*i*) The "Collector" shall mean the Collector of Excise Revenue, Ajmer-Merwara.

(*ii*) "Qualified medical practitioner" means a graduate in medicine of a recognised university in India, Europe or America, a medical practitioner eligible for registration in the Medical Register of Great Britain, a medical subordinate in Government employment not below the rank of Sub-Assistant Surgeon, a duly qualified dentist entitled to be entered in the dentists' section of the Medical Register aforesaid and any medical officer or other person whom the Collector may direct to be admitted to the privilege of a medical practitioner for the purpose of these rules.

(*iii*) "Cocaine" means and includes coca leaves, alkaloids of coca, every other intoxicating drink or substance prepared from the coca plant (*Erythroxylum coca*) and all drugs synthetic or other having a like physiological effect to that of cocaine, and every preparation and admixture of any of the above.

III. The Collector at his discretion may issue licenses for the possession and sale of cocaine to druggists and chemists approved by the Civil Surgeon, Ajmer-Merwara, and to qualified medical practitioners, free of charge and in the forms prescribed by these rules.

IV. Licenses granted to druggists and chemists shall be renewed every year and those granted to qualified medical practitioners shall be for life, unless such practitioners shall be debarred from practising or cease to practise.

V. The holder of a license shall purchase cocaine from a licensed vendor or may import it in the manner specified in the rules published with Notification No. 3531, dated the 16th October 1916.

VI. The quantity of cocaine, whether in a dry state or solution, that may be possessed by licensed vendors and other persons shall be as follows:—

(1) By a druggist or chemist, in each case one ounce or less according to the standing of the firm, and in special cases such larger quantity as may be sanctioned by the Collector.

(2) By a qualified medical practitioner, half an ounce, and in special cases such larger quantity as may be sanctioned by the Collector.

(3) By a private individual, such quantity as may have been prescribed for his personal use by a qualified medical practitioner for *bonâ fide* medical purposes.

VII. A licensee shall not sell or dispense cocaine to any person other than a qualified medical practitioner or a druggist or chemist holding a license for the sale thereof except on a *bonâ fide* prescription of a qualified medical practitioner.

VIII. Cocaine seized under the Excise Regulation (I of 1915) shall be produced before the Magistrate before whom the prosecution is to be instituted. If confiscated by the order of the Magistrate, it shall, after the final disposal of the case be forwarded (except in the case of coca leaves which shall be destroyed under the orders of the Magistrate) to the Collector who shall send it to the Chemical Examiner for examination.

The quantity declared by the Chemical Examiner to be unfit for use will be destroyed, and that found to be fit for use will be returned by him to the Collector, who will, after meeting the requirements of the nearest Government Medical depôt, make arrangements, in communication with the Director General of the Indian Medical Service, to distribute the excess to the depôts in other provinces. Should any balance remain in hand after the needs of Government depôts have been satisfied, it may be sold by the Collector to *bonâ fide* licensed vendors of cocaine drugs or to medical practitioners authorised to possess them, at suitable prices and subject to the necessary precautions.

The total stock in hand at the end of the year will be reported to the Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara for the information of the Government of India.

IX. The Hon'ble the Chief-Commissioner may, by Notification, either wholly or partially and subject to such conditions, if any, as he may think fit to prescribe, exempt any medicinal preparations of cocaine or any class of such preparations from all or any of the provisions of these rules.

X. Nothing contained in these rules nor in those, if any, made under rule IX, shall apply to possession and sale on behalf of Government.

FORM A.—(RULE III.)

License to chemists and druggists for the sale of cocaine.

I, Collector of Excise Revenue, Ajmer-Merwara, do hereby authorise Messrs. , their heirs or assigns to sell cocaine in their shop situated at subject to the rules framed under sections 2 (ii), 9, 13, 27 and 62 and under sections 2 (ii) 5, 13, 16, 27 and 62 of the Excise Regulation (I of 1915), and to the conditions and restrictions mentioned hereunder :—

1. That Messrs. , their heirs or assigns do not sell or keep or store cocaine, in any place except in the shop mentioned above.

2. That Messrs. shall be responsible for the acts and omissions of every person or persons employed by them in carrying on the business of the said shop and of all their servants as if the said acts and omissions were their own.

3. That Messrs. shall purchase all cocaine, to be sold under this license from a licensed vendor in India or shall import it from foreign territory on a license granted by the Collector. Its import by means of post or by any other means except under a license as aforesaid is prohibited.

4. That Messrs. shall not sell or dispense cocaine to any person other than a qualified medical practitioner or a druggist or chemist holding a license for the sale thereof except on and in accordance with the prescription of a qualified medical practitioner.

5. That Messrs. shall not sell at one time or to one and the same person in the aggregate on any one day more than the quantity of cocaine, specified below :—

(i) To a qualified medical practitioner or a chemist or a druggist holding a license for sale, such quantity as he may be authorised under his license to possess.

(ii) To a person producing a prescription from a qualified medical practitioner, such quantity as may be specified in the said prescription.

6. The licensee shall keep in his shop and write up to date in a bound book paged and sealed with the Collector's seal in a form prescribed by the Collector an accurate and regular account showing from time to time the quantities of cocaine purchased, sold, or dispensed by him, the date of each transaction and the name of the person from whom the purchase is made or to whom the cocaine is sold, or dispensed.

7. The licensee shall produce the said account together with all prescriptions upon which cocaine has been sold or dispensed and this license and also any cocaine that may be in his possession for inspection on demand by any Excise Officer not below the rank of Sub-Inspector or any Revenue officer not below the rank of Naib Tahsildar.

8. A half-yearly account of receipts and sales of cocaine shall be submitted by the licensee to the Collector in the prescribed form on or before the 5th of April and October.

9. A breach of any of the above conditions and restrictions will render the holder of this license liable to the cancellation of his license by the Collector and also to penalties under sections 33, 35 and 38 of the Excise Regulation (I of 1915).

10. This license shall continue in force till the 31st March 191 .

Collector of Excise Revenue, Ajmer-Merwara.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF EXCISE REVENUE,
AJMER-MERWARA,

Dated the 191 .

FORM B.—(RULE III).

Special license to Qualified Medical Practitioner for the sale of cocaine.

I, Collector of Excise Revenue, Ajmer-Merwara, do hereby authorise Mr. following the profession of medical practitioner at to sell cocaine at his dispensary at subject to the rules framed under Sections 2 (11), 9, 13, 27, and 62 and under Sections 2 (11), 5, 13, 16, 27, and 62 of the Excise Regulation (I of 1915), and also to the conditions and restrictions hereinafter mentioned :—

1. The licensee shall purchase all cocaine to be sold or dispensed under this license from a licensed vendor in India, or shall import it from foreign territory on a license granted by the Collector. Its import by means of the post or by any other means except under a license as aforesaid is prohibited.

2. The licensee, except when taking cocaine from one place to another as hereinafter permitted, shall not sell or keep or store cocaine in any place, except at his dispensary mentioned above.

3. The licensee shall be responsible for the acts and omissions of every person employed by him in carrying on the business of the said dispensary and of all his servants as if the acts and omissions were his own.

4. The licensee shall not sell or dispense cocaine, to any person except on *bonâ fide* medical prescription from a qualified medical practitioner or upon his own prescription and in quantities specified in the said prescription.

5. The licensee shall not carry from place to place in Ajmer-Merwara cocaine in excess of 20 grains when it is in a dry state or in excess of 2 drachms when it is in solution, without a special permit from the Collector to cover such transport.

6. The licensee shall keep in his dispensary an accurate and regular account in the form prescribed by the Collector showing from time to time the quantities of cocaine purchased, sold or dispensed by him.

7. The licensee shall produce the said accounts together with all prescriptions upon which cocaine has been sold or dispensed and this license and also any cocaine that may be in his possession for inspection on demand by an Excise officer not below the rank of Sub-Inspector or any Revenue officer not below the rank of Naib Tahsildar.

8. This license will hold good so long as the licensee continues to practise at the place specified in this license.

9. A breach of any one of the above conditions and restrictions will render the holder of this license liable to the penalties under Sections 33, 35 and 38 of the Excise Regulation (I of 1915).

Collector of Excise Revenue, Ajmer-Merwara.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF EXCISE REVENUE,
AJMER-MERWARA,
Dated the 191 .

Mount Abu, the 16th October 1916.

No. 3533.—With reference to rules X and IX of the rules published with his Notifications Nos. 3531 and 3532, dated the 16th October 1916, respectively and in supersession of his Notification No. 2040-1098, dated the 21st, October 1915, the Honourable the Chief Commissioner is pleased to exempt the following medicinal preparations of cocaine from the provisions of the Excise Regulation, 1915 (I of 1915) and rules thereunder :—

1. Mist, Hepatica Compound.
2. Pigment Cocaine and Hydrarg. Perchloride.
3. Ampoules containing cocaine in admixture with Adrenalin, Hemisine or Epinine when labelled by the makers as containing not more than ⅓rd grain of cocaine in each ampoule.

4. Coca Cordial
5. Elixir Damiana Compound
6. Ixidama and other similar palatable preparations
7. Kola Compound
8. Kola Cordial
9. Tonic Coca Wines

} when labelled by the makers as containing not more than half a drachm of Ext. Coca Liq. in each fluid ounce.

10. Cocaine hypodermic and other tablets :—
   - (*a*) Homatropine and cocaine.
   - (*b*) Atropine and cocaine.
   - (*c*) Pilocarpine and cocaine.
   - (*d*) Aromatic throat tablets containing menthol, myrrh, krameria and cocaine $\frac{1}{32}$nd gr.
   - (*e*) Aseptoids, Dr. Macnaughton Jones, each containing $\frac{1}{16}$th gr. of cocaine hydrochloride.

11. Ointments containing cocaine or other derivatives of coca in admixture with other drugs and rendered nauseous to the taste.

12. Ophthalmic tablets when labelled by the makers as containing not more than $\frac{1}{20}$th gr. of cocaine hydrochloride in each tablet.

13. Other preparations containing cocaine or other derivatives of coca in admixture with other drugs, when labelled by the makers as containing in the aggregate not more than such specified percentage of cocaine hydrochloride or other derivatives of coca per tablet, trochiscum, pastille, solube, sterule, enule, lamella or fluid drachm as will render it impossible for any such preparation to be taken for the effects of cocaine or any other derivative of coca alone.

Provided that—

I.—The exemption granted does not apply to the import of these preparations by sea through the post.

II.—Every preparation shall be labelled with the manufacturer's name.

III.—The exemption allowed by these orders shall not extend to preparations manufactured by any maker or firm whose produce may be declared by the Local Administration to be excluded from the scope of these orders.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 23rd October 1916.

No. 1522-C.—In supersession of notification No. 1432-C., dated the 27th August 1909, it is hereby notified that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the Mhow, Nimach and Nowgong Excise Law, 1898, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, is pleased to direct that with effect from the 1st October 1916 the duty payable on the import of country spirit into the Cantonment of Mhow shall be Rs. 3-2-0 per gallon, London Proof, to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than the strength of London proof.

No. 1523-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the Mhow, Nimach and Nowgong Excise Law, 1898, and in modification of so much of notification No. 1077-C., dated the 11th July 1913, as relates to charas, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, is pleased to direct that with effect from the 1st October 1916 the duty payable on the import of charas into the Cantonment of Mhow shall be Rs. 12 per se

No. 1524-C.—In supersession of notification No. 1434-C., dated the 27th August 1909, it is hereby notified that, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the Indore Residency Bazars Excise Law, 1904, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, is pleased to direct that with effect from the 1st October 1916 the duty payable on the import of country spirit into the Indore Residency Bazars shall be Rs. 3-2-0 per gallon, London Proof, to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than the strength of London Proof.

No. 1525-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the Indore Residency Bazars Excise Law, 1904, and in modification of so much of notification No. 1078-C., dated the 11th July 1913, as relates to charas, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, is pleased to direct that with effect from the 1st October 1916 the duty payable on the import of charas into the Indore Residency Bazars shall be Rs. 12 per seer.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General in Central India.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 6th October 1916.

No. 522-*J*.—Under the provisions of section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898), as in force in the Baluchistan Agency Territories by virtue of Foreign Department Notification No. 1603-I.B, dated the 28th July 1911, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to appoint Rai Sahib Lachhman Dass, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th grade and temporary Additional Extra Assistant Commissioner at Quetta, to be a Magistrate of the 1st Class within the limits of the Quetta District and under section 260 of the same Code to empower him to try in a summary way all or any of the offences mentioned in the latter section.

No. 523-*J*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 (*b*) of the British Baluchistan Civil Justice Regulation, 1896, as in force in the Agency Territories by virtue of Foreign Department Notification No. 1603-I.B, dated the 28th July 1911, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to direct that Rai Sahib Lachhman Dass, Senior Munsiff of Quetta, shall exercise jurisdiction in original suits of value not exceeding one thousand rupees.

No. 524-*J*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 94 (I) of the British Baluchistan Civil Justice Regulation, 1896, as in force in the Agency Territories by virtue of Foreign Department Notification No. 1603-I.B, dated the 28th July 1911, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to confer upon Rai Sahib Lachhman Dass, temporary Additional Extra Assistant Commissioner at Quetta, the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes in respect of suits not exceeding Rs. 500 (five hundred) in value to be exercised by him within the local limits of the District and Tahsil of Quetta.

No. 525-*J*.—Under the provisions of section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898), as in force in the Baluchistan Agency Territories by virtue of Foreign Department Notification No. 1603-I.B, dated the 28th July 1911, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to appoint Rai Sahib Lachhman Dass, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th Grade and temporary Additional Extra Assistant Commissioner, Quetta, to be a Special Magistrate of the 1st Class in regard to the cases generally within the limits of the Quetta Cantonment for such time as he holds the temporary appointment and under section 260 of the same Code to empower him to try in a summary way all or any of the offences mentioned in the latter section.

By order,
A. N. L. CATER,
First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 18th October 1916.

No. 3236-*R*.—Rai Sahib Lala Lachhman Dass, Sarishtedar of the office of the Political Agent and Deputy Commissioner, Quetta-Pishin, is appointed to be a temporary Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th grade and is hereby posted as Additional Extra Assistant Commissioner, Quetta, with effect from the 7th October 1916 and until further orders. (*Vide* Government of India, Army Department, letter No. H-7114, dated the 18th August 1915.)

No. 3237-*R*.—On relief by Rai Sahib Lala Lachhman Dass and with effect from the 7th October 1916, Sahibzada Mirza Izazuddin Ahmad Khan, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th grade and Additional Extra Assistant Commissioner, Quetta, reverts to the regular line and is posted as Extra Assistant Commissioner, Nasirabad, where he assumed charge of his duties on the 9th October 1916.

No. 3238-*R*.—Khan Sahib Munshi Juma Khan, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 5th grade and Extra Assistant Commissioner, Nasirabad, is granted privilege leave for two months and 20 days combined with furlough for one year with effect from the 6th October 1916.

No. 3239-*R*.—L. Tola Ram, a Provisional Tahsildar of the 4th grade and Tahsildar, Nasirabad, held charge of the current duties of the office of Extra Assistant Commissioner, Nasirabad, in addition to his own duties from the 6th to the 8th October 1916.

No. 3240-*R*.—In consequence of the reversion of Sahibzada Mirza Izazuddin Ahmad Khan to the regular line, Seth K. P. Kaikobad, S. P. T. Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th grade and Extra Assistant Commissioner, Kalat, becomes officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner of the same grade, with effect from the 7th October 1916.

Quetta, the 19th October 1916.

No. 3503.—The next half-yearly examination in the Brahui language by the prescribed tests will be held at Quetta in the Durbar Hall on Monday, the 27th November 1916, at 10-30 A.M.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 23rd September 1916.

No. 28.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave out of India on medical certificate, with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name :—

Lieutenant C. A. Scott, R.I.M. . .	4 months, with effect from 15th October 1916.

No. 29.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave in India on medical certificate, with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name :—

Temporary Lieutenant A. Sangster, R.I.M. .	1 month and 23 days, with effect from 21st September 1916.

F. J. WILSON,

for Director, Royal Indian Marine.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 18th October 1916.

No. 2564-*G*.—Mr. Ramjee Das, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, reverts to his own grade, with effect from the 4th October 1916.

The 24th October 1916.

No. 2681-*G*.—Mr. A. B. Colkers, Superintendent and Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, is appointed to be a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), in that office, with effect from the 10th July 1916.

No. 2682-*G*.—Mr. Ramjee Das, Officiating Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that division, with effect from the 14th October 1916.

No. 2683-*G*.—Mr. J. H. Brown, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 1st (Peshawar) Division, reverts to his own grade, with effect from the 19th October 1916.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,

Military Accountant General.

FINANCIAL ADVISER, MILITARY FINANCE.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE.

Simla, the 18th October 1916.

No. 1315-E.—Mr. W. C. Gleeson, Registrar, office of the Financial Adviser, Military Finance, has been granted privilege leave for three months and in continuation leave on medical certificate for three months, with effect from the 30th October 1916.

G. B. H. FELL,

Financial Adviser, Military Finance.

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a deserter or absentee without leave from the Anglo-Indian Force, dated at Sialkot, this 23rd day of October 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—1873-A. I. F., Private, Joseph Stevens.
Age—28 years.
Height—5 feet 6½ inches.
Colour of—Complexion, dark; hair, dark; eyes, dark.
Trade—Ticket Collector.
Date of Enlistment—14th October 1916.
Place of Enlistment—Fort William, Calcutta.
Parish and County in which Born—Asansol.
Date of desertion or absence—22nd October 1916.
Place of desertion or absence—Sialkot.
Marks—*Nil.*
Under 6 months' service.

W. G. OFFICER, Capt. and Adjutant, for Lt.-Col.,

Commanding 1st Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

Report of a deserter or absentee without leave from the 2nd Battalion, The Black Watch, dated at Poona, this 21st day of October 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—706, Private, J. Shields.
Age—28 years 7 months.
Height—5 feet 3 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, light brown; eyes, blue.
Trade—Millworker.
Date of Enlistment—7th September 1906.
Place of Enlistment—Glasgow.
Parish and County in which born—Glasgow (Dems toun) Lanarkshire (Scotland).
Date of desertion or absence—28th September 1916.
Place of desertion or absence—Poona (India).
Marks—*Nil.*
Under 11 years' service.

E. A. MARPLES, Major,

Commandant, Combined British Infantry Depôt.

NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 20th October 1916.

No. 25.—Mr. G. Thomson, District Locomotive Superintendent, is granted, under Articles 233, 246, 260 and 308 of the Civil Service Regulations, combined leave for 15 months, *viz.*, privilege leave for 3 months and furlough for the remaining period, with effect from the 27th July 1916.

S. L. CRASTER, Colonel,

Agent, N. W. Railway, Lahore.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions. Day.	Month.	Year.	Date of the adjudication. Day.	Month.	Year.
608—[illegible]	Manilal Bapalal Patel	Hindu	Hanuman Lane	Lately Cloth merchant in the name of Nabhulal Manilal and also dealer in butter in the name of the Swiss Dairy Farm and now unemployed.	13th	October	1916	17th	October	1916
611—1916	Shaik Amir alias Mira Shaik Hossein Moolain.	Mohomedan	Parel Wageshwari	Fitter in the Bombay Gas Company, Ld.	18th	"	"	18th	"	"
61[illegible]—[illegible]	[illegible] Pentoo Komti [illegible].	Hindu	Bhundari Street Durgadavi Road.	Lately Contractor of Theatrical Performances and now unemployed.	23rd	"	"	23rd	"	"
613—[illegible]	[illegible] Madhu Kasai	Mohomedan	Huzaria Street	Lately butcher trading in the name of Sarval Madhu and thereafter Farrier on his own account and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"

[illegible] petitions of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of [illegible] vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT,
Bombay, this 23rd day of October 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 35 OF 1916.

Delhi, the 13th October 1916.

In the matter of Gulab and Shitab, sons of Chhotu of Delhi, Debtors.

Pursuant to a petition dated 14th April 1916 on behalf of the said debtors, and on reading the said petition and in the absence of the creditors, it is ordered that the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 48 OF 1916.

The 17th October 1916.

In the matter of Hafiz Mumtaz Beg, son of Mirza Wazir Beg of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition dated 28th June 1916 on behalf of the abovenamed debtor, and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors, it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

SUIT No. 57 OF 1916.

The 17th October 1916.

In the matter of Insolvency of Salag, son of Rai Singh, Caste Chohan, of Delhi, Chotta Lalmiyan, Debtor.

It is hereby notified, under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Salag to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 1st November 1916.

SUIT No. 58 OF 1916.

The 21st October 1916.

In the matter of Insolvency of Mendhi Hassan, son of Baqar Ali, of Machhliwalan, Delhi, Debtor.

It is hereby notified, under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Mendhi Hassan to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 21st November 1916.

SUIT No. 59 OF 1916.

The 21st October 1916.

In the matter of Insolvency of Shaman, son of Gordhan Kahar of Tokriwalan, Delhi, Debtor.

It is hereby notified, under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Shaman to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 16th day of November 1916.

RAHIM BAKHSH,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

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POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 18th October 1916.

No. 2753 s-*Ap*.—Mr. N. M. Buckner, Superintendent of post offices, officiating in the 4th grade and Assistant Director of Postal Services with the East African Expeditionary Force, is granted special leave on full pay for three months and in continuation thereof leave on medical certificate for twelve days, with effect from the 7th August 1916, under Army Department letters Nos. H-5332 and H-5529, dated the 4th June 1916 and 26th June 1916, respectively.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 20th October 1916.

No. 5204-*T*.—Mr. C. O'Doherty, Superintendent, Karachi Telegraph Office, retired from the service of Government with effect from the 7th October 1916.

This cancels Notification No. 3512-T., dated the 31st August 1916.

The 24th October 1916.

No. 5261-*T*.—The following reversions are ordered with effect from the 1st October 1916:—

Name.	Rank.	
	From	To
Mr. C. D. Vigers	Officiating Superintendent, Calcutta telegraph office.	Officiating Assistant Superintendent, Calcutta telegraph office.
" A. J. E. Falloon	Officiating Assistant Superintendent, Calcutta telegraph office.	Deputy Superintendent, 1st Class.
" A. Cabral	Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Telegraph Master.

The 25th October 1916.

No. 5288-*T*.—Mr. R. J. Keys, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class, is appointed to officiate in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch as Superintendent in Charge of the Simla and Delhi Telegraph offices, with effect from the 19th September 1916, *vice* Mr. J. J. Platel granted combined leave.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 25th October 1916.

No. 5286-T.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 19th October 1916 to 25th October 1916.

Name of office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
Government Telegraph Offices.			
Akora Camp	North-West Frontier	15th October 1916	Opened.
Draman	Punjab	5th October 1916	Closed.
Railway Telegraph Offices.			
Balanagar	His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed Railway.	1st October 1916	Opened.
Chatanpalli	Ditto.	1st October 1916	"
Falaknama	Ditto.	1st October 1916	"
Faqarsar	North Western Railway	10th October 1916	"
Gullapalli	His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed Railway.	1st October 1916	"
Hyderabad Residency	Ditto.	1st October 1916	"
Jadcherla	Ditto.	1st October 1916	"
Mahbubnagar	Ditto.	1st October 1916	"
Secunderabad Temporary station.	Ditto.	1st October 1916	"
Sidlaghatta	Mysore State Railway	2nd September 1916	"
Timmapur	His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed Railway.	1st October 1916	"
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R. MEREDITH,
Deputy Director-General of Telegraph Traffic.

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CHURCH MISSION LODGE, ALIGARH,
The 23rd September 1916.

M. E. HUNTER,
Late M. E. Schneider.

LOST.

The Government Promissory Note No. 070402 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 10,000 (Ten thousand), originally standing in the name of Mohamad Umar Khan, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost between the night of the 24th and 25th August 1916, at the Delhi Railway Station, notice is hereby given that the payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office and that application is about to be made for the issue of a duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are hereby cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

QAZI MOHAMAD UMAR KHAN,
son of QAZI ABDUR RAHIM, Pensioner,
Resident of Ganj, Peshawar City.

PESHAWAR;
Dated 30th August 1916.

STOLEN.

The Government Promissory Note No. 071521 of the 3 (three) per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 1,000 (one thousand), originally standing in the name of the National Bank of India, Limited, and last endorsed to Atma Ram, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

ATMA RAM, Proprietor,
Sewak Steam Press, Lahore.

STOLEN.

The Government Promissory Note No. 150075 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for (Rs. 100) One hundred only, originally standing in the name of Bejoy Gopal Majumdar and last endorsed to the Collector of Nadia, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

BISWAMBHAR RAY
(Rai Bahadur),
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Nadia.

KRISHNAGAR,
The 27th September 1916.

STOLEN.

Three Government Promissory Notes Nos. 241651, 241652 and 241653 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rupees 1,000 (one thousand) each, originally standing in the name of Madhav Govind Bhalerao, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned securities.

Name of the Advertiser—MADHAV GOVIND BHALERAO,
Residence—Dharangaon (East Khandeish).

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FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING SEPTEMBER, 1916.

REVIEW of the SEA-BORNE TRADE and NAVIGATION of BRITISH INDIA for the month of SEPTEMBER, 1916, and for the six months ended SEPTEMBER, 1916

FOREIGN COMMERCE.

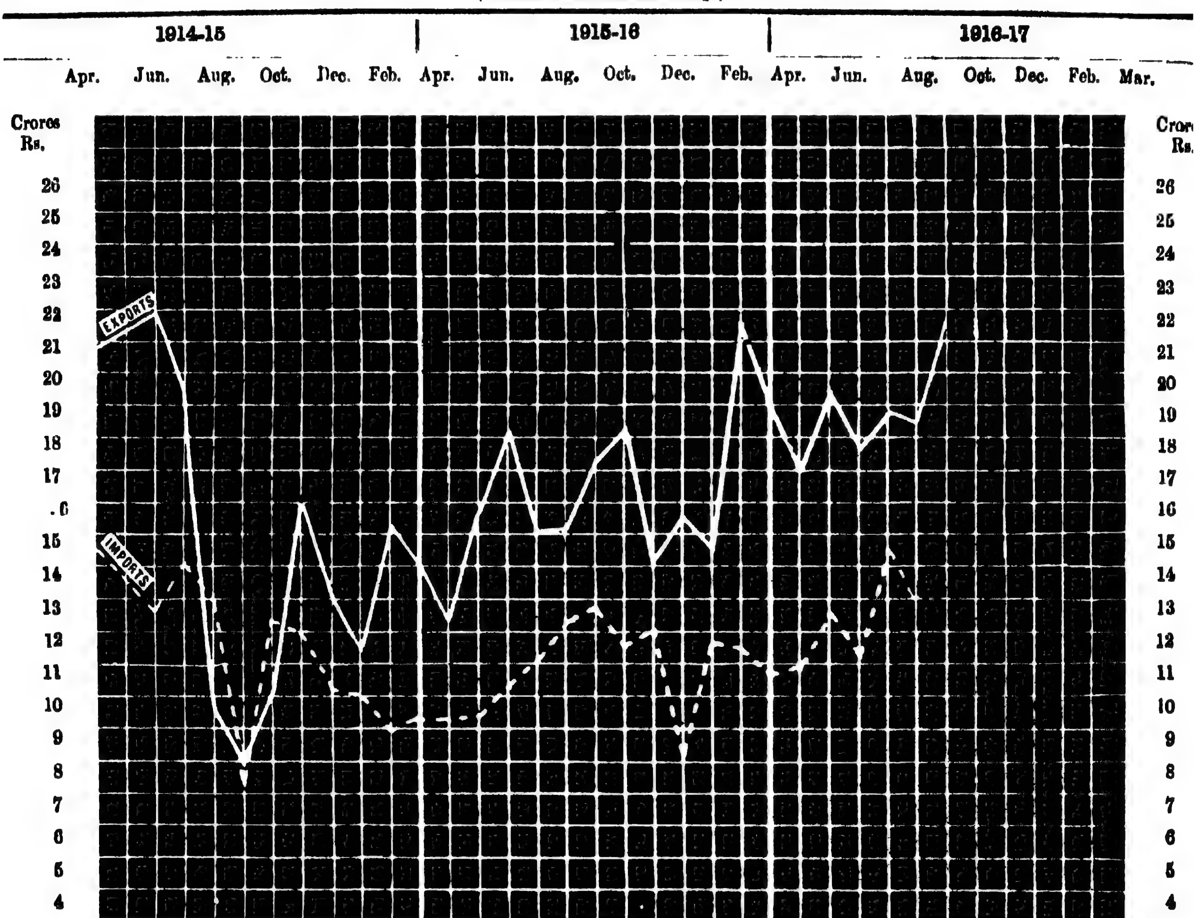
FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING SEPTEMBER, 1916.

The trade returns of British India for September, 1916, as compared with those of its immediate predecessor, showed increases in total imports, exports, and re-exports. The total imports of merchandise were valued at R13 crores, the exports at nearly R21 crores, and the re-exports at R80½ lakhs. As compared with the preceding month (August, 1916), the imports increased by ·7 per cent, exports by 17 per cent, and re-exports by 12 per cent. As compared with September, 1915, the imports showed an increase of 1 per cent, exports of over 23 per cent, and re-exports of 123 per cent.

The chart showing the course of monthly imports and exports, including re-exports, from April, 1914, to September, 1916, is appended below:—

MONTHLY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FROM APRIL, 1914, TO SEPTEMBER, 1916.

(Private Merchandise only.)



The actual net excess of exports, including re-exports, over imports was R5,68 lakhs in August, 1916, and R8,69 lakhs in September, 1916. The statement below shows the figures of imports and exports, including re-exports, during August and September of the years 1914, 1915, and 1916, and the actual net excess of exports over imports during the same periods:—

	1914		1915		1916		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1914	1915	1916
	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)
August . . .	12,93	9,78	12,35	15,23 (b)	12,92	18,60	—3,15	2,88	5,68
September . .	7,40	7,97	12,88	17,38 (a)	13,01	21,70	57	4,50	8,69

(a) Includes R2,94,092, being the value of wheat exported on Government account in September, 1915.
(b) Includes R44,46,886, being the value of wheat exported on Government account in August, 1915.

Comparisons with August, 1916.—As compared with August, 1916, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (+R21⅗ lakhs), salt (+R6⅗ lakhs), mineral oils, other than kerosene (+R12⅓ lakhs), raw silk (+R15 lakhs), cotton grey piecegoods (+R21 lakhs), coloured or printed piecegoods (+R14⅔ lakhs), and silk piecegoods (+R10⅘ lakhs), but *decreases* under liquors (—R9 lakhs), precious stones and pearls, unset (—R11 lakhs), iron or steel sheets and plates (—R7 lakhs), paper (—R13 lakhs), railway plant and rolling-stock (—R16 lakhs), and cotton twist and yarn (—R5¾ lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under wheat (+R78 lakhs), tea (+R18 lakhs), linseed (+R53⅔ lakhs), rapeseed (+R8⅔ lakhs), raw jute (+R1,09 lakhs), raw cotton (+R1,20⅗ lakhs), indigo (+R6⅗ lakhs), cotton twist and yarn (+R72¼ lakhs), cotton piecegoods (+R15¾ lakhs), but *decreases* under rice (—R44 lakhs), barley (—R10¼ lakhs), lac (—R6 lakhs), raw hides and skins (—R15⅗ lakhs), groundnut seed (—R8⅗ lakhs), raw wool (—R22 lakhs), hides, tanned etc. (—R21½ lakhs), saltpetre (—R5¾ lakhs), jute, gunny bags (—R27 lakhs), and jute, gunny cloth (—R31½ lakhs).

Comparisons with September, 1915.—As compared with September, 1915, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under salt (+R5 lakhs), cigarettes (+R4⅔ lakhs), mineral oils, other than kerosene (+R15 lakhs), motor cars and motor cycles (+R9 lakhs), cotton, coloured piecegoods (+R27⅔ lakhs), but *decreases* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (—R41 lakhs), betelnuts (—R6 lakhs), steel bars and channel (—R10 lakhs), iron or steel, pipes and fittings, cast (—R13 lakhs), and sheets and plates (—R7½ lakhs), railway plant and rolling-stock (—R31 lakhs), and cotton twist and yarn (—R6½ lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under wheat (private and Government) (+R1,57 lakhs), pulse (+R7 lakhs), rice (+R48⅔ lakhs), raw skins (+R18⅔ lakhs), linseed (+R74 lakhs), rapeseed (+R9 lakhs), sesamum (+R6 lakhs), raw cotton (+R1,37 lakhs), hides, tanned (+R6 lakhs), skins, tanned (+R21⅗ lakhs), rubber, raw (+R7 lakhs), cotton twist and yarn (+R21 lakhs), cotton piecegoods (+R26 lakhs), and jute, gunny cloth (+R27½ lakhs), but *decreases* under barley (—R24 lakhs), tea, black (—R70⅗ lakhs), raw hides (—R23⅔ lakhs), raw jute (—R16 lakhs), raw wool (—R24⅘ lakhs), jute, gunny bags (—R12½ lakhs), and bran and pollards (—R7⅔ lakhs).

VARIATIONS IN CLASSES.

The variations in September, 1915 and 1916, as compared with August, 1915 and 1916, respectively, according to the four main classes of merchandise, are as follows:—

	August 1915 R(lakhs)	September 1915 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)	August 1916 R(lakhs)	September 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)
IMPORTS						
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	3,31	2,90	—41	2,31	2,48	+17
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	89	80	—9	95	1,04	+9
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	7,95	9,02	+1,07	9,49	9,35	—14
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	20	11	—9	17	14	—3
Total	12,35	12,83	+48	12,92	13,01	+9

EXPORTS	August 1915 R(lakhs)	September 1915 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)	August 1916 R(lakhs)	September 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	5,52(b)	4,69(a)	—83	5,42	5,90	+48
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	3,87	6,21	+2,34	5,55	8,00*	+2,45
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	5,27	5,86	+59	6,71	6,82	+11
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	14	21	+7	19	17	—2
Total	14,80(b)	16,97(a)	+2,17	17,87*	20,89*	+3,02

The imports in September, 1915, were more than those in August, 1915, by R48 lakhs, while the imports in September, 1916, were more by R9 lakhs than those in August, 1916. In September, 1915, the imports of Food, drink, and tobacco decreased by R41 lakhs, while in September, 1916, they were more by R17 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The imports of Raw materials in September, 1915, were less by R9 lakhs, and of Manufactured articles more by R1,07 lakhs. In September, 1916, Raw materials increased by R9 lakhs, and Manufactured articles decreased by R14 lakhs.

Under exports, the figures for September, 1915, were more than those for August, 1915, by R2,17 lakhs, and in September, 1916, the figures were more by R3,02 lakhs as compared with August, 1916. In September, 1916, Food, drink, and tobacco showed an increase of R48 lakhs, as against a decrease of R83 lakhs in September, 1915, while Raw materials showed an increase of R2,45 lakhs, as against an increase of R2,34 lakhs in September, 1915. Manufactured articles showed an increase of R11 lakhs in September, 1916, as against an increase of R59 lakhs in the corresponding month of last year.

COMPARISON WITH THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF THE PRECEDING MONTH (AUGUST, 1916).†

I.—Imports.

AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF SUGAR AND SALT AND A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF SPICES.

Imports of Food, drink, and tobacco in September, 1916, increased by R17 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, increased in September, 1916, to 40,393 tons, valued at R1,35 lakhs, from 33,196 tons, valued at R1,11 lakhs, in the preceding month (August, 1916). Imports from Java increased to 36,617 tons from 31,958 tons in August, 1916 and those from Mauritius to 495 tons from *nil* in the preceding month. In the six months, April to September, 1916, the imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, amounted to 173,812 tons, valued at R5,66 lakhs, as against 230,826 tons, valued at R7,15½ lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year. Imports of salt increased in September, 1916, to 51,333 tons, valued at R16½ lakhs, from 31,239 tons, valued at R9⅘ lakhs, in the preceding month, mainly due to larger imports from Spain and Egypt. Imports of spices decreased in September, 1916, to 9 million lbs from over 11 million lbs in the preceding month, due mainly to the smaller imports of betelnuts from the Straits Settlements.

AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF RAW MATERIALS.

The value of the imports of Raw materials in September, 1916, increased by R9 lakhs. Imports of mineral oils increased in September, 1916, to nearly 11 million gallons, valued at R45⅘ lakhs, from 7 million gallons, valued at R32 lakhs, in the preceding month, due mainly to larger imports of lubricating and fuel oils. Imports of raw silk also increased in September, 1916, to 393,816 lbs, valued at R21½ lakhs, from 128,690 lbs, valued at R6½ lakhs, in August, 1916, due to larger imports from China. Imports of precious stones and pearls, unset, decreased in September, 1916, to nearly R8 lakhs, from R19 lakhs in the preceding month, due mainly to smaller imports from the Bahrein Islands.

A Decrease in the Imports of Manufactured Articles.

The value of the imports of Manufactured articles decreased by R14 lakhs. The imports of cotton piecegoods, including fents, in September, 1916, increased to 168⅜ million yards, valued at R3,84 lakhs, from 153¼ million yards, valued at R3,50 lakhs, in the preceding month. Grey goods increased by nearly 10 million yards, and coloured, printed, or dyed, by 5 million yards, to 79 million yards and 37 million yards, respectively. In the six months, April to September, 1916, the total imports of cotton piecegoods amounted to 1,080 million yards, valued at R23½ crores, as against 1,186 million yards, valued at R19⅓ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year. The quantity of iron and steel imported increased in September, 1916, to 24,038 tons from 21,781 tons in the preceding month (August, 1916). Imports of iron or steel sheets and plates decreased in September, 1916, to 5,702 tons, valued at R22¾ lakhs, from 7,617 tons, valued at R29¾ lakhs, in August, 1916. Imports of motor cars, in September, 1916, increased to 386 cars, valued at nearly R13 lakhs, from 245 cars, valued at R8½ lakhs, in the preceding month. Imports of paper and pasteboard decreased in September, 1916, to R13⅔ lakhs from R27¼ lakhs in the preceding month, due mainly to smaller imports of printing paper. Imports of silk piecegoods increased in September, 1916, to 2⅖ million yards, valued at R21¾ lakhs, from 1 million yards, valued at nearly R11 lakhs, in the preceding month, due mainly to increased imports from China and Japan.

II.—Exports.

A decrease in the exports of rice and barley, and an increase in the exports of wheat.

Exports of Food, drink, and tobacco increased in September, 1916, by R48 lakhs as compared with the preceding month. Exports of rice, not in the husk, decreased in September, 1916, to 100,228 tons, valued at R1,25⅖ lakhs, from 146,685 tons, valued at R1,70½ lakhs, in the preceding month. The marginal table shows the exports in August and September, 1916, to certain principal importing countries. The United Kingdom, Java, Mauritius, Ceylon, and the West Indies reduced their demands, while shipments to the Straits Settlements increased. In the six months ended September, 1916, the exports amounted to 753,272 tons, valued at R8,76 lakhs, as against 666,996 tons, valued at R7,21 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Rice, not in the husk

Exports of rice, not in the husk

	August, 1916	September, 1916
	tons	tons
To United Kingdom .	27,272	24,283
„ Portugal . .	9,278	...
„ Ceylon . . .	27,216	18,912
„ Straits Settlements .	12,397	24,040
„ Java . . .	31,497	4,000
„ West Indies . .	16,347	2,417
„ Mauritius . .	4,954	1,709
Total (including other countries) .	146,685	100,228

Wheat.

Exports of wheat on private account increased in September, 1916, to 138,736 tons, valued at R1,64⅗ lakhs, from 74,911 tons, valued at R86¾ lakhs, in the preceding month. There were no exports on Government account in August or September, 1916. The United Kingdom took 103,329 tons, Italy 25,537 tons, and France 6,200 tons of the total exports during September, 1916. In the six months ended September, 1916, the exports (on private and Government account) amounted to 304,871 tons, valued at R3,54⅓ lakhs, as against 648,687 tons, valued at R8,38⅗ lakhs in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Barley.

Exports of barley decreased in September, 1916, to 11,718 tons from 20,385 tons in the preceding month, mainly due to smaller shipments to the United Kingdom.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF TEA.

Tea.

Shipments of tea in September, 1916, increased to 38⅝ million lbs, valued at R2,20½ lakhs, from 34½ million lbs, valued at R2,02½ lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took nearly 30 million lbs in September, 1916, as against nearly 28 million lbs, in August, 1916, and Russia nearly 4½ million lbs as against nearly 2 million lbs. The total exports in the six months ended September, 1916, amounted to 139⅝ million lbs, valued at R8,18¾ lakhs, as against 145 million lbs, valued at R9,01 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW MATERIALS.

Raw Cotton

Exports of raw cotton

	August, 1916	Sept., 1916
	tons	tons
To Japan	16,802	31,984
„ Italy	3,666	1,651
„ United Kingdom	2,777	2,497
„ China	1,031	2,220
Total (including other countries)	26,128	40,850

The value of the exports of Raw materials increased by R2,45 lakhs. The marginal table shows the exports of raw cotton during August and September, 1916, to the principal importing countries. The exports to Japan increased heavily and China also received larger quantities, while there were smaller shipments to Italy and the United Kingdom. In the six months ended September, 1916, the exports amounted to 246,366 tons, valued at R17¾ crores, as against 237,669 tons, valued at R11⅛ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Raw Jute.

Exports of raw jute in September, 1916, amounted to 51,731 tons, valued at R1,52 lakhs, as against 14,972 tons, valued at R43 lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took 34,905 tons, as against 8,483 tons in August, 1916. In the six months ended September, 1916, the exports amounted to 167,621 tons, valued at R4,89 lakhs, as against 235,127 tons, valued at R5,48 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Raw wool.

Exports of raw wool entirely to the United Kingdom amounted in September, 1916, to nearly 2 million lbs against 5½ million lbs in the preceding month.

Raw hides.

Exports of raw hides decreased in September, 1916, to 1,938 tons, valued at R29⅗ lakhs, from 2,244 tons, valued at R37⅝ lakhs in the preceding month. The United States of America took 624 tons, as against 367 tons in the preceding month.

Raw skins.

Exports of raw skins decreased in September, 1916, to 2,035 tons from 2,750 tons in the preceding month. The United States of America took 1,745 tons, as against 2,479 tons in August, 1916.

Oil-seeds.

Exports of seeds in September, 1916, amounted to 91,212 tons, valued at R1,57 lakhs, as against 58,597 tons, valued at R94⅓ lakhs in the preceding month. Exports of linseed increased to 52,705 tons, valued at R96⅝ lakhs, from 25,889 tons, valued at R42¾ lakhs in the preceding month. Exports of castor seed, cotton seed, rape seed, and sesamum also increased, while those of groundnuts decreased.

A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF JUTE MANUFACTURES AND AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF COTTON MANUFACTURES.

Jute gunny bags.

The value of the exports of manufactured articles increased by R11 lakhs. Exports of jute gunny bags decreased in September, 1916, to 73 millions in number, valued at R2,01¾ lakhs, from 86 millions, valued at R2,28⅝ lakhs, in the

preceding month. The marginal table shows the number of hessian and sacking bags exported to certain principal countries during August and September, 1916. The exports to the United Kingdom, Russia, and Chile decreased, while those to Australia, France, and the West Indies increased. The exports of jute gunny bags, in the six months ended September, 1916, amounted to 406 millions in number, valued at nearly R11,78⅔ lakhs, as against 319 millions, valued at R8,93¾ lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Exports of gunny bags

	August, 1916			September, 1916		
	Sacking, (millions of bags)	Hessian, (millions of bags)	Total (millions of bags)	Sacking, (millions of bags)	Hessian, (millions of bags)	Total (millions of bags)
United Kingdom .	2	37·9	39·9	2·2	24·3	26·5
Australia . .	10·6	·3	10·9	11·6	·1	11·7
Russia . .	...	4·2	4·2	...	·8	·8
France . .	·4	·4	·8	·6	6·1	6·7
United States of America . .	1·8	...	1·8	1	...	1
Chile . . .	10·3	...	10·3	6·3	...	6·3
West Indies .	2·6	·8	3·4	6·1	·4	6·5
Total (including other countries)	39·7	46·4	86·1	37·3	35·9	73·2

Jute gunny cloth.

Exports of Jute gunny cloth in September, 1916, decreased to 110½ million yards, valued at R1,77 lakhs, from 129¾ million yards, valued at R 2,08¼ lakhs, in the preceding month. Exports to the Argentine decreased by 32 million yards and to the United Kingdom by 4 million yards, while the United States of America took 12½ million yards more than in the preceding month. In the six months ended September, 1916, the exports amounted to 609 million yards, valued at R9,88½ lakhs, as against nearly 630 million yards, valued at R 8,61⅘ lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Exports of gunny cloth

	August, 1916			September, 1916		
	Sacking, (millions of yards)	Hessian, (millions of yards)	Total (millions of yards)	Sacking, (millions of yards)	Hessian, (millions of yards)	Total (millions of yards)
United Kingdom .	·4	21·3	21·7	·7	17·1	17·8
Russia . .	...	3·1	3·1	...	3·7	3·7
France . .	...	4·1	4·1	...	9 9	9·9
Australia . .	·8	2·1	2·9	·7	2	2·7
Canada . .	...	4	4	...	3·2	3·2
United States of America . .	...	36	36	...	48·6	48·6
Argentine Republic . .	...	53·6	53·6	...	21·8	21·8
Total (including other countries)	1·9	127·8	129·7	1·5	108·9	110·4

Cotton, twist and yarn and piecegoods.

Exports of cotton twist and yarn increased in September, 1916, to 23⅔ million lbs, valued at R 1,04 lakhs, from over 7 million lbs, valued at R 32 lakhs in the preceding month, due mainly to heavy shipments to China. The value of cotton piecegoods exported also increased to R 42¾ lakhs, from R 27 lakhs in the preceding month.

Six months ended September 1916.

The summary of the results for the six months ended September, 1914, 1915, and 1916, is as follows:—

	1914		1915		1916		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports.	Exports, including re-exports	1914	1915	1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Merchandise . .	75,10	1,01,35	65,45	94,02(a)	75,20	113,49(b)	26,25	28,57	38,29
Treasure (private) .	13,86	2,74	7,51	1,47	6,33	1,69	—11,12	—6,04	—4,64

(a) Includes R6,88,59,547, being the value of wheat exported on Government account in May to September, 1915.
(b) Includes R3,13,000 " " " in April, 1916.

It will be seen that, during the six months ended September, 1916, as compared with the six months ended September, 1915, the imports of merchandise increased by R9,75 lakhs or 15 per cent, and the exports, including re-exports, by R19,47 lakhs or 21 per cent. The total value of merchandise increased by R29¼ crores, or 19 per cent, to nearly R1,88¾ crores.

CHIEF INCREASES AND DECREASES.

Comparing the values of the imports during the six months ended September, 1916, with those in the corresponding period of 1915, the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

Increases

Class	Item	R (thousands)	Class	Item	R (thousands)
Class I	Biscuits and cakes	21,44	Class III	Glass and glassware	30,51
	Salt	18,79		Motor cars and motor cycles	59,03
	Spirit	24,87		Stationery	14,99
	Cigarettes	27,97		Textile machinery	22,97
Class II	Mineral oil (other than kerosene)	49,53		Paper (excluding pasteboard)	54,08
	Wood (timber)	10,62		Cotton, twist and yarn	13,68
	Precious stones and pearls, unset	13,55		" white piecegoods	1,81,68
Class III	Boots and shoes	11,80		" coloured "	3,39,76
	Chemicals	36,03		" hosiery	35,97
	Drugs and medicines	21,87		Haberdashery and millinery	33,29
	Hardware	41,18		Woollen piecegoods	28,04
	Instruments, electrical	28,47		Tea-chests	6,79
	Paints and colours	21,63		Toys	9,28
				Soap	7,28
				Umbrellas	7,14
			Class IV	Horses	23,23

Decreases

Class	Item	R (thousands)	Class	Item	R (thousands)
Class I	Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	1,49,57	Class III	Railway carriages and wagons	51,45
	Betelnuts	8,89		" locomotive engines, etc.	81,44
Class II	Kerosene oil	26,08		" materials for construction	25,63
	Silk (raw)	13,29		Silk piecegoods	15,42
Class III	Copper, wrought	34,11		Cotton grey piecegoods	1,36,12
	Bars and channel (steel)	12,97		Cement	13,58
	Iron or steel—sheets and plates	33,31		Matches	31,43
	" beams, pillars, etc.	16,18			
	" pipes and fittings (cast)	14,07			

Under exports the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

Increases

Class	Item	R (thousands)	Class	Item	R (thousands)
Class I	Pulse	27,95	Class II	Sesamum seed	53,39
	Rice	1,61,68		Rubber (raw)	24,81
Class II	Coal	8,19		Cotton (raw)	5,91,35
	Lac	40,46		Hemp (raw)	15,61
	Hides (raw)	65,67		Silk (raw)	10,62
	Skins (raw)	1,47,49		Wool (raw)	31,23
	Manganese ore	37,99	Class III	Saltpetre	24,04
	Coconut oil	11,25		Opium	8,35
	Castor seed	25,62		Indigo	83,35
	Cotton seed	5,36		Myrobalans	9,93
	Groundnut seed	18,99		Hides, tanned, etc.	66,93
	Linseed	2,58,76		Skins, " "	1,05,44
	Rape seed	15,91		Cotton piecegoods	71,11
				Jute gunny bags	2,84,84
				" " cloth	1,26,70

Decreases

Class	Item	R (thousands)	Class	Item	R (thousands)
Class I	Coffee	12,44	Class II	Jute (raw)	58,96
	Barley	17,36		Wood, teak	12,81
	Gram	13,97	Class III	Cotton twist and yarn	8,72
	Jawar and bajra	5,64		Oil cakes	10,36
	Wheat (private and Government)	4,83,87	Class IV	Bran and pollards	19,73
	Spices, pepper	10,14			
	Tea	82,09			

Imports of Foreign Merchandise.

In the following table are shown the quantities and values of the principal articles of imports during the six months ended September, 1916, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1915:—

Principal Articles		Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the six months ended September, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915	
		1915	1916	1915	1916	Quantity	Value
		(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Apparel (excluding haberdashery, hosiery, and boots and shoes)		—	—	68,46	81,06	—	+12,60
Carriages and carts (including cycles and motor cars)		—	—	62,57	1,24,57	—	+62,00
Chemicals		—	—	71,06	1,07,09	—	+36,03
Coal	tons	60	18	10,81	6,79	—42	—4,02
Drugs and medicines		—	—	59,60	81,47	—	+21,87
Dyes, aniline and alizarine	lbs	466	299	9,37	7,38	—167	—1,99
Fruits and vegetables		—	—	27,70	19,01	—	—8,69
Glass and glassware		—	—	49,31	79,82	—	+30,51
Hardware		—	—	1,17,85	1,59,03	—	+41,18
Instruments, apparatus, etc.		—	—	61,89	1,01,99	—	+40,10
Liquors	gals.	2,296	2,646	93,67	1,37,09	+350	+43,42
Machinery of all kinds, including belting for machinery		—	—	2,78,42	3,41,43	—	+69,01
Matches	gross	10,744	4,857	78,92	47,49	—5,887	—31,43
Metals, iron and steel	tons	239	152	4,81,72	4,81,18	—87	—54
„ copper	cwts	85	14	52,58	14,89	—71	—37,69
Oils—mineral	gals.	47,389	45,488	2,01,77	2,25,22	—1,901	+23,45
Paper and pasteboard		—	—	65,33	1,21,05	—	+55,72
Provisions and oilman's stores		—	—	96,67	1,59,76	—	+63,09
Railway plant and rolling-stock		—	—	2,74,89	1,15,87	—	—1,58,52
Salt	tons	312	245	57,40	76,19	—67	+18,79
Spices	lbs	76,684	67,374	86,61	86,41	—9,310	—20
Stationery		—	—	26,16	41,15	—	+14,99
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwts	4,617	3,476	7,15,56	5,65,99	—1,141	—1,49,57
Textiles— Cotton, raw	„	13	12	5,16	5,78	—1	+62
„ twist and yarn	lbs	23,208	16,809	1,96,15	2,09,83	—6,399	+13,68
„ grey piecegoods	yards	700,069	481,702	10,38,86	9,02,74	—2,18,367	—1,36,12
„ white „	„	316,951	346,679	5,27,88	7,09,56	+29,728	+1,81,68
„ coloured „	„	156,148	227,242	3,58,47	6,98,23	+71,094	+3,39,76
„ other sorts of manufactures		—	—	99,63	2,15,35	—	+1,15,72
Silk, raw	lbs	1,164	815	55,06	41,77	—349	—13,29
„ manufactures		—	—	1,40,39	1,41,38	—	+99
Woollen manufactures		—	—	42,16	78,54	—	+36,38

Exports of Indian Merchandise.

The table below shows the quantities and values of the principal articles of Indian merchandise exported during the six months ended September, 1916, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1915 :—

Principal Articles		Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the six months ended September, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915	
		1915	1916	1915	1916	Quantity	Value
		(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Coal	tons	377	482	35,54	43,73	+105	+8,19
Coffee	cwts	106	86	58,61	46,17	—20	—12,44
Dyes, indigo	"	7	9	27,99	61,34	+2	+33,35
Grain, pulse, and flour— Rice, in the husk	"	252	446	7,97	14,79	+194	+6,82
Rice, not in the husk	"	13,340	15,065	7,21,03	8,75,91	+1,725	+1,54,88
Wheat (a) Private	"	2,305	6,045	1,49,81	3,51,40	+3,740	+2,01,59
Wheat (a) Government	"	10,669	52	6,88,59	3,13	—10,617	—6,85,46
Wheat (a) Total	"	12,974	6,097	8,38,40	3,54,53	—6,877	—4,83,87
Wheat flour	"	539	540	51,77	45,34	+1	—6,43
Barley	"	2,530	2,010	1,27,16	1,09,80	—490	—17,36
Jawar and bajra	"	433	302	21,99	16,35	—131	—5,64
Pulse	"	1,345	1,540	84,55	1,12,50	+195	+27,95
Other sorts	"	484	124	25,10	7,18	—360	—17,92
Hides, raw	"	403	435	2,79,99	3,45,66	+32	+65,67
Skins, raw	"	217	285	1,38,24	2,85,73	+68	+1,47,49
Hides and skins, raw, cuttings	"	7	6	70	68	—1	—2
Hides and skins, tanned or dressed	"	202	254	2,67,66	4,40,03	+52	+1,72,37
Lac	"	201	217	75,62	1,22,08	+16	+46,46
Manures	tons	34	28	25,25	25,23	—6	—2
Manganese ore	"	177	336	30,59	68,58	+159	+37,99
Oilcakes	cwts	1,587	1,148	58,03	47,66	—439	—10,36
Opium	"	7	6	72,74	81,09	—1	+8,35
Seeds	"	5,798	9,875	4,06,04	8,36,01	+4,077	+4,29,97
Tea	lbs	144,868	139,582	9,00,86	8,18,77	—5,286	—82,09
Textiles— Cotton, raw	cwts	4,753	4,927	11,82,32	17,73,67	+174	+5,91,35
" twist and yarn	lbs	81,867	77,379	3,50,42	3,41,70	—4,488	—8,72
" piecegoods	yards	48,416	92,404	1,08,80	1,79,91	+43,988	+71,11
Jute, raw	tons	235	168	5,48,03	4,89,07	—67	—58,96
" gunny bags Sacking	no.	318,897	131,258	8,93,78	7,20,73	+86,963	+2,84,84
" gunny bags Hessian	"		224,602		4,57,89		
" gunny bags Total	"		405,860		11,78,62		
" gunny cloth Sacking	yards	629,599	19,623	8,61,84	38,30	—20,706	+1,96,70
" gunny cloth Hessian	"		589,270		9,50,24		
" gunny cloth Total	"		608,893		9,88,54		
Wool, raw	lbs	35,116	28,444	1,92,32	2,23,55	—6,672	+31,23
Wood, teak	cubic tons	20	14	38,81	26,00	—6	—12,81

(a) Exports of wheat on Government account are shown separately under Government stores from April, 1915.

TRADE BY PROVINCES.

The total imports and exports, including re-exports, of private merchandise into and from the several maritime provinces during the month of September, 1916, as compared with those of August, 1916, are stated below :—

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS, INCLUDING RE-EXPORTS	
	August, 1916	September, 1916	August, 1916	September, 1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Bengal	5,13	4,98	8,17	8,82
Bombay	4,47	4,66	3,92	7,28
Sind	93	1,20	2,02	2,35
Madras	1,38	1,15	2,77	2,15
Burma	1,01	1,02	1,71	1,10
Total	12,92	13,01	18,59	21,70

Under imports, Bombay showed an increase of 4 per cent, Sind of 29 per cent, and Burma of 1 per cent, but Bengal showed a decrease of 3 per cent, and Madras of 17 per cent. Under exports, Bombay showed an increase of 86 per cent, Sind of 16 per cent, and Bengal of 8 per cent, while Burma showed a decrease of 36 per cent, and Madras of 22 per cent. These comparisons are with the preceding month (August, 1916).

TRADE WITH THE ALLIES AND NEUTRAL COUNTRIES.

The total trade with the Allies and the principal neutral countries in the month of September, 1916, as compared with August, 1916, is noted below :—

	Imports			Exports			Total		
	August, 1916	September, 1916	+ or —	August, 1916	September, 1916	+ or —	August, 1916	September, 1916	+ or —
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
United Kingdom	7,98	7,83	—15	6,60	7,99	+1,39	14,58	15,82	+1,24
Russia	4	...	—4	32	48	+16	36	48	+12
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
France	25	11	—14	94	1,10	+16	1,19	1,21	+2
Italy	23	16	—7	58	89	+31	81	1,05	+24
Japan	1,14	98	—16	1,51	2,73	+1,22	2,65	3,71	+1,06
Sweden	11	...	—11	...	...	...	11	...	—11
Norway	11	1	—10	3	...	—3	14	1	—13
Holland	9	9	...	1	...	—1	10	9	—1
Spain	1	5	+4	10	9	—1	11	14	+3
United States of America	59	92	+33	1,53	1,68	+15	2,12	2,60	+48

It will be observed that in September, 1916, as compared with August, 1916, the total trade with the Allies and the principal neutral countries, except with Sweden, Norway, and Holland increased. There were, however, smaller imports from all the countries except from Spain and the United States of America. Imports from the United Kingdom decreased by R15 lakhs, Russia by R4 lakhs, France by R14 lakhs, Italy by R7 lakhs, Japan by R16 lakhs, Sweden by R11 lakhs, and Norway by R10 lakhs. Imports from Spain increased by R4 lakhs, and from the United States of America by R33 lakhs. Under exports, the United Kingdom accounted for an increase of R1,39 lakhs, Japan of R1,22 lakhs, Italy of R31 lakhs, France and Russia of R16 lakhs each, and the United States of America of R15 lakhs, while Spain alone showed a decrease of R1 lakh. There were practically no imports from Russia and no trade with Belgium and Sweden. The above comparisons are with the preceding month (August, 1916).

BALANCE OF TRADE.

India's Balance of Trade during the six months ended September, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915, is shown in the following table. The table takes into account the imports and exports of merchandise and

treasure on private account only as well as the value of wheat exported on Government account:

	April to September, 1915	April to September, 1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports*	94,02(a)	113,49 (b)
Imports " *	65,45	75,20
Excess of Exports over Imports	28,57	38,29
Net Imports of Gold*	2,40	5,33
" " " Silver*	3,64	—69
Net Imports of Treasure	6,04	4,64
Net (private) exports of merchandise and treasure *	22,53	33,65
Council bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India	5,40·2	10,27·1
Sterling bills on London sold in India	7,38·3	...
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports)	86·5	11
Interest on enfaced Rupee paper	[illegible]·6	14·9
	September (1915)	September (1916)
	d.	d.
Rate of exchange	16·013	16·118(c)

In the six months, April to September, 1916, the excess of exports over imports of private merchandise was R38,29 lakhs, as against R28,57 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1915, and the net imports of treasure were R4,64 lakhs as against R6,04 lakhs last year. The net exports (merchandise and treasure) were R33,65 lakhs, as against R22,53 lakhs in 1915.

The amount of Council bills and Telegraphic Transfers paid in India in the six months ended September, 1916, was R10,27 lakhs, of which R99 lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R3,06¼ lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and R6,21¾ lakhs through the Treasuries. In the six months ended September, 1915, the amount was about R5,40¼ lakhs, paid entirely through the Treasuries. As regards enfaced rupee paper, R22 lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London, and R33 lakhs the amount re-transferred from London, in the six months April to September, 1916, while in the corresponding period of 1915, R21¼ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London and R1,07¾ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London.

Movements of Gold and Silver (Private and Government).

In the month of September, 1916, the imports of gold were valued at R 1,10 lakhs and the exports at R2 lakhs, as against about R63 lakhs and R2 lakhs, respectively, in August, 1916. Of the imports, gold bullion was valued at R96⅓ lakhs, as against R50⅔ lakhs in the preceding month. Bullion worth R3⅗ lakhs was imported from the United Kingdom in September, 1916, as against nearly R1 lakh in August, 1916, over R74½ lakhs from Natal as against *nil*, R5¾ lakhs from the United States of America as against R27¼ lakhs, and R12 lakhs from China as against R19¼ lakhs. Sovereigns and other British gold coin were valued at R9⅘ lakhs, as against over R9¾ lakhs in the preceding month. As regards exports, gold bullion worth R6,000 and sovereigns worth R1,95,000 were exported in the month of report, as against R7,700 and R1,96,500, respectively, in August, 1916.

Imports of silver were valued at nearly R 1,87 lakhs, of which R1,82 lakhs were on account of Government, as against R2,73½ lakhs on private and Government account in August, 1916. Bullion worth R1,56 lakhs was imported, as against R1,31⅔ lakhs in the preceding month. Exports of silver were valued at R44⅗ lakhs, entirely on private account, as against R41⅔ lakhs, both on private and Government account, in the preceding month.

* Exclusive of Government transactions (other than wheat in the case of exports).
(a) Includes R6,88,59,547, being the value of wheat exported on Government account.
(b) Includes R8,18,000, being the value of wheat exported on Government account.
(c) Approximate.

DECLARED VALUE PER UNIT OF SELECTED ARTICLES.

The declared values per unit of certain selected articles imported and exported during September, 1915 and 1916, are noted below :—

		September 1915	September 1916			September 1915	September 1916
		R A. P.	R A. P.			R A. P.	R A. P.
Imports				*Exports*—contd.			
Coal	ton	17 8 10	23 2 0	Indigo	cwt	355 11 7	630 11 3
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwt	15 9 5	16 11 8	Rice, not in the husk .	,,	7 2 5	6 4 1
Cotton, twist and yarn .	lb	0 14 4	1 4 2	Wheat	,,	6 8 4	5 14 11
,, grey piecegoods	yard	0 2 5	0 3 2	Manganese ore . .	ton	17 1 11	18 5 0
,, white ,,	,,	0 2 10	0 3 4	Tea	lb	0 9 6	0 9 1
,, coloured ,,	,,	0 3 7	0 5 5	Cotton, raw . . .	cwt	25 11 4	38 0 6
Exports				Jute, raw . . .	bale	50 6 11	52 7 6
Coal	ton	9 11 7	9 4 5	,, gunny bags . .	no.	0 4 3	0 4 5
Coffee	cwt	56 13 2	54 9 10	,, gunny cloth .	yard	0 2 6	0 2 7

Under imports, the declared unit value of coal rose by 32 per cent, of sugar by 7 per cent, of cotton twist and yarn by 41 per cent, and of cotton piecegoods, grey and white by 31 per cent and 18 per cent, respectively, and coloured by 51 per cent. Under exports, indigo showed an increase of 77 per cent, jute gunny cloth of 3 per cent, raw cotton of 48 per cent, raw jute of 4 per cent, and manganese ore of 7 per cent, while wheat showed a decrease of 9 per cent, tea and coffee of 4 per cent each, and rice, not in the husk, of 13 per cent. Coal showed a slight decrease in the declared value per unit. These comparisons are with the corresponding month of the previous year.

CUSTOMS REVENUE.*

The following table shows the gross Indian sea customs revenue (excluding salt revenue) collected on principal and other articles in September, 1916, as compared with August, 1916, and September, 1915 and 1913 :—

	September 1913 (pre-war month)	September 1915	August 1916	September 1916	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in September 1916, as compared with August 1916	September 1915	September 1913
Import duty	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
Special duties—	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)
Arms	56	57	81	1,06	+25	+49	+50
Cotton goods . .	20,10	12,10	12,80	13,90	+1,10	+1,80	—6,20
Liquors . . .	10,37	10,21	11,04	10,38	—66	+17	+1
Petroleum . . .	3,82	3,97	4,42	2,77	—1,65	—1,20	—1,05
Silver, bullion and coin .	10,26	9,70	1,23	54	—69	—9,16	—9,72
Silver manufactures .	(a)	(a)	45	17	—28	—	—
Sugar	11,67	5,83	11,32	11,53	+21	+5,70	—14
Tobacco . . .	2,51	2,27	4,55	4,61	+6	+2,34	+2,10
General duties—							
Metals excluding silver, but including hardware, etc. . . .	5,44	3,26	7,30	7,24	—6	+3,98	+1,80
Other articles . .	20,88	17,10	32,75	29,78	—2,97	+12,68	+8,90
Total import duty . .	85,61	65,01	86,67	81,98	—4,69	+16,97 (b)	—3,63 (b)
Export duty on jute .	—	—	5,99	8,72	+2,73	—	—
,, ,, rice .	6,48	3,46	7,44	6,30	—1,14	+2,84	—18
,, ,, tea .	—	—	4,95	5,25	+30	—	—

The customs duty figures are an index to the volume of the import trade alone, as under exports jute, rice, and tea only are now subject to duty. In the six months ended September, 1916, the import duties increased to R4,78½ lakhs from nearly R3,58½ lakhs in the six months ended September, 1915, and the export duty on rice rose to nearly R38½ lakhs from about R33½ lakhs. The new export duty levied on raw jute amounted to R14,91,000, on jute manufactures to R18,78,000, and on tea to R18,50,000, in the six months, April to September, 1916. The total customs revenue (excluding salt but including excise duty on cotton goods and land customs) for the six months amounted to over R5,96 lakhs, as compared with nearly R4,15½ lakhs for the same period last year.

* The Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, IV of 1916, came into force with effect from 1st March, 1916.
(a) Included with "other articles".
(b) The details are less by R17,000 than the total on account of the inclusion of the figures of "silver manufactures" with "other articles" in September, 1915 and 1913.

SHIPPING.

The following table shows the number and tonnage of vessels, which entered and cleared with cargoes at ports in British India during September, 1916, as compared with August, 1916, and September, 1915, 1914 and 1913:—

Entered with cargoes.

	STEAMERS.		SAILING VESSELS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
September, 1916	160	320,880	51	3,738	211	324,618
August, 1916	169	341,028	43	3,585	212	344,613
September, 1915	172	375,667	40	3,205	212	378,872
September, 1914	131	277,878	44	3,739	175	281,617
September, 1913 (pre-war month)	193	534,152	41	3,136	234	537,288

Cleared with cargoes.

	STEAMERS.		SAILING VESSELS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
September, 1916	236	468,444	329	27,128	565	495,572
August, 1916	243	501,029	105	9,145	348	510,174
September, 1915	237	501,526	93	12,323	330	513,849
September, 1914	144	287,732	88	7,496	232	295,228
September, 1913 (pre-war month)	212	601,602	74	5,571	286	607,173

In the month of September, 1916, there were 211 arrivals* and 565 sailings † with cargoes in and from India. As regards tonnage, if a comparison be made with September, 1913, the corresponding pre-war month, it will be seen that there is a decrease in the tonnage of vessels cleared with cargoes of 111,601 tons or 18 per cent. The clearances from Sind in September, 1916, showed an increase of 33 per cent as compared with September, 1913; while Bengal recorded a decrease of 19 per cent, Bombay of 34 per cent, Madras of 33 per cent, and Burma of 21 per cent. The decrease in the entries (with cargoes) amounted to 212,670 tons or 40 per cent.

The shipping clearances with cargoes in foreign trade from the ports of British India in the six months, April to September, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1913, *i.e.*, before the war broke out, show the present position of the freight market as follows:—

	TONNAGE CLEARANCES IN THE SIX MONTHS, APRIL TO SEPTEMBER.	
	1913 Peace conditions.	1916 War conditions.
British ships (including British Indian)	3,227,915	2,425,820
Foreign ships	890,443	494,340
TOTAL	4,118,358	2,920,160

Under war conditions, the total tonnage clearances have declined 29 per cent. Under peace conditions, the British (including British Indian) tonnage was 78 per cent and foreign tonnage 22 per cent of the total, while under war conditions, the British (including British Indian) tonnage is 83 per cent and foreign tonnage 17 per cent.

RAILWAY STATISTICS.

Railway statistics, like the import and export statistics above, are a valuable indication of the general movement of trade throughout the country, and show that the earnings from 1st April to 30th September, 1916, were R33,45 lakhs as against R 30,31 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1915 or an increase of R3,14 lakhs.

* The details were as follows:—Bengal 29, Bombay 32, Sind 25, Madras 106, and Burma 19.
† The details were as follows:—Bengal 49, Bombay 40, Sind 288, Madras 161, and Burma 27.

TRADE OF ADEN, DURING AUGUST,* 1916.

In the month of August, 1916, the grand total value of the imports and exports of merchandise, by sea, into and from the port of Aden amounted to nearly R72 lakhs. The values of the principal articles of imports and exports during August, 1916, were as follows:—

	Imports R (thousands.)	Exports R (thousands.)
Cotton manufactures	5,83	12,63
Hides and skins, raw	5,06	9,40
Grain and pulse	1,62	4,45
Coffee	2,40	4,64
Coal	3,33	—
Tobacco, unmanufactured	72	1,47
Provisions	1,22	80
Sugar	7	—
Spices	21	—
Salt	—	29
Pearls	—	1,42

SHIPPING AT THE PORT OF ADEN IN AUGUST, 1916.

In August, 1916, 72 steamers with an aggregate tonnage of 160,830 entered at the port of Aden, while 76 steamers with 173,046 tons, cleared from the port. Nine sailing vessels (country craft) with 223 tons entered and 7 vessels with 192 tons cleared from the port. These figures exclude vessels in ballast and Government vessels.

* Figures for September, 1916 have not yet been received.

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IMPORTS INTO CHIEF PORTS DURING AUGUST, 1916

RETURN SHOWING the QUANTITIES of the PRINCIPAL STAPLES of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE IMPORTED into CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, KARACHI and MADRAS PORTS by RAIL, RIVER and SEA during AUGUST, 1916

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TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SELECTED ARTICLES IN AUGUST, 1916.

The object of the tables below is to show the quantities of the principal staples of agricultural produce imported from the various provinces, etc., and from foreign countries into the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi, and the Madras ports during the month of August, 1916, and for the five months April to August, 1916, as compared with the corresponding periods of 1915. The statistics include foreign sea-borne and coasting trade as well as inland (rail and river-borne) trade. They have been furnished by Collectors of Customs, Steamer Companies, Railway Audit Officers, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, etc.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN AUGUST 1915 AND 1916.

It will be seen from Table I, that the imports by rail, river and sea in August, 1916, as against the corresponding month of 1915, show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

42 per cent in tea

(28,625,000 lbs as against 49,535,400 lbs last year.)

35 per cent in jute.

(418,800 bales as against 644,600 bales last year.)

31 per cent in gram and pulse.

(24,300 tons as against 35,300 tons last year.)

26 per cent in raw cotton.

(87,800 bales as against 118,000 bales last year.)

23 per cent in rice (including paddy).

(84,800 tons as against 110,100 tons last year).

The imports of wheat (excluding wheat flour) by rail, river and sea into ports show an increase of 445 per cent (206,100 tons as against 37,800 tons last year) due mainly to larger exports from the Punjab and the Central Provinces and Berar. The increase of 103 per cent (34,900 tons as against 17,200 tons last year) in the imports of linseed is accounted for by larger exports mainly from Bihar and Orissa and the United Provinces. The imports of rape and mustard seed show a rise of 5 per cent (12,400 tons as against 11,800 tons last year) owing mainly to larger exports from the United Provinces.

It will be seen from Table IV (wheat, excluding wheat flour) that the principal sources of the imports in August, 1915, were the Punjab, the United Provinces and Sind and British Baluchistan. During the corresponding month of 1916, the Punjab sent by far the largest quantity, namely, 77 per cent of the total. Table XI shows the *exports* out of India of wheat (including wheat flour) month by month during the last five years.

NOTE.—One bale of cotton or jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.
One maund is equivalent to 82⅐ lbs.
One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN FIVE MONTHS ENDING AUGUST 1915 AND 1916.

The five months' figures in table I show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

53 per cent in jute.
(928,300 bales as against 1,965,800 bales last year.)

39 per cent in rice (including paddy).
(438,700 tons as against 718,600 tons last year.)

30 per cent in raw cotton.
(1,027,900 bales as against 1,471,100 bales last year.)

28 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).
(578,100 tons as against 802,400 tons last year.)

25 per cent in tea.
(81,196,400 lbs. as against 108,606,200 lbs. last year.)

10 per cent in gram and pulse.
(177,800 tons as against 198,300 tons last year.)

Imports of linseed by rail, river and sea into ports show an increase of 66 per cent (215,900 tons as against 130,100 tons last year) mainly on account of larger exports from the United Provinces, Bihar and Orissa and the Central Provinces and Berar. The increase of 24 per cent (92,700 tons as against 74,500 tons last year) in rape and mustard seed is accounted for by larger exports from up-country into the ports mainly from the United Provinces.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN AUGUST 1916 AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS MONTH.

As compared with July, 1916, the imports in August 1916 into the ports referred to above show (in round numbers) an increase of—

200 per cent in jute.
(418,800 bales as against 139,700 bales previous month.)

66 per cent in rice (including paddy).
(84,800 tons as against 51,200 tons previous month.)

39 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).
(206,100 tons as against 148,200 tons previous month.)

20 per cent in tea.
(28,625,000 lbs. as against 23,929,600 lbs. previous month.)

and a decrease of

29 per cent in linseed.
(34,900 tons as against 49,300 tons previous month.)

27 per cent in gram and pulse.
(24,300 tons as against 33,500 tons previous month.)

26 per cent in raw cotton.
(87,800 bales as against 118,100 bales previous month.)

23 per cent in rape and mustard seed.
(12,400 tons as against 16,200 tons previous month.)

The Statistics for August 1915 and 1916, as also for the five months ending August 1915 and 1916, together with those for July and August 1916 are summarised below :—

SUMMARY TABLE I.

(1) Articles	(2) Imports, August 1915	(3) Imports, August 1916	(4) Imports, April to August 1915	(5) Imports, April to August 1916	(6) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in August 1916, as compared with August 1915	(7) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in five months April to August 1916, as compared with five months April to August 1915
	bales	bales	bales	bales	Per cent	Per cent
Cotton, raw . . .	118,009	87,820	1,471,433	1,027,8 9	—25·6	—30·1
	tons	tons	tons	tons		
Wheat (excluding wheat flour)	37,784	206,092	802,367	578,072	+415·4	—28
Rice (including paddy)	110,434	84,757	718,577	438,668	—23·3	—39
Gram and Pulse . .	35,281	24,326	198.308	177,817	—31·1	—10·3
Linseed . . .	17,181	34,891	130,145	215,918	+103·1	+65·9
Rape and Mustard seed .	11,813	12,443	74,515	92,709	+5·3	+24·4
	bales	bales	bales	bales		
Jute	644,588	418,835	1,965,785	928,317	—35	—52·8
	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs		
Tea	49,535,358	28,624,978	108,606,163	81,196,394	—42·2	—25·2

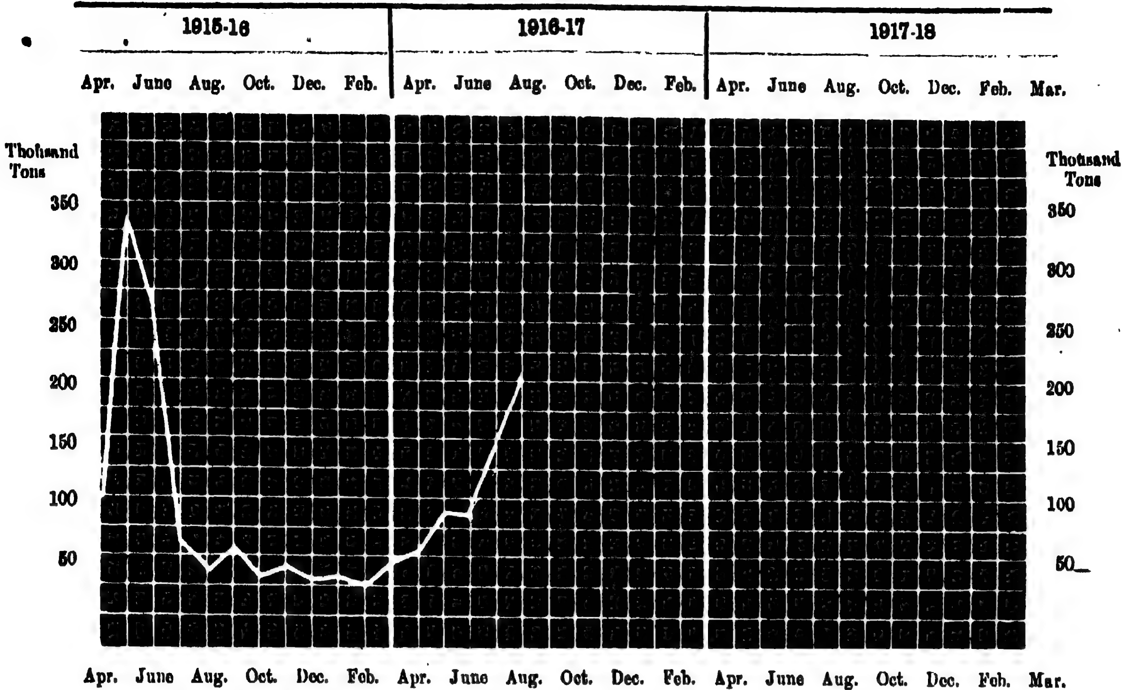
SUMMARY TABLE II.

Articles	Imports, July 1916	Imports, August 1916	Increase (+) or decrease (—) of Imports in August 1916 as compared with July 1916
	bales	bales	Per cent
Cotton, raw	118,145	87,820	—25·7
	tons	tons	
Wheat (excluding wheat flour) . . .	148,211	206,092	+39·1
Rice (including paddy)	51,195	84,757	+65·6
Gram and Pulse	33,526	24,326	—27·4
Linseed.	49,252	34,891	—29·2
Rape and Mustard seed	16,159	12,443	—23
	bales	bales	
Jute	139,711	418,835	+199·8
	lbs	lbs	
Tea	23,929,684	28,624,978	+19·6

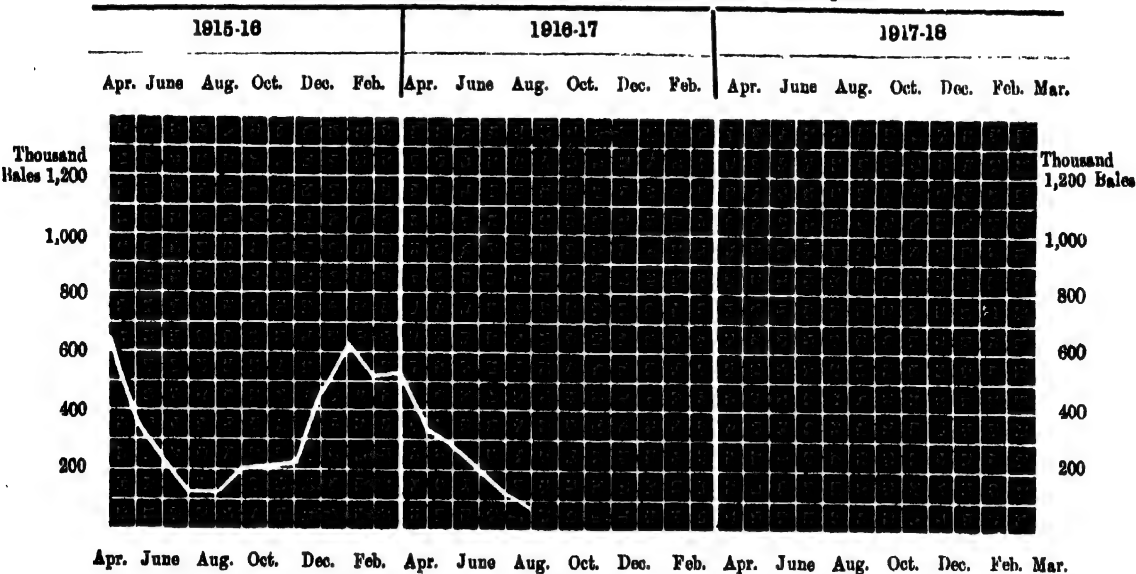
The annexed chart shows the course of the monthly imports of wheat, cotton and jute from April 1915 to August 1916 :—

IMPORTS BY RAIL, RIVER AND SEA OF WHEAT, COTTON AND JUTE FROM APRIL 1915 TO AUGUST 1916

WHEAT
Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay and Karachi



COTTON (RAW)
Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay, Karachi and Madras ports



JUTE (RAW)
Imported into Calcutta

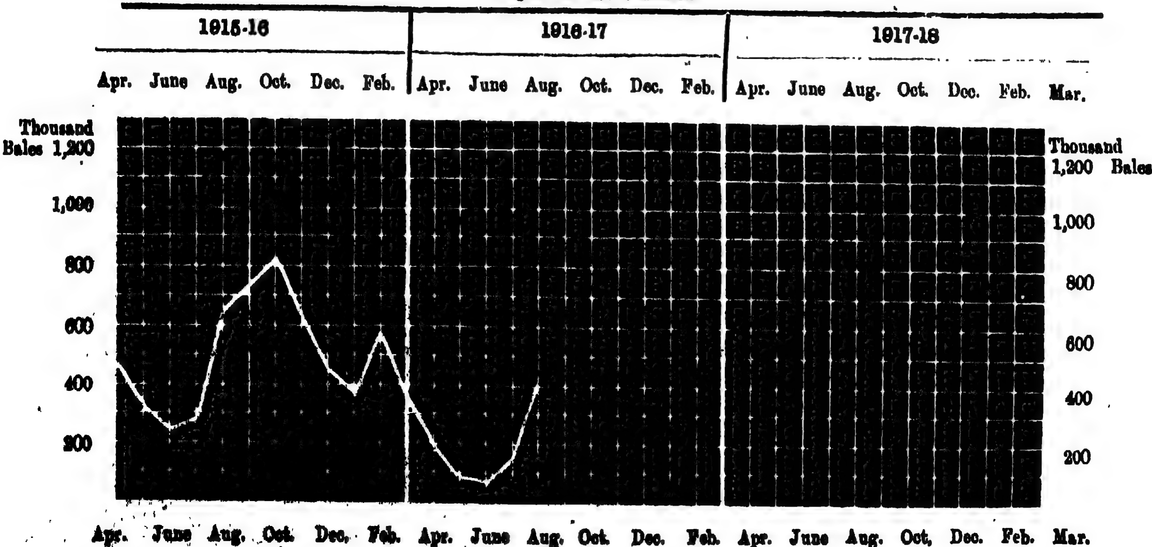


TABLE III.—Cotton, raw

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		Madras ports		TOTAL	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
	Imports in August									
	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales
By Rail and River—										
Assam	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	
Bengal	4,458	273	...	61	...	...	...	...	4,458	334
Bihar and Orissa	39	76	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	76
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	342	450	10,326	8,149	...	...	...	...	10,668	8,599
Punjab	...	6	2,744	2,845	2,822	330	...	...	5,566	3,181
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	..	..	...	706	104	...	...	706	104
Raj. and C. India	...	1	7,258	6,936	...	...	...	..	7,258	6,927
Bombay	728	7	19,751	9,690	..	..	649	950	21,128	10,647
Central Provinces and Berar	1,505	3,869	6,278	5,890	...	...	...	...	7,583	9,259
Nizam's Territory	...	...	5,947	2,985	...	...	907	610	6,854	3,595
Madras	5	1,312	2,509	6,353	...	...	17,461	15,839	19,975	23,504
Mysore	...	...	168	189	...	...	260	100	437	289
TOTAL	6,916	5,994	54,981	42,568	3,528	434	19,286	17,499	84,711	66,515
By Sea—										
Bengal	1,428	...	...	..	...	.	...	...	1,428	..
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	..	...	...	...		...	...	.
Bombay	991	...	.	...	594	...	..	...	1,585	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	..	13,843	3,363	...	...	...	...	13,843	3,363
Madras	3,019	349	4,273	2,725	...	...	..	...	7,292	3,074
Burma	...	187	...	...	...	...	...	..	.	187
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	7,885	13,572	...	...	...	...	7,885	13,572
Foreign Countries	...	...	1,226	1,109	...	...	39	...	1,265	1,109
TOTAL	5,438	536	27,227	20,769	594	...	39	...	33,298	21,305
TOTAL IMPORTS	12,354	6,530	82,208	63,357	4,122	434	19,325	17,499	118,009	87,820
	Imports from April to end of August									
By Rail and River—										
Assam	878	525	...	...	...	...	...	...	878	525
Bengal	30,008	15,832	...	85	...	...	..	...	30,008	15,917
Bihar and Orissa	855	736	...	...	...	...	...	...	855	736
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	4,652	3,555	73,292	23,348	6	21	..	...	77,950	26,924
Punjab	1,603	9	23,689	12,144	47,095	15,312	...	...	72,387	27,465
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	40,481	7,130	...	...	40,481	7,130
Raj. and C. India	440	16	115,537	79,341	18	...	...	...	115,999	79,357
Bombay	5,266	4,857	417,246	198,166	...	197	7,924	10,727	430,436	213,447
Central Provinces and Berar	18,370	29,723	141,664	141,761	...	...	...	...	160,034	171,484
Nizam's Territory	...	295	73,548	44,532	...	...	4,687	806	78,235	45,633
Madras	1,370	6,716	27,850	79,151	...	...	139,042	156,813	168,262	242,680
Mysore	101	...	11,621	5,096	...	...	3,426	1,809	15,148	6,905
TOTAL	68,547	61,764	884,447	583,624	87,595	22,660	155,079	170,155	1,190,668	838,203
By Sea—										
Bengal	2,263	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	2,263	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	3,828	1,071	2,158	1	1,391	57	6,846	2,306	14,218	3,435
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	67,496	19,203	...	...	...	...	67,496	19,203
Madras	6,912	6,454	25,523	16,170	...	...	...	30	32,435	22,654
Burma	3,705	873	146	188	...	...		...	3,851	1,061
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	157,757	141,304		...	24	...	157,781	141,304
Foreign Countries	...	378	2,672	1,663	...	...	49	8	2,721	2,049
TOTAL	16,708	8,771	255,752	178,329	1,391	57	6,919	2,339	280,765	189,696
TOTAL IMPORTS	80,250	70,535	1,140,199	762,153	88,986	22,717	161,998	172,494	1,471,433	1,027,899

NOTE.—Provinces named in the first column include their chief port or ports. "Madras ports" includes the ports of Madras, French Ports (Pondicherry with its suburb Villianur and Karikal, exclusive of sea imports from Non-British Ports and Foreign countries), Negapatam, Tuticorin, Calicut, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Cuddalore, Cochin, Tellicherry, Cannanore, Masulipatam, Mangalore, Quilon, Porto Novo, Badagara and Dhanushkodi

One bale of cotton is equivalent to 400 lbs.

TABLE IV.—Wheat (excluding wheat flour)*

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916	City of Bombay 1915	City of Bombay 1916	Karachi 1915	Karachi 1916	TOTAL 1915	TOTAL 1916
	Imports in August							
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Bengal	148	85	...	...	...	...	148	85
Bihar and Orissa	584	1,477	...	...	...	...	584	1,477
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	11,118	10,831	25	540	206	2,901	11,844	13,792
Punjab	2,767	239	718	1,696	8,495	157,874	11,980	159,809
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	..	4,149	6,874	4,149	6,874
Raj. and C. India	92	496	1,380	3 613	...	27	1,473	4,136
Bombay	...	10	2,130	3,378	...	...	2,130	3,388
Central Provinces and Berar	1,967	5,510	657	10,050	...	...	2,624	15,590
Nizam's Territory	...	...	30	324	...	...	30	324
Madras	...	4	87	10	...	...	87	14
Mysore	...	...	6	...	...	...	6	...
Kashmir	...	.	...	.	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	16 671	13,202	5,033	19,611	12,850	166,676	34,554	204,489
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	7
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	2,221	772	...	...	2,221	772
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	1,009	822	...	...	1,009	822
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
TOTAL	...	...	3,230	1,594	...	9	3,230	1,603
TOTAL IMPORTS	16,671	18,202	8,263	21,205	12,850	166,685	37,784	203,092
	Imports from April to end of August							
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Bengal	758	283	...	211	...	...	758	494
Bihar and Orissa	3,362	5,987	..	...	...	...	3,362	5,987
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	97,583	44.879	26,295	4,417	76,578	3,107	200,456	51,903
Punjab	19,141	3,992	22,850	17,633	434,060	363,778	476,651	385.403
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	34,486	25.841	34.486	25,841
Raj. and C. India	133	792	21,346	17,133	257	47	21, 36	17,972
Bombay	96	10	14,865	10.143	...	...	14,961	10,153
Central Provinces and Berar	14,242	28,464	25 978	36,316	.	...	40,320	64,780
Nizam's Territory	...	...	691	858	...	...	691	858
Madras	18	5	110	10	...	...	128	15
Mysore	...	...	6	1	...	..	6	1
Kashmir	...	...	..	...	...	...	. .	...
TOTAL	135,333	83,912	112,141	86,722	545,981	392,773	793,455	563,407
By Sea—								
Bengal	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	5	11	72	16	77	27
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	2,408	11.150	284	...	2,692	11,150
Madras	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...
Burma	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	9
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	6,008	3 474	130	...	6,138	3,474
Foreign Countries	...	3	3	...	...	2	3	5
TOTAL	...	12	8,426	14,635	486	18	8,912	14,665
TOTAL IMPORTS	135,333	83,924	120,567	101,357	546.467	392,791	802,367	578,072

* See also Table XI

TABLE V.—Rice (including paddy)*

Whence exported	Calcutta		Karachi		Madras ports		TOTAL	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
	Imports in August							
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Bengal	6,571	5,143	...	...	...	9	6,571	5,152
Bihar and Orissa	113	702	...	...	...	360	113	1,062
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	2	6	..	25	...	...	2	31
Punjab	8	49	209	418	...	...	217	467
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	4,486	4,192	...	...	4,486	4,192
Raj. and C. India	...	...	..	.	..	...	...	...
Bombay	...	11	...	...	1	2	1	13
Central Provinces and Berar	75	221	...	...	...	47	75	268
Nizam's Territory		..	.	...	18	53	18	53
Madras	5,621	785	..	...	28,336	15,862	33,957	16,647
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	453	...	453
Kashmir	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
TOTAL	12,391	6,918	4,695	4,635	28,355	16,780	45,441	28,839
By Sea—								
Bengal	..	...	...	...	...		...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	2	5	8	11	...	5	10	21
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	55	32	...		55	32
Madras	1,419		...	...	..	...	1,419	...
Burma	44,473	52,962	...	...	15,207	3,010	59,680	55,972
Non-Br. Ports in India		...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	3,828	244	...	...	1	149	3,829	393
TOTAL	49,722	53.211	63	43	15,208	3.164	64,998	56,418
TOTAL IMPORTS	62 113	60,129	4,758	4,678	43,563	19,950	110,434	84,757
	Imports from April to end of August							
By Rail and River—								
Assam	43	94	...	...	...	...	43	94
Bengal	58,517	54.179	...	...	4	390	58,521	54,569
Bihar and Orissa	1,968	7,472	...	...	15	1,504	1,983	8,976
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	149	51	1	25	...	1	150	77
Punjab	58	194	935	3,164	...	..	993	3,358
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	1	22,712	34,455	...	...	22,712	34,456
Raj. and C. India	459		.	...	...	...	459	...
Bombay	4	49	1	...	55	23	60	72
Central Provinces and Berar	519	2,313	...	...	9	51	528	2,364
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	...	432	203	432	203
Madras	21 280	8,838	...	...	122,052	82.463	143,332	91,301
Mysore	...	...	...	...	6	666	6	666
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	82.997	73,191	23.649	37.644	122,578	85.301	229,219	196,136
By Sea—								
Bengal	23	...	.	...	1	37	24	37
Bihar and Orissa	73	761	...	...	...	...	73	761
Bombay	6	12	130	71	4,151	938	4,287	1,021
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	147	...	502	300	62	34	711	344
Madras	4,253	...	...	1	288	123	4,541	124
Burma	350,636	163,823	...	...	117,972	73,812	468,608	237,135
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2
Foreign Countries	11,107	2,610	...	...	7	508	11,114	3,118
TOTAL	366,245	166,706	632	374	122,481	75,452	489,358	242,532
TOTAL IMPORTS	449,242	239.897	24,281	38,018	245,054	160,753	718,577	438,668

* One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice

TABLE VI.—Gram and Pulse

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
	Imports in August							
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	6
Bengal	2,113	2,957	45	137	...	...	2,158	3,094
Bihar and Orissa	3,331	1,500	...	138	...	222	3,331	1,560
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	6,286	5,276	1,463	1,178	1,179	3,780	8,928	10,234
Punjab	3,155	195	3,992	2,733	5,900	424	13,047	3,352
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	182	418	182	418
Raj. and C. India	130	251	347	266	478	28	955	545
Bombay	4	...	1,894	1,569	...	...	1,898	1,569
Central Provinces and Berar	931	736	2 435	1,874	...	...	3,366	2,610
Nizam's Territory	...	...	424	267	...	...	424	267
Madras	20	134	26	...	...	...	46	134
Mysore	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	15,970	11,055	10,629	8,162	7,739	4,872	34,338	24,089
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	1	...	11	10	12	10
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	316	82	...	...	316	82
Madras	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	14
Burma	71	...	...	...	...	...	71	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	32	31	...	...	32	31
Foreign Countries	55	...	457	100	...	...	512	100
TOTAL	126	14	806	213	11	10	943	237
TOTAL IMPORTS	16,096	11,069	11,435	8,375	7,750	4 882	35,281	24,326
	Imports from April to end of August							
By Rail and River—								
Assam	2	9	...	...	...	...	2	9
Bengal	11,594	22,326	45	196	...	...	11,639	22,522
Bihar and Orissa	16,481	9,285	154	396	...	4-7	16,635	10,168
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	35,045	39,419	9,167	19,402	7,223	12,543	51,435	71,364
Punjab	12,564	690	24,356	7,622	32,873	13,147	69,793	21,459
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	35	...	4,408	5,634	4,443	5,634
Raj. and C. India	463	1,611	2,325	2,022	810	144	3,598	3,777
Bombay	34	29	11,973	6,775	23	35	12,030	6,839
Central Provinces and Berar	6,828	7,490	14,129	23,245	...	...	20,957	30,735
Nizam's Territory	69	127	1,175	2,185	...	...	1,244	2,312
Madras	265	363	103	43	...	...	368	406
Mysore	...	...	7	26	...	...	7	26
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	83,845	81,349	63,469	61,912	45,337	31,990	192,151	175,251
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	19	2	...	...	...	...	19	2
Bombay	1	...	341	76	93	336	435	412
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	994	553	2	52	996	605
Madras	137	52	15	...	..	...	152	52
Burma	1,259	151	29	371	...	...	1,288	522
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	701	146	35	1	736	149
Foreign Countries	865	54	2,164	769	2	1	2,581	824
TOTAL	1,781	259	4,244	1,017	132	390	6,157	2 586
TOTAL IMPORTS	85,126	81,608	67,713	63,829	45,469	32,380	193,308	177,817

TABLE VII.—Linseed

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
	Imports in August					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	7	267	...	15	7	282
Bengal	368	973	...	30	368	1,003
Bihar and Orissa	5.366	8,259	113	4,503	5,479	12,762
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	1,456	863	3,594	11,643	5,050	12,506
Punjab	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	..
Raj. and C. India	...	...	2,285	1,706	2,285	1.706
Bombay	...	...	752	487	752	487
Central Provinces and Berar	...	...	1,809	3,286	1.809	3,286
Nizam's Territory	...	...	1,338	2,302	1,338	2,3[illegible]2
Madras	...	...	1	30	1	30
Mysore	...	...	...	...		...
TOTAL	7,197	10,862	9,892	24,002	17,089	34 364
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	..	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay		...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	87	527	87	527
Foreign Countries	...	...	5	...	5	..
TOTAL	...	...	92	527	92	527
TOTAL IMPORTS	7 197	10,362	9,984	24.529	17,181	34 [illegible]91
	Imports from April to end of August					
By Rail and River—						
Assam	159	1,668	...	15	150	1,683
Bengal	1,243	2,717	...	1 690	1,243	4.407
Bihar and Orissa	38,7[illegible]7	49,239	155	15,737	38,912	64,976
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	21,976	17,483	12,847	54,855	34,823	72,838
Punjab	...	...	1	47	1	47
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	5		5
Raj. and C. India	567	411	21 192	[illegible],799	21,759	17,210
Bombay	...	...	4 952	[illegible],3 3	4 952	6,313
Central Provinces and Berar	505	641	11,987	2[illegible],289	12,442	28,8[illegible]
Nizam's Territory	...	...	13,761	16 921	13,761	16,921
Madras	...	9	153	454	153	463
Mysore	...	...	1	19	1	19
TOTAL	63,207	73,168	64,999	141 094	128,206	2'8,262
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	5		1	1	6	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	3	...	3	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	..	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	1,624	2.596	1,[illegible]24	2 596
Foreign Countries	51	...	55	59	106	59
TOTAL	56	...	1,888	2,[illegible]56	1,989	2,656
TOTAL IMPORTS	63,2[illegible]3	72,[illegible]68	66,[illegible]82	143,750	130,145	215 918

TABLE VIII.—Rape and Mustard Seed

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916	City of Bombay 1915	City of Bombay 1916	Total 1915	Total 1916
	Imports in August					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	72	151	...	...	72	151
Bengal	17	33	...	...	17	33
Bihar and Orissa	394	618	...	...	394	618
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	6,664	8,902	2,192	1,705	8,856	10,607
Punjab	11	...	...	...	11	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj and C. India	65	140	435	104	500	244
Bombay	13		1,588	307	1,601	307
Central Provinces and Berar	20	227	27	77	47	304
Nizam's Territory	...	...	14	2	14	2
Madras	...	171	...	2	...	173
Mysore	...	..	...	...	...	...
Total	7,256	10,242	4,256	2,197	11,512	12,439
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	301	...	301	...
Madras	...	...	...	..	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	4	...	4
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	...	301	4	301	4
Total Imports	7,256	10,242	4,557	2,201	11,813	12,443
	Imports from April to end of August					
By Rail and River—						
Assam	229	1,385	...	...	229	1,385
Bengal	172	466	...	17	172	483
Bihar and Orissa	838	2,436	...	...	838	2,436
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	52,596	73,901	8,457	9,597	61,053	83,498
Punjab	925	68	106	...	1,031	68
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	38	...	...	...	38	...
Raj. and C. India	248	730	1,227	998	1,475	1,728
Bombay	1,456	41	7,020	1,419	8,476	1,460
Central Provinces and Berar	88	1,306	110	529	198	1,835
Nizam's Territory	...	...	96	136	96	136
Madras	29	485	...	9	29	494
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	56,609	79,818	17,016	12,705	73,625	92,523
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	45	...	...	1	45	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	740	3	740	3
Madras	...	...	5	...	5	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	100	182	100	182
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	45	...	845	186	890	186
Total Imports	56,654	79,818	17,861	12,891	74,515	92,709

TABLE IX.—Jute

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916
	Imports in August	
	bales	bales
By Rail and River—		
Assam	8,721	7,810
Bengal	594,250	395,554
Bihar and Orissa	40,889	13,426
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	180
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	643,860	416,970
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	722	1,865
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	6	...
TOTAL	728	1,865
TOTAL IMPORTS	644,[illegible]88	418,835
	Imports from April to end of August	
By Rail and River—		
Assam	78,874	26,554
Bengal	1,612,027	798,576
Bihar and Orissa	248,055	88,826
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	180
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	1,938,956	909,136
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	26,403	19,180
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	426	1
TOTAL	26,829	19,181
TOTAL IMPORTS	1,965,785	928,317

NOTE.—One bale of jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.

By "Calcutta" is meant the town of Calcutta with Howrah and the Kidderpore Docks. The imports exclude, therefore, imports into those jute mills which are outside this area. Such mills form the large majority of the total mills manufacturing jute.

TABLE X.—Tea

Whence exported	Calcutta	
	1915	1916
	Imports in August	
	lbs.	lbs.
By Rail and River—		
Assam	28,786,423	24,189,419
Bengal	20,383,900	4,279,516
Bihar and Orissa	60,809	47,150
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	118,985	4,526
Punjab	51,346	823
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	411
Raj. and C. India	..	165
Bombay	2,715	...
Central Provinces and Berar	247	1 563
Nizam's Territory	1,975	...
Madras	5,266	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	49,411,666	28,473,573
By Sea—		
Bengal	117,149	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	3,200	420
Burma	120	850
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	3,223	150,135
TOTAL	123,692	151,405
TOTAL IMPORTS	49,535,358	28,624,978
	Imports from April to end of August	
By Rail and River—		
Assam	70,495,809	62,813,623
Bengal	36,758,336	17,983,050
Bihar and Orissa	163,540	100,882
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	727,472	25,099
Punjab	178,048	4,987
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	1,563
Raj. and C. India	...	658
Bombay	6,960	2,551
Central Provinces and Berar	359	1,975
Nizam's Territory	4,032	...
Madras	10,276	412
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	108,344,882	80,934,749
By Sea—		
Bengal	239,493	1,820
Bihar and Orissa	...	204
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	10,022	570
Burma	1,884	2,200
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	9,932	256,851
TOTAL	261,331	261,645
TOTAL IMPORTS	108,606,163	81,196,394

NOTE.—One maund is equivalent to 82⅔ lbs.

TABLE XI.

The following statements show the exports of (1) wheat, (2) wheat flour and (3) Total (wheat and wheat flour) from British India by sea to foreign countries during each month of the five official years 1911-12, 1912-13, 1913-14, 1914-15 and 1915-16. The figures are in thousands of tons:—

1.—Wheat.

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April	68	69	27	9	11	3(a)
May	136	107	166	24	105(a)	2
June	189	244	260	169	292(a)	42
July	266	328	318	169	187(a)	44
August	125	153	135	43	48(a)	75
September	66	232	135	56	6(a)	139
October	66	148	53	88	... (b)	
November	74	114	47	55	... (b)	
December	97	80	22	37	... (b)	
January	102	99	20	25	... (b)	
February	75	51	10	22	2(a)	
March	97	35	9	9	1	
TOTAL	1,361	1,660	1,202	706	652	
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16
Production (in thousands of tons)	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518

NOTE.—In this statement the figures of production for one year have been placed below those of exports of the next year because the production of one year is usually exported in the next year.

(a) Include exports on Government account 94,357 tons in May, 249,952 tons in June, 150,295 tons in July, 36,483 tons in August, 2,375 tons in September 1915, 1,000 tons in February and 2,595 tons in April 1916.

(b) Exports were below 1,000 tons in these months.

2.—Wheat flour.

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April	4	4	6	6	5	2
May	4	4	9	3	2	7
June	4	6	10	5	4	5
July	5	5	8	8	6	4
August	6	6	4	6	4	4
September	6	5	7	4	6	6
October	4	9	9	4	4	
November	3	5	6	4	7	
December	4	6	4	3	3	
January	5	7	6	5	9	
February	4	5	4	4	4	
March	3	6	6	2	4	
TOTAL	52	63	79	54	58	

3.—Total (wheat including wheat flour converted into wheat).†

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April	74	74	36	17	17	6
May	141	113	179	29	108	12
June	196	252	274	176	298	49
July	273	335	329	181	196	50
August	133	161	141	52	54	81
September	74	239	145	31	15	148
October	72	161	66	94	6	
November	79	122	55	61	10	
December	103	89	27	42	4	
January	109	109	29	32	13	
February	81	59	16	28	6	
March	100	44	18	11	7	
TOTAL	1,435	1,758	1,315	784	734	
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16
Production of wheat (in thousands of tons).	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518

† Ten tons of wheat are taken as equivalent to seven tons of wheat flour.

NOTE (1).—On an average for the three years ending 1913-14, 4·1 per cent. of the total export of wheat (including wheat flour) was exported in April; the percentages for the other months are as follows:—May 9·6 per cent., June 16 per cent., July 20·8 per cent., August 9·7 per cent., September 10·2 per cent., October 6·6 per cent., November 5·7 per cent., December 4·9 per cent., January 5·5 per cent., February 3·5 per cent., and March 3·6 per cent.

(2) Exports of wheat (excluding wheat flour) from the ports of Calcutta, Bombay and Karachi by sea during September 1916 week by week as compared with the corresponding periods of last year are given below:—

	1915 tons.	1916 tons.
Week ending 2nd September	60	22,759*
" " 9th "	1,266	58,406*
" " 16th "	136	22,202*
" " 23rd "	15	45,812*
" " 30th "	65	42,698*
	1,542	191,877

* Inclusive of figures on Government account.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

CALCUTTA, OCTOBER 18, 1916.

First INDIGO FORECAST, 1916-17.

This forecast is based upon reports received from six provinces, which contain practically the whole area under indigo in British India.

The total area sown is estimated at 625,900 acres as against 258,100 acres estimated at this time last year, or an increase of 142 per cent, which is generally attributed to the high prices of indigo owing to the war. As compared with the final figures of last year (314,300 acres), the present estimate shows an advance of 99 per cent. All the provinces show an increase in the area sown, the largest increase being in the United Provinces and Madras.

The season has, on the whole, been favourable, except in Madras and the eastern districts of the United Provinces. In those tracts the crop has been adversely affected by heavy rainfall.

Details for the provinces are given below. Estimates of yield are not ordinarily made at this stage; but provisional estimates have been made, as in last year, in view of the importance of the crop brought about by the war, and are shown below :—

Province	Area (First forecast)		Provisional estimate of yield	
	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16
	acres	acres	cwts	cwts
Bihar and Orissa	76,500	60,800	10,800	7,300
Madras	344,300	126,000	40,000	24,000
Punjab	44,900	18,500	7,000	1,800
United Provinces	150,300	46,500	16,000	4,000
Bombay and Sind (including Native States)	7,700	4,700	1,200	1,200
Bengal	2,200	1,600	200	200
TOTAL	625,900	258,100	75,200	38,500

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Bihar and Orissa (37·9 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India).—The area sown this year is estimated at 76,500 acres against 60,800 acres reported in the corresponding forecast of last year, or an increase of 26 per cent. The increase is due to the great rise in the price of indigo on account of the war. The season has been, on the whole, favourable, although some of the factories suffered from drought in May and June, and the floods during July did some damage. The *Sumatrana* variety has been a disappointment in growth of the plant and the produce, probably owing to the seed being gathered from plant which has deteriorated. A larger area would have been put under the *Java-Natal* indigo, had there been a sufficiency of seed. The yield is provisionally estimated at 79 per cent of the normal, which amounts to 10,800 cwts against 7,300 cwts estimated at this date last year. The trade estimate for the province (including the Nadia district of Bengal) amounts to 10,600 cwts.

Madras (33·4 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India).—The total area now reported for the current year is 344,300 acres, against 126,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 173 per cent. Owing to large profits made last year, there has been a very high increase in the area placed under the indigo crop in the current year. Good seed has been generally available, although the price has ruled very high. The increase is specially noticeable in Kistna, Guntur, Nellore, and Kurnool. The season has so far been generally favourable. The yield is roughly estimated at 40,000 cwts as against 24,000 cwts estimated at this time last year. Latest reports state that the heavy rains in September badly damaged the crop.

Punjab (15·1 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India).—The total area up to the end of September is estimated at 44,900 acres as against 18,500 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 143 per cent. The increase is due to the abnormally high prices of dyes owing to the war. The indigo crop is sown on irrigated lands and the deficient rainfall prior to the middle of July did not therefore affect sowings appreciably. The rainfall in the second half of July and in August immensely benefited the standing crop, and the outturn is expected to be good. The total yield is provisionally estimated at 7,000 cwts, as against 1,800 cwts estimated at this time last year.

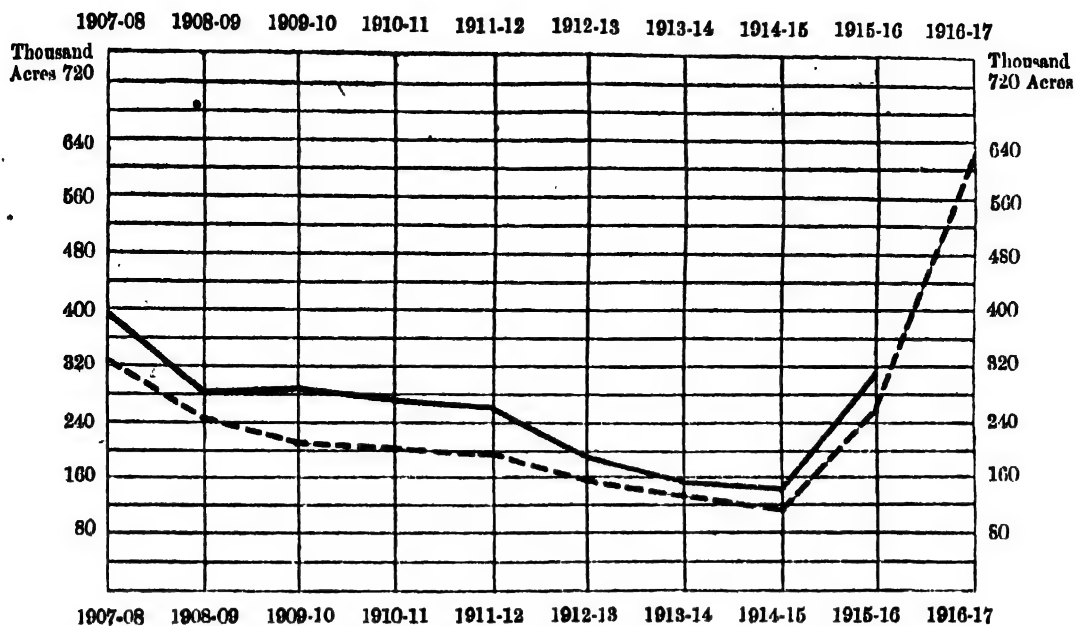
United Provinces (11·4 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India).—The total area is roughly estimated at 150,300 acres as against 46,500 acres estimated at this time last year, or an increase of 223 per cent. Of this, the area under indigo irrigated from canals amounts to 117,400 acres as compared with 38,200 acres last year. The condition of the crop varied greatly. In the western districts, wherever canal water was available for early sowings, it did well; but in consequence of low supplies in the canals, much of it was sown late. The rains, however, set in shortly afterwards, and continuous wet weather retarded the growth of the crop. In the eastern districts, where it is sown without irrigation, it germinated well; but subsequently the crop suffered from heavy rainfall and floods. The total yield of dye is roughly estimated at 16,000 cwts as against 4,000 cwts, the corresponding estimate of last year.

Bombay and Sind (1·7 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India).—The total area sown is reported to be 7,700 acres (5,100 acres being in the Khairpur State), which is 64 per cent above the corresponding estimate of last year. The expansion is ascribed to high prices fetched by the product since the outbreak of war. Inundation has been favourable, and the crop is doing well. The outturn is roughly estimated at 1,200 cwts.

Bengal (0·5 per cent of the total area under indigo in British India).—The area placed under the crop is estimated at 2,200 acres as against 1,600 acres last year. A normal outturn is expected and the total yield is estimated at about 200 cwts, the same as in last year.

Chart.—The chart below illustrates the variations in the preliminary estimates of the last ten years as compared with those in the final figures.

TOTAL ACREAGE OF INDIGO



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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

CALCUTTA, OCTOBER 21, 1916

Second COTTON Forecast, 1916-17.

This forecast is based on reports furnished by provinces, which comprise the entire cotton crop of India. It relates generally to sowings made up to the 1st October.

The total area so far reported this year amounts to 18,169,000 acres, as against 16,253,000 acres on this date last year, or an increase of 12 per cent.

The increase is most noticeable in Ajmer-Merwara (94 per cent), the United Provinces (29 per cent), Bombay (28 per cent), Central India (12 per cent), Hyderabad and the Central Provinces and Berar (8 per cent each), and Burma (3 per cent). On the other hand, the North-West Frontier Province shows a decrease of 51 per cent, Bengal of 16 per cent, the Punjab of 14 per cent, and Madras of 4 per cent.

The present condition of the crop is reported to be generally from fair to good, although the crop was adversely affected by excessive rain, especially in parts of the Bombay Deccan, the Central Provinces and Berar, the United Provinces, and Hyderabad.

The detailed figures for the provinces and States are given below :—

Second forecast, October

Provinces and States	Acres (thousands)		
	1916-17	1915-16	1914-15
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	5,029	3,917	6,526
Central Provinces and Berar	4,435	4,001	4,727
Madras	1,227	1,285	1,209
Punjab (including Native States)	934	1,090	1,821
United Provinces	1,100	850	1,408
Sind (including Native States)	234	233	323
Burma	227	220	287
Bihar and Orissa	67	68	71
Bengal (including Native States)	72	86	90
N.-W. Frontier Province	25	51	58
Assam	32	32	32
Ajmer-Merwara	35	18	43
Hyderabad	3,126	2,883	3,617
Central India	1,252	1,117	1,435
Rajputana	310	237	421
Mysore	64	70	84
Total	18,169	16,253	22,152

A statement showing the present estimates of area classified according to the recognised trade descriptions of cotton is given below :—

Description of Cotton	Acres
Oomras—	
Khandesh	1,286,000
Central India	1,252,000
Barsi and Nagar (a)	3,322,000
Berar	3,089,000
Central Provinces	1,346,000
Total	10,295,000
Dholleras	1,522,000
Bengal—Sind—	
United Provinces	1,100,000
Rajputana	369,000
Sind-Punjab	1,193,000
Others	70,000
Total	2,732,000
Broach	1,116,000
Coompta-Dharwars	657,000
Westerns and Northerns	1,069,000
Cocanadas	213,000
Tinnevellys	28,000
Salems including Cambodias	133,000
Comillas, Burmas, and other sorts (b)	404,000
Grand total	18,169,000

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Bombay and Baroda (30·2 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown up to the 1st October with both early and late varieties of cotton is reported at 5,029,000 acres (2,206,000 acres being in the Native States), which is 28 per cent above the area reported at the corresponding date of last year. The increase is general, and is attributed partly to high prices obtained last year and partly to favourable rains at sowing time. In Gujarat early rains were deficient in the north and in Kathiawar, and continuous heavy rains later on necessitated resowing in parts of the south; the condition of the crop is reported to be generally good at present. In the Deccan excessive rains in September turned the crop yellow in parts of Khandesh, Nasik, Ahmednagar, and Sholapur; but at present the crop is on the whole doing well. In the Karnatak sowing still continues in places, and the condition of the seedlings is reported to be satisfactory.

Central Provinces and Berar (19·9 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown is estimated at 4,435,000 acres (3,089,000 acres being in Berar), which is 8 per cent in excess of the area reported at the corresponding date of last year. All the important cotton growing districts except Yeotmal have contributed towards this increase, which is attributed partly to favourable climatic conditions at sowing time and partly to the high price obtained last year. Good and generally well distributed showers were received all over the provinces in June. Moderate to heavy rain fell in July and August and continued during September. Sowings were generally successful and germination was good. Some resowing was necessary in parts of Jubbulpore, Wardha, and Yeotmal, while heavy and continuous rain retarded weeding operations and damaged the crop and stunted its growth on heavy soils in parts of several districts. The production in the Central Provinces and Berar is at present estimated at 4 and 12 per cent, respectively, less than that of last year; but fine weather in October may increase the outturn considerably.

Madras (10·3 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown up to the end of September is estimated at 1,227,000 acres, or 4½ per cent below the area at the corresponding date last year. The decrease is mainly due to heavy rains having delayed the sowings of "Cocanadas." Cotton is also being replaced this year to some extent by the indigo and groundnut crops in the north. The present figures, however, are no indication of the probable ultimate area, since in the south "Tinnevellys" are mainly sown in October. Sowings of "Salems" show an increase, due to the spread of "Cambodias."

Punjab (7·3 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area under cotton is reported to be 934,000 acres (82,000 acres being in Native States), as against 1,090,000 acres reported at this date last year, or a decrease of 14 per cent. It may, however, be noted that the corresponding forecast of last year was an over-estimate. The rainfall in July and August was beneficial, although the crop in low-lying lands suffered slightly in a few districts. The heavy rainfall in the latter half of July stimulated late sowings in the unirrigated areas of certain districts. The season has been very favourable for the maturing of the crop, which is in

(a) Includes Hyderabad (3,126,000 acres)
(b) Includes 51,000 acres in Mysore for which trade descriptions have not been received

good condition everywhere. The yield on both irrigated and unirrigated areas is expected to be good.

United Provinces (**5·7 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area is roughly estimated at 1,100,000 acres, which is 29 per cent above the area estimated at the corresponding date last year. The rainfall during August was heavy and above normal in all parts of the provinces. A break during the early part of September benefited the crop. This was, however, followed by heavy rain accompanied by high winds, which caused serious damage to the early sown cotton. In the Agra and Bundelkhand divisions, where the rainfall has been the lightest, the crop is a fair one and the outturn is estimated at 90 per cent of the normal. Elsewhere the estimate varies between 60 and 80 per cent. For the province as a whole, the crop is at present estimated at 80 per cent of the normal.

Sind (**1·3 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown is estimated at 234,000 acres, as against 233,000 acres reported at the corresponding date last year. Water supply was sufficient at the sowing time, and the condition of the crop is reported to be fair to good.

Burma (**1 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area is estimated at 227,000 acres, which is 3 per cent in excess of the area estimated at this date last year. The condition of the crop is generally satisfactory, and a normal outturn is expected.

Bihar and Orissa (**0·4 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown up to date with both early and late crop is estimated at 67,000 acres, which is 1 per cent less than the area reported at this date last year. For both the varieties the weather conditions have been generally favourable. The present condition of the early crop is reported to be fair to good, but some damage has been done to the late crop by floods in Saran and Muzaffarpur. In Cuttack and Balasore sowings of the late crop have not yet commenced.

Bengal (**0·3 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The area sown up to date with both early and late cotton is reported to be 72,000 acres, which is 16 per cent short of the area estimated at this date last year. The decrease is attributed to unfavourable weather conditions at sowing time. Since the issue of the first forecast in August last conditions have been favourable to the growth of the early crop in Bankura, and the present condition in the other districts is reported to be fairly satisfactory except in parts of Hill Tippera, where a poor outturn is apprehended owing to insufficiency of rain in the earlier stages. The condition of the late crop is fair in Midnapore. In Bankura sowings of the late crop have not yet begun.

North-West Frontier Province (**0·2 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The area sown up to the end of September is estimated at 25,000 acres, which is 51 per cent below the area estimated at this time last year. The decrease occurs both in the irrigated and unirrigated areas in all the districts and agencies except the Tochi and Kurram, but is chiefly noticeable in Peshawar and Dera Ismail Khan. The contraction in the former district is due to the area in the corresponding forecast having been over-estimated and in the latter it is attributed to insufficient rain at sowing time and absence of water from hill torrents. The prospects of the crop are so far satisfactory on the whole, and an average outturn may be expected.

Assam (**0·2 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The estimated area under the crop is 32,000 acres, being the same as reported at the corresponding date last year. The prospects of the crop continue to be good except in Sibsagar and the Garo Hills, where they are reported to be fair. The prospects appear to have improved in Sylhet since the issue of the first forecast.

Ajmer-Merwara (**0·2 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area as now reported is 35,000 acres (Ajmer 18,000, Kekri 12,000, and Merwara 5,000) which is 94 per cent above the area reported at the corresponding date of last year. Prospects are reported to be fair to good.

Hyderabad (**14·6 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area is estimated at 3,126,000 acres, as against 2,888,000 acres estimated at this time last year, or an increase of 8 per cent. The increase is shared by all the districts, except Aurangabad and Nizamabad, where heavy and continuous rainfall damaged the crop and necessitated resowing with *rabi* (spring) crops. The condition of the crop is reported to be generally fair to good.

The detailed figures are as follows :—

	1916-17	1915-16
	Acres	Acres
Aurangabad	295,815	364,842
Bir	335,836	253,100
Parbhani	703,567	680,990
Nander	418,625	354,651
Gulbarga	35,973	51,788
Raichur	357,800	330,376
Usmanabad	36,255	28,642
Bidar	118,888	114,751
Medak	3,191	2,893
Mahboobnagar	5,511	4,414
Nalgunda	9,857	8,879
Nizamabad	16,655	19,236
Warangal	37,111	27,036
Alibabad	120,478	112,769
Karimnagar	37,356	27,081
Non-Government estates	592,800	506,089
Total	3,125,778	2,887,870

Central India (**6 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area reported amounts to 1,252,000 acres, which is 12 per cent above the area reported at the corresponding date last year. The detailed figures are as follows :—

	1916-17	1915-16
	Acres	Acres
Gwalior	435,638	403,401
Indore	401,020	317,223
Bhopal	150,364	154,338
Bundelkhand	22,444	21,763
Baghelkhand	24,673	23,471
Malwa	100,990	67,404
Southern States	116,551	99,278
Total	1,251,680	1,116,881

The condition of the crop is reported to be generally good, except in Malwa and in some parts of Gwalior and Indore where it is fair.

Rajputana (**1·7 per cent** of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown amounts to 310,000 acres, which is 31 per cent above the area reported at this date last year. The condition of the crop is generally fair to good.

The detailed figures are as follows :—

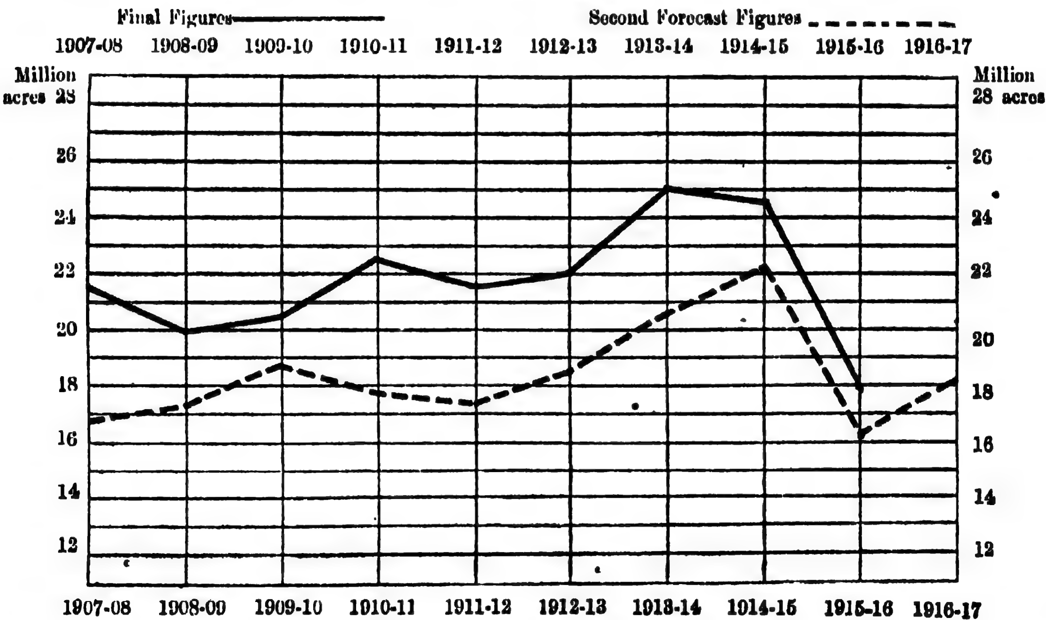
	1916-17 Acres	1915-16 Acres
Bundi	4,872	1,500
Tonk	13,660	14,227
Kishangarh	7,680	3,250
Jaipur	46,241	45,228
Dungarpur	51	...
Partabgarh	3,826	2,961
Banswara	560	642
Kushalgarh	30	6
Marwar	13,998	25,827
Bikaner	2	21
Mewar	100,000	50,000
Serohi	250	257
Karauli	3,145	2,796
Dholpur	22,240	20,387
Bharatpur	41,225	30,905
Alwar	16,026	17,000
Kotah	17,855	12,324
Jhalawar	11,734	4,416
Shahpura	6,263	5,027
Total	309,658	236,774

Mysore (0·3 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area is estimated at 64,000 acres, which is 9 per cent below the area at this date last year. The district details are as follows :—

	1916-17 Acres	1915-16 Acres
Bangalore	10	55
Kolar	13	19
Tumkur	2,444	1,600
Mysore	2,473	2,640
Hassan	1,208	913
Shimoga	4,557	13,970
Kadur	94	255
Chitraldrug	53,032	51,444
Total	63,831	69,896

Chart.—The chart below illustrates the variations in the second estimates of the last ten years, as compared with those in the final figures.

Cotton crop in foreign countries.—The latest information published by the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, regarding the cotton crop of 1916 in foreign countries may be summarised as follows :—In the United States of America the area and yield of cotton are estimated at 35,979,000 acres and 15,402,000 bales (of 400 lbs each) as against 31,399,000 acres and 13,345,000 bales in 1915, or an increase of about 15 per cent both in area and in yield. In Egypt the area under cotton is estimated at 1,718,000 acres as compared with 1,231,000 acres in the preceding year, or an increase of about 40 per cent.



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CALCUTTA, OCTOBER 23, 1916

Second SUGARCANE FORECAST, 1916-17

This forecast is based upon reports furnished by provinces, which contain, on an average, 99 per cent of the total area under sugarcane in British India.

The area so far reported this year amounts to 2,354,000 acres, as against 2,508,000 acres reported at this date last year, or a decrease of 6 per cent. The United Provinces, which contain over half the area under sugarcane, are mainly responsible for the decrease. As reported in the August forecast, conditions at sowing time were unfavourable in those provinces owing to deficient winter rains and a low supply of water in canals.

In the Rohilkhand, Gorakhpur and Benares divisions of the United Provinces the crop has been damaged by excessive rainfall and floods. Elsewhere, the present condition of the crop is generally reported to be from fair to good.

The detailed figures for the provinces are as follows :—

Second Forecast, October

Provinces	1916-17	1915-16	Increase + or Decrease —
United Provinces . .	1,220,000	1,390,000	—170,000
Punjab	358,000	354,000	+ 4,000
Bihar and Orissa . .	270,000	268,000	+ 2,000
Bengal	223,000	234,000	— 11,000
Madras	99,000	85,000	+ 14,000
Bombay and Sind (including Native States)	95,000	89,000	+ 6,000
Assam	35,000	36,000	— 1,000
North-West Frontier Province . .	32,000	32,000	...
Central Provinces and Berar . . .	22,000	20,000	+ 2,000
Total .	2,354,000	2,508,000	—154,000

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

United Provinces (53·2 per cent of the total area under sugarcane in British India).—The total area planted was roughly estimated in August last at 1,220,000 acres, as against 1,390,000 acres at the corresponding time last year, or a decrease of 12 per cent. No modification has been made since the publication of the first forecast in August. During August the rainfall was heavy and above normal in all parts of the provinces. There was a short break in the beginning of September. The monsoon then set in again, and there was continuous rain till the first week of October. The rainfall was very heavy in the Rohilkhand and Gorakhpur divisions, causing serious damage in low-lying areas. The condition of cane in the Rohilkhand division is generally unfavourable, the crop having suffered from insect pests in its early stages and later on from excessive rain; and the outturn is not expected to exceed 80 per cent of the normal. In the Benares and Gorakhpur divisions, the crop on low-lying areas has suffreed from flooding, and the outturn will be indifferent; on higher lands its condition is fair. Elsewhere prospects are more favourable. For the province as a whole, the average outturn is estimated at 85 per cent of the normal.

Punjab (15·3 per cent of the total area under sugarcane in British India).—The revised estimate of area up to the end of September amounts to 358,000 acres as compared with 354,000 acres estimated at this time last year, or an increase of 1 per cent. The area now estimated is less than the first forecast by about 2,000 acres. The season has been favourable, and the condition of the standing crop and the expected yield are stated to be good.

Bihar and Orissa (11 per cent of the total area under sugarcane in British India), **Bengal (9·4 per cent)**, and **Assam (1·5 per cent)**.—No reports are furnished by these provinces in October. The figures reported in the August forecast were 270,000 acres in Bihar and Orissa, 223,000 acres in Bengal, and 35,000 acres in Assam. From the provincial weather and crop reports it appears that the condition of the crop is generally good.

Madras (3·8 per cent of the total area under sugarcane in British India).—The estimated area under sugarcane is 99,000 acres, as against 85,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 16 per cent. The increase is partly due to better reporting from the Zamindari areas and is chiefly confined to the Central districts and South Arcot. Sowings took place at normal times, and the condition of the crop is from fair to good.

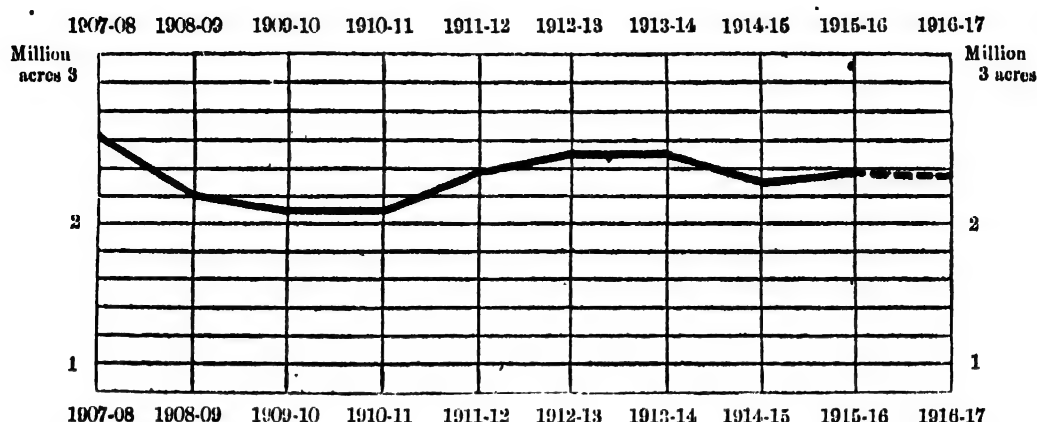
Bombay and Sind (2·7 per cent of the total area under sugarcane in British India).—The total area is reported to be 95,000 acres, which is 7 per cent above the corresponding estimate of last year. The increase is general, and is due to the high prices of sugar since the outbreak of war, and also to ample supply of water in wells and tanks at the planting season. In Ahmednagar and Nasik the new Godavari canal afforded facilities for extended cultivation of the crop. The season, on the whole, has been favourable, and the crop is doing well everywhere, except in parts of Dharwar and the Southern Maratha Country States, where its condition is only fair owing to insufficient water-supply. In Sind the crop is good.

North-West Frontier Province (1·3 per cent of the total area under sugarcane in British India).—The total area sown up to the end of September is estimated at 32,000 acres, which is practically the same as reported in the corresponding forecast of last year. The Peshawar district shows an increase in area, which is due to the high prices of *gur*. On the other hand, a decrease occurs in Hazara and Bannu and is apparently due to unfavourable conditions at sowing time. The prospects of the standing crop are good.

Central Provinces and Berar (0·9 per cent of the total area under sugarcane in British India).—The total area planted is estimated at 22,000 acres, which is 10 per cent above the area reported at this date last year. The increase is mainly attributed to good rainfall. The conditions at sowing time were generally favourable and germination was successful. Good rain was received in June, and it was generally well distributed. Moderate to heavy rain fell in July and continued to date of report. The crop is generally in good condition, and an yield of 113 per cent of the normal (as against 111 per cent last year) is expected. [Normal=2,369 lbs. per acre.]

Chart.—The chart below shows the estimates of area now made with the final figures of the preceding nine years.

AREA OF SUGARCANE
(In million acres)



Sugarcane crop in foreign countries.—From the latest information published by the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, it appears that in **Mauritius** the yield of sugar from sugarcane in 1916 is estimated at 217,000 tons as against 214,000 tons in 1915. The present estimate shows a reduction of 42,000 tons as compared with the estimate made in May of this year. The area planted with sugarcane in the **Union of South Africa** in 1915-16 is estimated at 160,000 acres from which the probable yield of cane is expected to be 3,992,000 tons. The weather conditions are reported to be favourable. In **Cuba** the weather has been favourable, and the crop generally promises well.

From unofficial sources it appears that in Mauritius the probable reduction of the crop, due to the cyclone of May, is now placed at from 10 to 30 per cent., according to locality. In **Hawaii** the crop has been adversely affected by abnormal rains early in the year. In the **United States of America** the yield is estimated at 1,755,000 tons against 1,452,000 tons in 1915-16. In **Cuba** conditions have been generally favourable and the 1916-17 estimate is put at 3,200,000 tons against 2,990,000 tons in 1915-16. The **Java** crop for 1916-17 is at present estimated at 1,500,000 tons as against 1,264,000 tons last year.

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CALCUTTA, OCTOBER 24, 1916

Second SESAMUM FORECAST, 1916-17

This forecast is based upon reports received from eight provinces, which contain, on an average, 78 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India. The returns in this forecast exclude estimates for the "mixed" crop of the United Provinces and for the late crop of Bengal. The Final Memorandum, which will be published in January, will, however, include, as usual, returns of these areas.

The total area so far reported for the present season is 3,152,000 acres, as against 3,169,000 acres at this time last year, or a decrease of 0·5 per cent. Details of the area by provinces are stated below :—

Second Forecast, October.

Provinces	1916-17	1915-16	Increase + or Decrease —
United Provinces (unmixed crop)	286,000	323,000	—37,000
Central Provinces and Berar	839,000	940,000	—101,000
Madras	646,000	846,000	—200,000
Bombay (including Native States)	793,000	526,000	+267,000
Bengal (early crop)	185,000	194,000	—9,000
Bihar and Orissa	176,000	(a)186,000	—10,000
Punjab	160,000	107,000	+53,000
Sind (including Native States)	39,000	44,000	—5,000
Ajmer-Merwara	28,000	3,000	+25,000
Total	3,152,000	(a)3,169,000	—17,000

(*a*) Revised figure.

Heavy and continuous rain adversely affected the crop in some of the most important sesamum-growing districts of the United Provinces, and also in parts of the Central Provinces, Madras, Bihar, and the Bombay Presidency. The present condition of the crop is reported to be, on the whole, from fair to good.

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

United Provinces (24·6 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India).—The area sown with the "unmixed" crop is estimated at 286,000 acres, as against 323,000 acres reported at the corresponding date last year, or a decrease of 11 per cent. No estimate is available at present of the area sown with the "mixed" crop, which usually constitutes over two-thirds of the total area under sesamum in these provinces. Rainfall in August was heavy and was followed by a short break in early September; rain then again set in and continued to the end of that month. In the Agra and Jhansi divisions, where rainfall has been the lightest, the crop escaped serious injury and the outturn is at present estimated at 80 to 95 per cent of the normal. In the rest of the provinces excessive and continuous rain caused serious damage to the crop, and the estimate of outturn varies between 50 and 75 per cent of the normal. [Normal=280 lbs. per acre.]

Central Provinces and Berar (16·9 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India).—The total area is now estimated at 839,000 acres (91,000 acres being in Berar), which is 11 per cent smaller than the area reported at the corresponding date last year. The shrinkage in area is due mainly to continuous and heavy rain at sowing time in certain districts of the Central Provinces. The climatic conditions were favourable at sowing time in Akola and Yeotmal. Good showers were received all over the provinces throughout June and the rainfall was generally well distributed. Moderate to heavy rain fell in July and August and continued up to the date of report. The crop suffered from excessive rain in several districts and its growth was stunted. The average outturn for the whole province is, however, estimated to be 99 per cent of the normal. [Normal=224 lbs. per acre.]

Madras (16·3 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India).—The total area sown up to 1st October is estimated at 646,000 acres, which is 24 per cent short of the area reported at this time last year. The decrease is due partly to heavy rains in the Circars, and partly to the replacement of sesamum by indigo and groundnut in other tracts. The decrease, however, in the Centre and South is not altogether real, as it is partly accounted for by a too favourable estimate having been made last year. A considerable area still remains to be sown in these tracts. The condition of the crop is reported to be fair to good.

Bombay (5·6 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India).—The total area sown is estimated to be 793,000 acres (569,000 acres being in Native States), which is 51 per cent above the area reported at this time last year. In Gujarat the crop was sown to a larger extent than last year owing to more favourable rains, but continuous heavy rains later on did not permit a full area being placed under the crop. In the Deccan the cultivation was restricted in places as greater attention was paid to the growth of the more paying crop of cotton and of food and fodder crops. In parts of both these tracts the crop is reported to have suffered from continuous heavy rains in the middle of the season, but it has improved by subsequent breaks, and its condition is, on the whole, fairly satisfactory. In the Karnatak the area is about the same as in last year; the crop is doing well in Bijapur and in the eastern part of Belgaum; elsewhere it is only fair. In the Konkan the area shows an increase due to rotation of crops, and the crop is in good condition.

Bengal (5·3 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India).—No report is furnished by the province in October. The figure reported in the August forecast for the early crop was 185,000 acres, as against 194,000 acres for the corresponding period of last year.

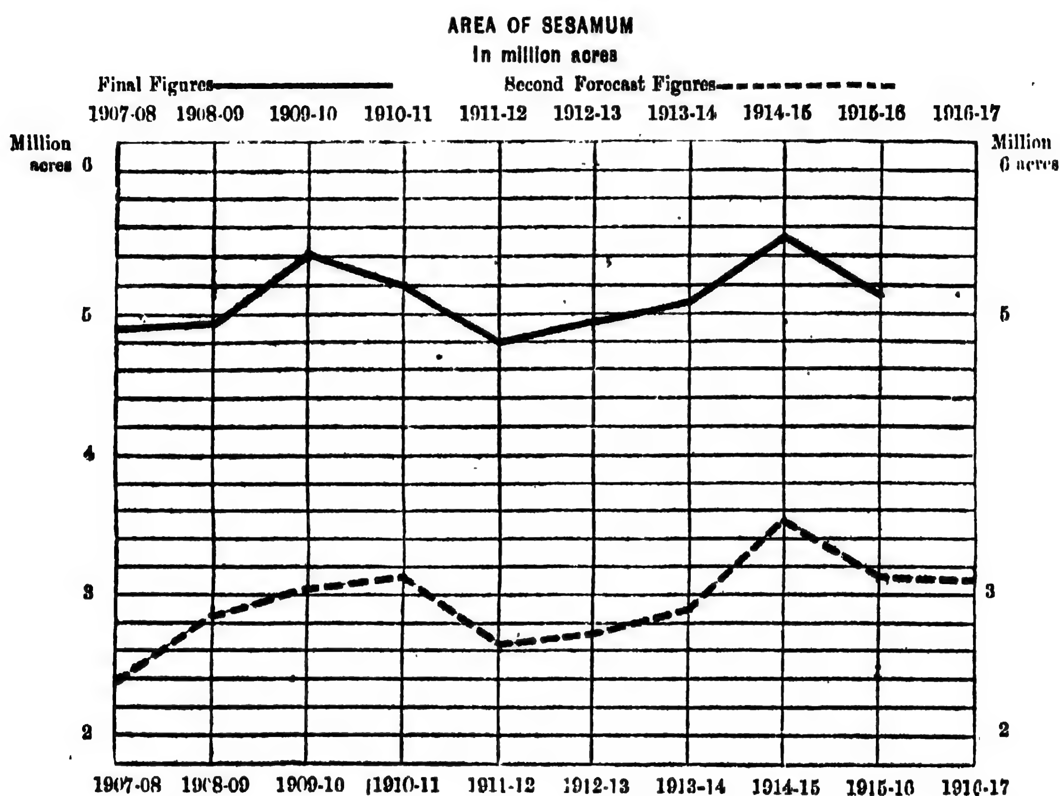
Bihar and Orissa (4·2 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India).—The total area sown with both early and late crops is reported to be 176,000 acres, as against 186,000 acres (revised figure) at this time last year, or a decrease of 5 per cent. Sowings of the late crop continued at the date of report in Saran, Champaran, Angul, and Sambalpur. The weather conditions have been generally favourable for the crop except in parts of Saran, Champaran, and Bhagalpur, where some damage has been done by excessive rain and floods. The average outturn for the whole province is estimated at 105 per cent of the normal. [Normal=350 lbs. per acre.]

Punjab (3 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India).—The area is estimated at 160,000 acres as against 107,000 acres reported at the corresponding date last year, or an increase of 49 per cent. The season has been favourable, and the condition and prospects of the crop are reported to be generally good.

Sind (1·4 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India).—The total area is estimated at 39,000 acres, which is 11 per cent below the area reported at this time last year. Copious rains in the desert tract brought about larger sowings in Karachi, Larkana, and Thar and Parkar; but the increase has not been sufficient to make up the deficit in Upper Sind where insect attacks and low prices have made the crop unpopular. The condition of the crop is reported to be good in Hyderabad and Upper Sind Frontier; elsewhere it is fair.

Ajmer-Merwara (0·4 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India).—The total area placed under the crop is estimated at 28,000 acres (Ajmer 12,000 acres, Merwara 3,000 acres, and Kekri 13,000 acres), as compared with 3,000 acres reported at the corresponding date last year. The prospects of the crop are fair to good.

Chart.—The chart below illustrates the variations in the second estimates of acreage in the last ten years as compared with those in the final figures. The second estimates exclude the "mixed" crop (sesamum grown in combination with other crops) of the United Provinces for which no estimate is made at this stage.



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First GROUNDNUT Forecast, 1916-17

This forecast is based upon reports received from the three provinces of Madras, Bombay, and Burma, which comprise 99 per cent of the entire groundnut area of British India.

The total area sown in the present season in these provinces is estimated at 2,109,000 acres, as against 1,742,000 acres estimated at this time last year, or an increase of 21 per cent. The season has on the whole been favourable. The details for the provinces are given below :—

First forecast, October

Provinces	1916-17	1915-16	Increase + or Decrease –
	Acres	Acres	Acres
Madras	1,663,000	1,278,000	+ 385,000
Bombay (including Native States)	201,000	197,000	+ 4,000
Burma	245,000	267,000	–22,000
Total	2,109,000	1,742,000	+ 367,000

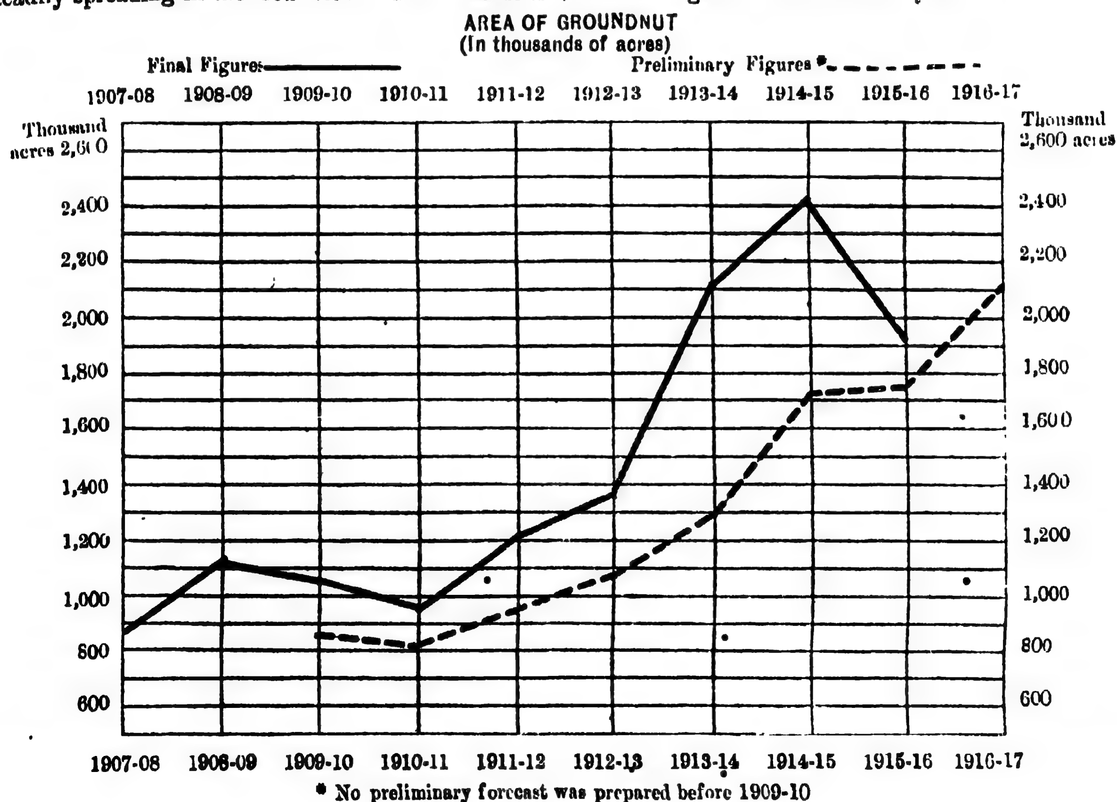
The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Madras (72·1 per cent of the total area under groundnut in British India).—The total area sown is estimated at 1,663,000 acres, which is 30 per cent above the area reported at this time last year. The increase is marked in the Deccan and the Central districts. The groundnut crop is replacing cotton to some extent in the black cotton soils, and is steadily spreading in the red soils. The extension of cultivation has been stimulated by the steadily rising prices that ruled during the past year. The season so far has been favourable to the crop.

Bombay (15·1 per cent of the total area under groundnut in British India).—The total area under the crop is estimated at 201,000 acres (55,000 acres being in the Native States), as against 197,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 2 per cent. South Deccan districts show some decline in area, due partly to insufficiency of rain at sowing time and partly to rotation of crops; but this decline has been made good by extended cultivation in other districts. The season since sowing has generally been favourable, and the crop is everywhere in thriving condition.

Burma (11·7 per cent of the total area under groundnut in British India).—The total area sown is estimated at 245,000 acres, which is 8 per cent short of the area reported at this time last year. The Pakokku and Sagaing districts continue to show an expansion of area under this crop; Meiktila also shows a small increase. The Myingyan district, on the other hand, shows a very large contraction, and Magwe also returns a reduced area. The district reports indicate that the prospects of the crop are good and that a normal outturn may generally be expected.

Chart.—The chart below shows the variations in the preliminary estimates as compared with those in the final figures of the last few years.



* No preliminary forecast was prepared before 1909-10

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

CALCUTTA :
The 23rd October 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

CALCUTTA, OCTOBER 23, 1916.

First RICE FORECAST, 1916-17.

This forecast is based upon reports furnished by provinces, which contain 99 per cent of the total area under rice in British India. The reports, however, relate to conditions up to the 1st October.

The total area sown is reported to be 76,281,000 acres, as against 74,781,000 acres (revised figure) at this time last year, or an increase of 2 per cent. Detailed figures for the provinces are given below :—

First Forecast.

Provinces	1916-17	1915-16	Increase + or Decrease -
	Acres	Acres	Acres
Bengal(*a*) . . .	21,129,000	20,636,000	+493,000
Bihar and Orissa (*a*) .	16,217,000	16,223,000	— 6,000
Madras . . .	8,508,000	8,461,000	+ 47,000
Burma . . .	10,458,000	(*c*)10,480,000	— 2,000
United Provinces . .	(*b*)7,223,000	7,025,000	+198,000
Central Provinces and Berar . . .	5,069,000	(*c*) 4,974,000	+ 95,000
Assam (*a*) . . .	4,132,000	3,931,000	+201,000
Bombay and Sind (including Native States)	3,545,000	3,071,000	+474,000
Total .	76,281,000	(*c*)74,781,000	+1,500,000

Heavy rain and floods have adversely affected the crop in parts of Bihar, Assam, the United Provinces, and northern Bengal; otherwise the present condition and prospects of the crop are reported to be generally from fair to good.

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Bengal (26·6 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).—(i) The area sown with autumn (*aus*) rice is reported to be 5,232,000 acres, as against 5,287,000 acres reported at this time last year, or a decrease of 1 per cent, owing to want of timely rains at sowing time, and the extended cultivation of jute in some districts. In the district of Backerganj, however, the decrease is attributed to the fact that last year there was an abnormal increase in area under *bhadoi* (autumn) paddy, owing to the failure of winter rice in the preceding year. Sowings progressed slowly till the middle of April when general rain facilitated matters. The early sown crop suffered from deficient rain in May, but the rainfall in June enabled further sowings to be made in the western districts and greatly helped the growth of the standing crops in east Bengal. The heavy rain in July did considerable damage to the crops on low lands in the northern districts, and the sudden rise of the rivers caused slight damage in some eastern districts. For the province as a whole, the average outturn is estimated at 78 per cent (against 86 per cent last year) of the normal. [Normal=823 lbs. per acre.]

(ii) The area under winter (*aman*) rice, which is the main crop, is estimated at 15,492,000 acres, as against 14,974,000 acres estimated at the corresponding date last year, or an increase of 3 per cent, which is mainly due to comparatively favourable weather during the transplanting period. Up to March the rainfall was very inadequate for the ploughing of fields for the winter rice crop. The rainfall in April, however, was sufficient and facilitated the sowings of the broadcast paddy. This was again followed by defective rainfall in May, and in consequence the crop suffered to some extent. In June, general rain fell throughout the province and transplanting commenced at the usual time. The progress of the operation was, however, somewhat retarded in some of the western districts owing to insufficiency of rain in July, while, on the other hand, the excessive rainfall and floods in the northern districts caused some damage to the crop in places on low lands. The rainfall in August greatly helped the growth of the standing crop. On the whole the season has been favourable. For the province as a whole, the average outturn is estimated at 92 per cent of the normal against 87 per cent estimated at this time last year. [Normal=987 lbs. per acre.]

(iii) An area of 405,000 acres was reported in March last to be under summer (*boro*) rice, as against 375,000 acres for last year. The outturn is estimated at 82 per cent of the normal, which amounts to 164.500 tons, as against 160,100 tons last year.

Bihar and Orissa (21·4 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).—(i) The area under autumn rice is estimated at 3,655,000 acres, as against 3.812,000 acres reported at this time last year, or a decrease of 4 per cent. In parts of Orissa and Chota Nagpur weather conditions were unfavourable in the beginning, but the rainfall in August and September has been generally beneficial. Heavy rain and floods have, however, caused some damage to the crop in parts of Bihar. On the basis of district reports, the average outturn is at present estimated at 88 per cent of the normal, as against 86 per cent estimated at this date last year. [Normal=823 lbs. per acre.]

(ii) The area under winter rice is estimated at 12,509,000 acres against 12,371,000 acres at the corresponding period last year, or an increase of 1 per cent, which is due to favourable weather conditions early in the season. Transplantation was late in parts of Orissa and Chota Nagpur, owing to defective rainfall in the beginning of the season; but the rainfall in August and September has been generally beneficial. Heavy rain and floods have, however, caused some damage to the crop in parts of the Tirhut Division, and in Monghyr, Bhagalpur, and Purnea. The average outturn is at present estimated at 95 per cent of the normal, as against 85 per cent last year. [Normal=1,234 lbs.]

(iii) An area of 53,000 acres was reported in March last to be under summer rice, which is 32 per cent above the area of last year. The outturn was estimated at 18,400 tons, as against 12,500 tons last year.

Madras (13·8 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).—The total area sown up to the 1st October is estimated at 8,508,000 acres, which is about 1 per cent greater than the area reported at this date last year. The early sowing rains have been good and plentiful, and the increase in acreage this year is really larger than the figures would indicate, last year's estimate having been somewhat too optimistic in the Carnatic and the

(*a*) Includes Summer, Autumn, and Winter rice.
(*b*) Includes 23,000 acres under Summer rice reported for the first time this year.
(*c*) Revised figures.

Central tracts. In the Carnatic, Central, and Southern districts there is still, as usual at this time of the year, a very considerable area which depends on the north-east monsoon and is therefore not yet sown. There is also a considerable area of the second crop to be sown later. The general condition of the crop is good.

Burma (13·2 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).—The total area sown is estimated at 10,458,000 acres, which is slightly below the revised estimate on corresponding date last year. In Lower Burma early and middle rains were favourable, although Pyapon reports that long breaks in the middle rains adversely affected the crop on high lands. In June floods partially damaged seedlings in Thaton. Sowings commenced in good time and continued normally. Prospects of the crop are reported as favourable. In six Upper Burma districts seasonal conditions have not been so favourable. Early rains being late in Katha, Shwebo, and Mandalay, transplanting operations were late in these districts. In Minbu, Kyaukse, and Yamethin, on the other hand, the season has been better and prospects may be considered as fair to good. For tracts, for which conventional forecasts are made, the season has been fair. Late rains are now of primary importance. At present prospects in the sixteen chief rice-exporting districts are good, and fair in the remainder of the province.

United Provinces (7·8 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).—(i) The area sown is roughly estimated at 7,200,000 acres, as against 7,025,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 2 per cent. The monsoon commenced somewhat earlier than usual and there was good rain in the second and third weeks of June when sowing of rice began. The rainfall in July and August was heavy and well distributed. There was a short break in the first week of September, after which rain again set in and continued during the early part of October. The rainfall was very heavy in the Rohilkhand and Gorakhpur divisions, and serious damage to crops is reported in low-lying lands. The season, on the whole, has been favourable to the rice crop which is in good condition. Harvesting of early rice is in progress, and the yield is reported to be well above the normal except in a few districts in the eastern divisions, where the estimate varies between 80 and 90 per cent of the normal. Prospects of late rice are very favourable, except in the flooded areas in the east.

(ii) In addition to the above, the area under hot weather rice was 23,000 acres and the outturn was estimated at 10,500 tons.

Central Provinces and Berar (6·3 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).—The total area placed under rice is estimated at 5,069,000 acres, as against 4,974,000 acres at this time last year, or an increase of 2 per cent. In parts of Bilaspur sowings were delayed by heavy rains in the beginning of the season. Good showers were received throughout the month of June and the rainfall was generally well distributed. Moderate to heavy rain fell in July and August, and continued during September. Conditions at sowing time were generally favourable and germination was successful. Transplantation and thinning operations were, however, hampered by short rainfall in parts of Balaghat, Bhandara, Drug, and Raipur. Prospects of the crop are at present generally good, but more rain would be welcome in Damoh, Balaghat, and Drug.

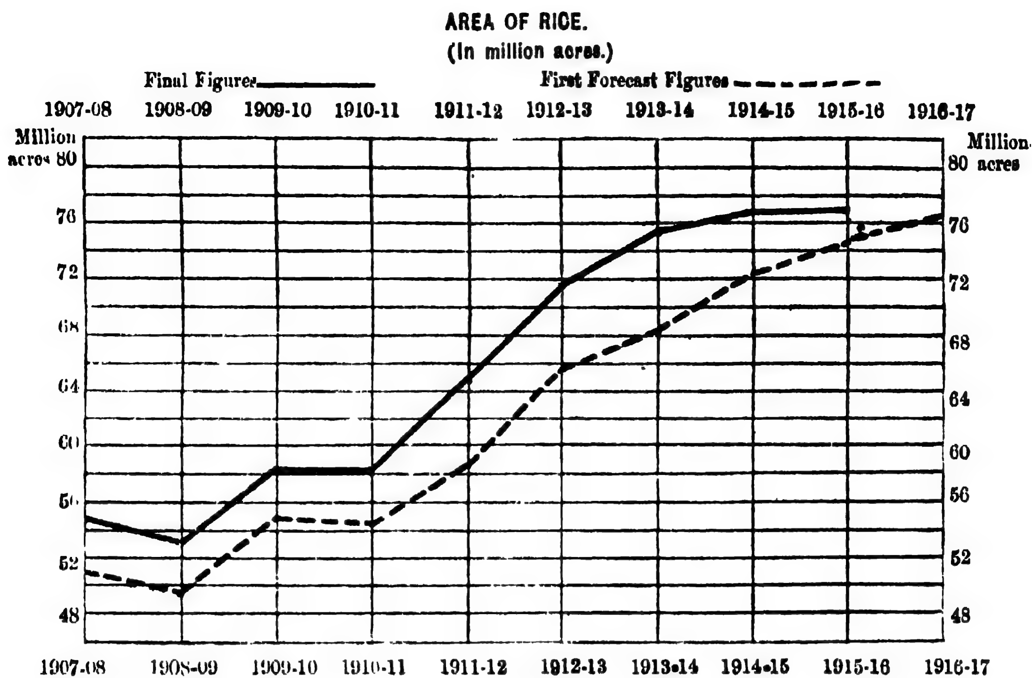
Assam (6 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).—(i) The area sown with autumn rice is estimated at 776,000 acres, as against 631,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 23 per cent. This large increase is due to the fact that sowings were restricted last year, owing to heavy floods in many districts, notably in Sylhet and Cachar. There were heavy rain and floods in all districts in the Brahmaputra valley at the time of sowing, while the season was unusually dry in parts of the Surma valley. These adverse circumstances affected the crop in its early stages. Insect pests also did some damage to the crop in Sylhet and Kamrup. The average outturn is estimated at 70 per cent of the normal, as against 83 per cent last year. (Normal =672 lbs per acre.)

(ii) The area under winter rice is estimated at 3,106,000 acres, as against 3,080,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of about 1 per cent. In most districts the weather was not favourable at the time of sowing, the months of May and June being drier than usual and the total rainfall of these months much below normal. The subsequent favourable weather, however, tended to increase the area under cultivation, particularly for the transplanted varieties in all districts, except Sibsagar and Lakhimpur where floods occurred. The absence of heavy rain and consequently of floods in July and August was very beneficial to the crop and greatly improved its prospects. The outturn is estimated at 94 per cent of the normal, which works out to 1,314,000 tons as against 862,000 tons last year. This estimate is, however, subject to revision as heavy floods have since the date of report been reported in several districts.

(*iii*) An area of 250,000 acres was reported in March last to be under summer rice, which is 14 per cent above the area reported at this time last year. The weather was exceptionally dry and unfavourable for the growth of the crop and insects also did some damage. The total outturn was estimated at 84,000 tons, as against 99,000 tons last year.

Bombay and Sind (3·8 per cent of the total area under rice in British India).—The area sown in British districts is estimated at 2,848,000 acres (1,215,000 acres being in Sind), which is 15 per cent above the corresponding estimate of last year. Native States report a total area of 697,000 acres, as against 597,000 acres reported at this date last year. The information is, however, still incomplete. The increase in area is general and is mainly due to favourable sowing rains in the Presidency and to good inundation in Sind. Deficient rain in July delayed transplantation in Gujarat and Deccan and affected the early varieties in the Konkan. Subsequent rains, however, have been favourable, and the crop is doing well everywhere, except in parts of Dharwar and the Southern Maratha Country States, where more rain is required for its proper development. In the Konkan the early varieties are nearly ripe for harvest. In Sind the crop is thriving everywhere, owing to a plentiful water supply.

Chart.—The chart below illustrates the variations in the preliminary estimates of area as compared with those in the final figures of the last ten years. It should, however, be borne in mind that the large increase during 1911-12 to 1913-14 was largely due to the addition of reporting tracts from year to year.



Rice crop in foreign countries.—From the latest information published by the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, it appears that in the United States of America the area and yield of rice sown in 1916 are 911,000 acres and 682,000 tons, as against 844,000 acres and 521,000 tons at the corresponding date last year. The area sown in Italy is estimated at 356,000 acres, as against 361,000 acres at this time last year.

From unofficial sources it would appear that rains were experienced throughout the rice belt in the United States of America in the beginning of August and that the crop is expected to be a little late. The rainy season in Japan had not its usual development, and, with a deficiency of water in certain localities, rice planting has been delayed. The Java rice crop has been very seriously damaged through continuous drought, and a considerable shortage is expected.

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 25th October, 1916.

No. 54.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation)

Rules, 1915, published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department, No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915, as subsequently amended, namely :—

(1) rules 25-A and 25-B inserted by Army Department Notification No. 135, dated 4th February 1916, shall be renumbered rules 25-B and 25-C respectively, and

(2) in rule 25-B published with the Army Department notification cited above, for the words and figures "25-A (1)" the words and figures "25-B (1)" shall be substituted.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 25th October, 1916.

No. 1038.—Mr. G. Eyre Wilson, Registrar of the Office of the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 1st December 1916.

No. 1039.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to appoint Mr. H. St. Clair Freitas to officiate as Registrar of the Office of the Private Secretary to the Viceroy during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. G. Eyre Wilson, or until further orders.

No. 1043.—The services of Tika Rajindra Pal, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the 3rd October 1916.

No. 1048.—Mr. W. M. Hailey, C.S.I., C.I.E., of the Indian Civil Service, received charge of the office of Chief Commissioner of Delhi from Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Beadon, I.A., on the forenoon of the 2nd October 1916.

JUDICIAL.

The 23rd October, 1916.

No. 1278.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Punjab Courts Act, 1914 (Punjab Act III of 1914), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. L. H. Leslie Jones, I.C.S., a District and Sessions Judge in the Punjab, to be third temporary Additional Judge of the Chief Court for a period not exceeding four months, with effect from the 23rd October 1916.

MEDICAL.

The 24th October, 1916.

No. 574.—Major R. A. Needham, D.S.O., M.B., I.M.S., Health Officer, Simla, is appointed to be Assistant Director General, Indian Medical Service (Stores), substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the date he assumes charge of his duties, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. Gould, M.B., I.M.S., on other duty or until further orders.

No. 575.—Major H. Ross, M.B., F.R.C.S.I., I.M.S., is appointed to be Additional Assistant Director General, Indian Medical Service, as a temporary measure.

No. 578.—In supersession of the Home Department notification no. 497, dated the 14th September 1916, Rai Kanauji Lal Bahadur, L.R.C.S. (Edin.), employed on special duty to perform the duties of Chief Plague Medical Officer, United Provinces, is appointed temporarily to be Professor of Surgery at King George's Medical College, Lucknow, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of the Professorship, until further orders.

The 26th October, 1916.

No. 584.—The services of Major A. G. Sargent, I.M.S., are placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma.

No. 586.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel W. E. Jennings, M.D., I.M.S., are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

The 27th October, 1916.

No. 588.—The services of Major A. E. Walter, I.M.S., Superintendent, X-Ray Institute, Dehra Dun, are placed temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

J. H. DUBOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 25th October, 1916.

No. 2431-Est.-A.—Captain C. H. Gabriel, of the Political Department, is postec First Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

The 26th October, 1916.

No. 2434-Est.-A.—Major C. W. Prescott, of the Political Department, on rever from military duty, is posted as Assistant Commissioner and Sub-Divisional Officer, Nowsh with effect from the 2nd October 1916.

No. 2435-Est.-A.—Mr. R. R. Maconachie, of the Political Department, is poste Assistant Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan, with effect from the 10th October 1916.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of Ind

The 26th October, 1916.

No. 2437-Est.-B.—Second Lieutenant N. Unsworth, I. A. R. O., attached 1 Punjabis, is appointed Adjutant, Makran Levy Corps, with effect from the 27th Septem 1916.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of Indi

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 24th October, 1916.

No. 1178-F.-E.—Mr. W. P. Avery, an officer in class III of the General List of Indian Finance Department, has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Railw with effect from the 11th October 1916.

No. 1179-F.E.—Mr. K. C. Biswas, Assistant Accountant General, Posts and T graphs, Calcutta, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the 1 October 1916.

Mr. C. E. Vernieux, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Posts Telegraphs, Calcutta, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in t office, with effect from the 12th October 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. K Biswas.

The 26th October, 1916.

No. 1187-F.E.—Mr C. E Gwyther, Assistant Accountant General and Curre Officer, Bombay, has been granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 1 October 1916.

Mr. A. H. King, a Superintendent in the Paper Currency Office, Bombay, has b appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 1 October 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. Gwyther.

No. 1188-F. E.—Mr. C. V. Raman has been posted as Deputy Accountant Gene Posts and Telegraphs, Telegraph Branch, Calcutta, with effect from the 14th October 1916

Mr. M. E. Watts has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Posts and Telegrap Calcutta, with effect from the same date.

The 27th October, 1916.

No. 1193-F.E.—Mr. C. A. Peters, an officer in class III of the General List of Indian Finance Department, attached to the office of the Examiner of Accounts, Milit Works, has been granted combined leave for one year, namely, privilege leave for 3 mon and in continuation leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, with effect from 16th October 1916.

No. 1380-Accts.—Major H. Murray, I.A., Assistant Military Accountant, 1st cl and Military Accountant, 4th class, sub. *pro tem*, Military Accounts Department, is promo substantively to the grade of Military Accountant, 4th class, and sub. *pro tem.* to the grad Military Accountant, 3rd class, with effect from the 5th October 1916.

No. 1381-Accts.—Mr. H. M. Smith, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, Military Accou Department, is promoted to Deputy Examiner, 1st grade sub. *pro tem.*, with effect from 3rd September 1916, *vice* Mr. T. W. Rice, proceeded on field service.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS.

The 25th October, 1916.

No. 1452-F.—*Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.*

September 1916. **Lakhs of Rupees.**

	September.		To end of September.		Whole year.	
	1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	1915-1916.	Budget, 1916-1917.	Actuals, preliminary, 1915-1916.
Civil Revenue.						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	111	1,09	12,15	12,73	35,44	36,03
Opium	36	21	2,11	1,39	3,43	2,74
Salt	51	43	2,86	2,06	5,98	5,46
Stamps	75	70	4,35	4,10	8,22	7,96
Excise...	1,09	98	6,54	6,19	12,83	12,92
Provincial Rates	...	1	2	4	4	6
Customs	1,07	73	5,97	4,15	11,55	8,80
Income Tax	65	30	2,43	1,42	4,17	2,98
Forest	21	21	1,09	1,06	3,07	3,05
Registration	6	6	44	42	78	78
Tributes from Native States	2	1	21	21	92	92
Other Civil Revenue	35	31	2,20	2,01	4,58	4,43
TOTAL CIVIL HEADS ...	6,18	5,04	40,37	35,68	91,01	86,12
Major Irrigation Revenue	11	11	2,30	2,19	4,28	3,92
Other Public Works Ordinary Revenue	2	3	30	28	72	59
TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE (including Ordinary Public Works)	6,31	5,18	42,97	38,15	96,01	90,63
Civil Expenditure.						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	—15	—14	—2,76	—2,77	—5,78	—5,69
Opium	—12	—11	—1,28	—1,32	—1,43	—1,39
Famine Relief (Civil)	—2	...	—18	...	—5	—2
Other Civil Expenditure	—3,75	—3,44	—22,62	—22,22	—48,02	—46,10
TOTAL CIVIL HEADS ...	—4,04	—3,69	—26,84	—26,31	—55,28	—53,20
Major Irrigation Working Expenses	—12	—15	—91	—93	—2,05	—1,83
Buildings and Roads Expenditure	—41	—47	—2,28	—2,83	—6,11	—6,65
Famine Relief (Public Works)	—3	—5	—26	—41	—64	—76
Other P. W. Ordinary Expenditure	—5	—9	—47	—58	—1,25	—1,12
TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE (including Public Works)	—4,65	—4,45	—30,76	—31,06	—65,33	—63,56
Irrigation Capital Expenditure	—5	—8	—34	—60	—1,83	—1,06
Delhi Capital Expenditure	—1	—5	—20	—27	—32	—48
TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS CAPITAL EXPENDITURE ...	—6	—13	—54	—87	—1,65	—1,54
Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from those Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments.						
The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance transactions.						
Posts and Telegraph (Net)	—6	—13	—37	—37	—1,94	—1,26
Marine (Net)	—79	—66	—5,69	—3,85	—7,43	—8,92
Military Works (Net)	—33	—12	—1,48	—65	—1,70	—1,69
Military Receipts	+18	+23	+1,19	+1,16	+1,42	+2,54
Military Issues	—4,70	—2,87	—25,86	—15,87	—40,79	—35,72
Railway Receipt.						
East Indian Railway	+65	+58	+4,40	+4,26	+59,81	+58,65
Other Railways	+3,81	+3,48	+25,74	+23,94		
TOTAL ...	+4,46	+4,06	+30,14	+28,20	+59,81	+58,65
Railway Issues.						
East Indian Railway	—44	—37	—2,80	—3,11	—38,53	—35,84
Other Railways	—2,42	—2,17	—16,18	—15,00		
TOTAL ...	—2,86	—2,54	—18,93	—18,11	—38,53	—35,84
TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS. ...	—4,10	—2,03	—21,05	—8,79	—29,16	—22,44
Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net + Receipts more, — receipts less than payments)	+62	+22	+6,73	+4,61	+6,48	+4,93
Temporary Loan	...	...	...	...	...	—4,50
Mint Certificates and Bullion Advances (Net as above)	+34	—2	+99	—8	...	+2
Transfers through Currency or Gold Standard Reserve	...	...	...	...	...	...
Remittance of Gold	...	...	...	...	...	—3,00
Currency Transfers against silver	+3,15	...	+9,37	...	...	+51
Deposits of District Funds	—17	—15	+28	+22	—45	—50
Loans by Governments	...	+1	+59	+45	+60	+65
Exchange on Remittance Account	...	...	...	+4	...	+19
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at Rs.15 per £	—1,42	—1,35	—6,28	—5,40	—5,83	—7,64
Other Debt Heads	—72	—33	—2,78	—7,41	+54	—4,70
Sterling bills or Telegraphic Transfers on London ...	...	+7	...	+7,34	...	+7,00
TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS ...	+1,80	—1,55	+8,95	—23	+1,34	—7,04
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES ...	—70	—2,98	—43	—2,80	+1,21	—3,95
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	18,30	22,35	18,03	22,17	17,18	22,17
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	17,60	19,37	17,60	19,37	18,39	18,22

H. F. HOWARD,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

AGRICULTURE.

Simla, the 26th October, 1916.

No. 962-222-4.—Major A. T. Gage, I.M.S., Director, Botanical Survey of India, is granted, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for 2 months and 10 days, with effect from the 28th October 1916 or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of.

No. 963-222-4.—Mr. H. G. Carter, Economic Botanist to the Botanical Survey of India, is appointed to officiate in addition to his own duties as Director, Botanical Survey of India, during the absence on leave of Major Gage or until further orders.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 23rd October, 1916.

No. 10307-W.-II.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Defence of India (Wool) Rules, 1916, published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 5134-W.-II., dated the 28th June 1916, namely :—

At the commencement of rule 3 *before* the word " No " the words " Save as otherwise provided in this rule," shall be inserted and *after* the words " the Dhoud-Baramati Railway " the following words shall be inserted, namely :—" the Bengal and North Western, Oudh and Rohilkhand and Rohilkhund and Kumaun Railways (the prohibition in the case of these three railways extends to Thibet wool only)."

The 28th October, 1916.

No. 10551-W-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of section 1 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alteration shall be made in this Department Notification No. 10244-W.-II, dated the 21st October 1916:—

For "Enemy Trading Ordinance, 1916 (V of 1916)" *read* "Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916)".

CUSTOMS.

The 28th October, 1916.

No. 10541-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9003-W-II., dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz.*:—

ADDITIONS.

Bomanjee and Company	Canton.
Boolchund, W.	"
British Medical Imports Company (Proprietors, F. J. Norbury and Son).	
British Post Offices in China.	
Bukit Toh Alang Rubber Estates, Limited.	
Chellaram, D.	Canton.
Chotirmull, K.S.	"
Dhabhar, H. K.	"
Dialdas, M.	"
Dossabhoy and Company, S.	"
Esser, L. C.	
His Majesty's Supreme Court for China.	
Ho Chay Company...	Amoy.
Jeejibhoy and Company, D.	Canton.
Kavarana, S. F.	"
Kavarana and Company, B. E.	"
Kavarana and Sons, M. H.	"
Mehta, M. N.	"
Mercantile Printing Company.	
Mogra and Company, E. R.	Canton.
Navalrai, M.	"
Norbury, F. J. and Son (Proprietors of British Medical Imports Company).	

Odell and Company	Foochow.
Ommid and Company.	
Patell and Company	Canton.
Pavri, K. S.	"
Pohoomull Bros.	"
Popoff Bros. and Company	Harbin.
Pursumall, T.	Canton.
Shanghai Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company.	
Societe Anomyme Belge Pour L'Industrie Des Oeufs	Hankow.
Vania, A. D.	Canton.
Wassiamull Assomull and Company	"
Wegelin, L.	
Wonghungkee.	
Yui Tai and Company	Tientsin.

ALTERATIONS.

Rondon and Company	should read	Rondon, L.
Helman, S. S.	"	Heimon and Company, Spunt.
Spunt and Rosenfeld	"	Spunt, J. and Company.

No. 10556-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made after item 21 in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, *viz.* :—

Articles.	Destinations.	Exceptions and Exemptions.
21a. Iron and steel plates and sheets	All destinations.	
21b. Lead-coated sheets	Ditto.	
21c. Tin-plates and receptacles made from tin-plates.	Ditto.	

LIGHTING OF COASTS.

The 28th October, 1916.

No. 10517.—In accordance with the provisions of Section 16 of the Burma Coast Lights Act, 1879 (IX of 1879), the Governor General in Council has directed the publication of

the following *pro formâ* account showing the receipts and charges in connection with the Burma coast lights for the year which ended on the 31st March 1916.

Annual pro formâ *account of the Burma Coast Light dues for the year 1915-16.*

Capital expenditure up to — Year.	Capital expenditure up to — Amount	Interest at 4 per cent on capital expenditure.	Annual sinking fund payment necessary to liquidate the capital expenditure incurred to date in 60 years assuming interest at the rate of 3 per cent.	Excess of the annual receipts over the annual establishment and maintenance charges.*	Profit or Loss.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1915-16	48,18,497	1,92,740	30,626	66,525	— 1,56,841

**Note.*—General charges on account of the supervision of the lights by the Principal Port Officer, Burma and by other Administrative officers of Government, also the cost of pensions to the establishment, are not included in the charges incorporated in this statement.

POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 28th October, 1916.

No. 10515.—Mr. P. G. Rogers, I.C.S., Postmaster-General, officiating in the 2nd grade and in charge of the Bengal and Assam Circle, is granted such privilege leave as may have been due to him on the afternoon of the 15th September 1916, in combination with furlough out of India of such duration as will bring the total period of his absence up to one year.

The following officiating appointments are made with effect from the date noted against each and until further orders:—

Mr. H. L. Duncan, Deputy Postmaster-General, 1st grade, to act as Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Bengal and Assam, from the 16th September 1916.

Babu Kali Prasanna Sen, Superintendent of Post Offices, 1st grade, to act as Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Bengal and Assam, Calcutta, from the 9th September 1916.

C. B. LOW,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATION.

EDUCATION.

Simla, the 25th October, 1916.

No. 960.—With reference to Section 18, sub-section (2), of the Benares Hindu University Act, 1915 (XVI of 1915), the following Regulations, which have been framed as directed by the Governor General in Council and have received his previous approval, are published for information.

The Regulations of the Benares Hindu University.

CHAPTER I.

The Senate.

1. Meetings of the Senate shall be Ordinary, Special, or Extraordinary.

2. The Ordinary Meetings shall be held in October and March of each year, on such dates as the Vice-Chancellor may appoint.

3. The Special Meetings of the Senate shall be such as are convened by the Vice-Chancellor, either of his own motion or at the request of the Syndicate, for the disposal of urgent business.

4. The Extraordinary Meetings of the Senate shall be convened by the Vice-Chancellor, on the written request of any twelve members.

5. Any member who wishes to propose a resolution at an Ordinary Meeting of the Senate, shall forward the terms of the resolution to the Registrar, so as to reach him not later than three weeks before the date fixed for the Meeting. When any twelve members forward a written request to the Vice-Chancellor to convene an Extraordinary Meeting of the Senate, they shall at the same time forward the terms of the resolution or resolutions which it is intended to propose, and also the name of the proposer of each resolution.

6. The Syndicate shall consider each such resolution of which notice has been given in accordance with the foregoing regulation, and shall cause it to be placed on the agenda paper of the meeting at which its discussion is intended by the proposer: provided that the Syndicate may exclude from the agenda paper any proposed resolution (*a*) which deals in whole or in part with any decision of the Senate adverse to its terms which has been arrived at in any meeting of the Senate held within one year previous to that at which its discussion is intended, or (*b*) which is repugnant to the Act and the Statutes.

The Registrar shall inform the proposer in each such case of exclusion, and the Syndicate shall report the fact of exclusion at the meeting at which the discussion of the resolution was intended, or if there be no other business for that meeting, at the next meeting of the Senate.

7. No resolution, proposal, or other matter of business which has not been submitted to the Syndicate shall be brought before the Senate at any meeting, except as provided for in clause 15.

8. The Registrar shall, not less than 15 days previous to each Ordinary or Extraordinary Meeting of the Senate, issue to each member a notice stating the time and place of meeting; and this notice shall be accompanied by an agenda paper showing the business to be brought before the meeting, and, except as provided for in clause 15, or by special permission of the Chairman, no resolution, proposal, or other matter of business which is not entered on the agenda paper shall be brought before the meeting: provided that the Syndicate may, for reasons of urgency, bring any business before any meeting of the Senate, without notice being given in the agenda paper.

9. In the case of Special Meetings, the Registrar shall give such previous notice of the time and place of meeting as the circumstances in each case may permit, but, except in regard to this particular, the provisions of regulation 8 shall apply to such meetings.

10. At any Special Meeting of the Senate, any member may bring forward any amendment without previous notice being given.

11. At the time fixed for a meeting of the Senate, the Vice-Chancellor, or, in his absence the Pro-Vice-Chancellor, shall take the chair and shall ascertain whether a quorum is present or not. If a quorum be present, he shall declare the meeting constituted, and shall proceed with the business of the meeting. If a quorum be not present, he shall wait for fifteen minutes after the time fixed for the meeting, and if no quorum be then present, he shall declare the meeting dissolved. Every such dissolution shall be recorded by the Registrar, and the record shall be signed by the Chairman. If neither the Vice-Chancellor or the Pro-Vice-Chancellor is able to attend, the members present, in the event of there being a quorum, shall elect one of themselves as Chairman for the meeting and shall proceed with the business.

12. All questions considered at meetings of the Senate shall be decided by a majority of the votes of the members present. If the votes be equally divided, the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote.

13. Every motion shall be affirmative in form and shall begin with the word 'that.' It shall be open to discussion on being moved and seconded.

14. Not more than one motion and one amendment thereto shall be placed before a meeting at the same time.

15. A motion—

(*a*) for change in the order of business as stated in the agenda paper,
(*b*) for the adjournment of the meeting or discussion,
(*c*) that the meeting pass to the next business on the agenda paper,
(*d*) for dissolution of the meeting,
(*e*) for directing the Syndicate, a Faculty, or any Committee to report at a subsequent meeting of the Senate,

(f) for appointment of a Committee to inquire into and report on any matter before the Senate,

may be made at any time, as a distinct question, but not as an amendment, nor whilst a member is speaking, and no previous notice shall be necessary.

16. Any motion made under regulation 15 shall take precedence of any question that may be before the meeting, and, if not withdrawn, must be disposed of before such question.

17. A motion for the adjournment of a meeting or of a debate on any particular question may be made at any time, but shall not be made so as to interrupt a speech. If a motion for the adjournment of the meeting be carried, the meeting shall thereupon adjourn to the time specified in the motion. If a motion for the adjournment of the debate be carried, the debate shall thereupon be adjourned to the time specified in the motion. The meeting shall thereupon pass to the next business, if any, on the agenda paper. If either of such motions be negatived, the business of the meeting or the debate, as the case may be, shall be resumed.

18. A motion for the adjournment of a meeting shall be in the form, 'that this meeting do now adjourn to,' followed by words indicating the day and hour proposed for the adjourned meeting. A motion for the adjournment of a debate shall be in the form, 'that the debate on this question be now adjourned to,' followed by words indicating the day and hour. Ordinarily, a meeting or debate shall only be adjourned to the day following the meeting.

19. No amendment shall be proposed to a motion for adjournment of the meeting or of the discussion, except one substituting a time other than that proposed for such adjournment. A meeting or discussion continued on adjournment shall be deemed one with that preceding the adjournment.

20. A motion to pass to the next business shall be in the form, 'that this meeting do now pass to the next business on the agenda paper,' and may be moved at any time, but not so as to interrupt a speech. If the motion be carried, the motion under discussion, together with any amendments to it, shall drop.

21. A motion for the dissolution of the meeting shall be in the form, 'that this meeting do now dissolve,' and may be made at any time, but not so as to interrupt a speech. If such a motion be carried, the business still before the meeting shall drop, and the Chairman shall declare the meeting dissolved.

22. A motion directing the Syndicate, a Faculty or any Committee to review or to consider its decision or recommendation, may be made at any time during the discussion on any such decision or recommendation, but shall not be made so as to interrupt a speech. The motion shall clearly specify the matter thus referred back to the Syndicate or the Faculty for review or reconsideration, and may also indicate generally the sense or direction in which the mover desires alteration in such decision or recommendation. The motion may also include an instruction that the Syndicate or the Faculty shall report at the next or at some other meeting of the Senate.

23. A motion for the appointment of a Committee to consider any question before the Senate at the time, shall state the purpose for which the Committee is to be constituted and the names of its members.

Amendments.

24. Save as provided in regulation 10 of this chapter notice of every amendment to be brought forward for the consideration of the Senate, shall be given by the proposer not less than three clear days before the date fixed for the meeting. Such notice shall state the precise term of the amendment intended to be proposed. The Registrar shall circulate the notice to the members and, except with the special permission of the Vice-Chancellor or the Chairman of the meeting, no amendment, of which such notice has not been given, shall be considered by the meeting.

25. No amendment shall be proposed which would reduce a motion to its negative or opposite form.

26. No amendment shall be proposed which substantially raises a question already disposed of by the meeting, or is inconsistent with or adverse to any resolution already passed by the meeting.

27. The order in which amendments to a motion are to be brought forward shall be determined by the Chairman, and only one amendment shall be proposed at one time.

28. An amendment must be seconded in the same way as a motion : otherwise it shall drop.

29. When an amendment has been moved and seconded, it shall, unless ruled out of order, be stated from the chair, and the debate may then proceed on the motion and the amendment together.

30. No motion or amendment shall be withdrawn from the decision of the meeting, without its unanimous consent : but this consent shall be presumed if the mover state his wish to withdraw the motion or amendment, and the Chairman, after an interval during which no dissent is expressed, announce that it is withdrawn.

31. Any motion or amendment standing in the name of a member, who is absent from the meeting, or who declines to move it, may be moved by any other member. If no member comes forward to move it, the motion or amendment shall drop.

32. The member who first rises to speak at the conclusion of a speech has the right to be heard. In cases of doubt, the Chairman shall decide who is in possession of the meeting.

33. A member having spoken to a motion or amendment, is not at liberty to speak again to such motion or amendment.

34. In so far as the question raised by an amendment is one to which he has not previously spoken, any member may speak to that question, though he has spoken to the original question or to a previous amendment.

35. The Chairman has the same right of moving or seconding or speaking to a motion or amendment as any other member, but he shall, save as provided under regulation 39, vacate the chair while so engaged, and the chair shall during such time be taken by a member nominated by the Chairman. Without leaving the chair, the Chairman may, however, at his discretion or at the request of any member, explain to the meeting the scope of any motion or amendment.

36. Any member may, with the permission of the Chairman, even whilst another is speaking, rise to explain any misconception of expressions used by him but he shall confine himself strictly to such explanation.

37. Any member may call the Chairman's attention to a point of order even whilst another is speaking, but no speech shall be made on such point of order.

38. The Chairman shall be the sole judge of any point of order, and may call any member to order, and

shall have power to take such action as may be necessary to enforce his decision.

39. Proposals relating to the conferring of Honorary Degrees, votes of thanks, messages of congratulation or condolence, addresses, and other matters of like nature, may be moved from the chair.

40. The meeting of the Senate held in October shall be deemed the Annual Meeting of the Senate.

CHAPTER II.

The Syndicate.

1. Of the fifteen elected members of the Syndicate not less than ten shall be University Professors or Principals or Professors of constituent colleges. The Senate shall at its first meeting proceed first to elect ten such members and then proceed to elect to the remaining vacancies. At each subsequent election, similar procedure shall be followed *mutatis mutandis*.

2. Any elected member, who has been absent for a period exceeding three months, may be declared by the Vice-Chancellor to have vacated his seat.

3. In the event of a casual vacancy owing to death, resignation or otherwise, the members of the Syndicate shall, subject to the provisions of section 12 of the Act as to the proportion of the members who must be University Professors or Principals and Professors of constituent Colleges, appoint a member of the Senate to the vacant membership, to act as a member of the Syndicate, until the next ensuing meeting of the Senate at which such vacancy can be filled up.

4. Any Faculty or member of the Senate shall be at liberty to submit any question to the Syndicate for its consideration and subsequently to bring before the Senate the decision of the Syndicate thereon, with a view to its modification or annulment.

5. The Syndicate shall meet, ordinarily, once a month, except during the vacation, and at other times when convened by the Vice-Chancellor, or, in his absence, by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor.

6. At all meetings of the Syndicate the Chairman shall have a vote, and, in case of an equality of votes, a second or casting vote.

7. Not less than 7 days' notice of a meeting of the Syndicate shall be given by the Registrar, who shall along with such notice forward to each member the agenda of the business proposed to be brought forward.

8. In emergent cases, the Vice-Chancellor may dispense with the condition laid down in regulation 7.

9. Save when otherwise provided for by these Regulations, any one or more of the powers conferred and duties imposed on the Syndicate may, subject to its supervision, control and approval, be exercised and performed by a Sub-Committee appointed by the Syndicate for the purpose.

10. In the absence of the Vice-Chancellor and the Pro-Vice-Chancellor, the members present shall elect one of themselves as Chairman for the meeting.

11. The Chairman may at any time apply the rules for the discussion of questions in the Senate, to the discussion of any particular question before the Syndicate.

CHAPTER III.

The Faculties.

1. Each Faculty shall, at its first meeting, elect one of its members as the Dean of the Faculty who shall hold office until the appointment of a Dean for the next year at the annual meeting of the Faculty.

2. In the event of the office of Dean being vacated in the course of the year, the Faculty shall proceed to elect a new Dean within one month of the occurrence of the vacancy, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

3. Every meeting of a Faculty shall be convened by the Registrar, under the orders of the Vice-Chancellor or the Syndicate or the Dean of the Faculty.

4. Each Faculty shall, on a date in October to be fixed by the Vice-Chancellor or the Dean, hold a meeting to be called the Annual Meeting of the Faculty.

5. Not less than 14 days' notice shall be given by the Registrar of every meeting of a Faculty.

6. The Dean shall preside at all meetings of the Faculty, but in his absence the members present shall elect one of their number as Chairman of the meeting.

7. The regulations relating to notice of business contained in Chapter I shall, so far as may be, apply to all business proposed at a meeting of a Faculty: provided that the Chairman may, for reasons of urgency, bring any matter before any meeting without notice being given in the agenda paper, and provided that any member may, with the permission of a majority of the members present at a meeting, bring forward any matter in that meeting, without notice.

8. The Chairman at a meeting of a Faculty may at his discretion apply the regulations prescribed for discussion of matters at the Senate.

9. It shall be within the power of the Faculty (1) to appoint a Committee of the Faculty for any purpose within the cognizance or powers of the Faculty, (2) to hold meetings of the Faculty along with any other Faculty or a Committee thereof, for the discussion of any matter of common interest.

10. Copies of the proceedings of all meetings of the Faculty shall be sent to all the members of the Senate.

11. Two or more Faculties may be called upon by the Senate or the Syndicate to meet together for the disposal of any questions affecting more than one Faculty. In such cases, the joint meeting shall elect its own Chairman.

12. Each Faculty may at its annual meeting co-opt as many members not exceeding the number of members assigned to it by the Senate, as it may deem necessary. The members so co-opted shall hold office till the conclusion of the next annual meeting of the Faculty.

13. The members so co-opted shall be entitled to vote at all meetings of the Faculty, and be eligible for appointment to the Boards of Studies, and other Boards or Committees of the Faculty.

14. All questions pertaining to the work of a Faculty shall ordinarily be submitted to the Faculty concerned in the first instance.

CHAPTER IV.

The Boards of Studies.

1. The Senate shall, from time to time, determine the subjects for which Boards of Studies shall be constituted in each Faculty and the number of members constituting each Board. The Faculties shall thereupon proceed to appoint such Board or Boards, and appoint a Convener for each Board.

2. The members of the several Boards shall hold office for the term of one year. Vacancies in the course of the year shall be filled by the Faculty concerned.

3. Each Board shall dispose of its business by meetings or correspondence, or by both, as may be convenient.

4. Two or more Boards may be called upon by a Faculty, the Syndicate or the Senate to meet together for the disposal of any questions affecting more than one Board. In such cases, the joint meeting shall elect its own Chairman.

5. Meetings of Boards shall be presided over by the Convener of the Board; in the absence of the Convener, the members present shall elect a Chairman.

CHAPTER V.

The Boards of Examiners.

1. The Syndicate shall, from time to time, appoint such and so many Boards of Examiners as may be necessary, and prescribe their respective constitution, powers and duties; *provided* that, for each subject or group of subjects forming part of the course of studies for any examination, at least one external and independent Examiner shall be appointed by the Syndicate.

CHAPTER VI.

The Registrar and the Assistant Registrar.

1. The Registrar shall be appointed for a term of five years, but, on the expiration of his term, shall be eligible for re-appointment.

2. It shall be the duty of the Registrar—

(*a*) to be the custodian of the records, common seal, and such other property of the University as the Syndicate shall commit to his charge;

(*b*) to act as Secretary to the Syndicate and to attend, as far as possible, all meetings of the Senate, Faculties, Syndicate and any Committees appointed by the Senate, the Faculties, or the Syndicate, and to keep minutes thereof;

(*c*) to conduct the official correspondence of the Senate and the Syndicate;

(*d*) to issue all notices convening meetings of the Senate, Faculties, Syndicate, Boards of Studies, Boards of Examiners, and of any Committees appointed by the Senate, the Syndicate, the Faculties or any of the Boards;

(*e*) to arrange for and superintend the examinations of the University at Benares, and

(*f*) to perform such other work as may from time to time be prescribed by the Syndicate.

3. The Syndicate shall make arrangements for the discharge of the duties of the Registrar during his absence.

4. The duties of the Assistant Registrar shall, from time to time, be defined by the Syndicate.

5. There shall also be such permanent staff of subordinate assistants and servants as may from time to time be sanctioned by the Council. Appointments to such staff shall be made by the Syndicate.

6. The Registrar shall, on application previously made for the purpose of fixing a convenient hour, arrange that any member of the Court or the Senate, or of a Faculty shall have access to the proceedings of the Senate, the Syndicate, or the Faculty, respectively.

CHAPTER VII.

The Librarian.

1. The Librarian shall be a whole-time officer and shall be appointed by the Council on the recommendation of the Syndicate, with such duties, at such remuneration and upon such terms and conditions as it shall deem fit.

CHAPTER VIII.

The University Library.

1. The management of the University Library shall be vested in a Library Committee consisting of (*a*) the Vice-Chancellor, the Pro-Vice-Chancellor, the Registrar and the Librarian as *ex-officio* members; (*b*) eight other members appointed by the Senate (of whom not less than four shall be Professors or other members of the teaching staff of the University or principals or professors of constituent colleges) as ordinary members.

2. The Senate shall appoint the members of the Committee in such a way as to secure, as far as possible, the representation of all the Faculties.

3. The appointed members shall hold office for two years.

4. The Librarian shall be the Secretary of the Committee.

5. The Committee shall report to the Syndicate the amount of money required in each year for the purchase of new books and periodicals, and for the maintenance of the library.

6. Library assistants and servants shall be appointed by the Library Committee, subject to the general control of the Syndicate.

7. The duties of the Library Committee shall be—

I. to recommend to the Syndicate rules regulating—

(*a*) the use of the library by members of the University and by other persons;

(*b*) the deposit of caution-money for the use of books;

(*c*) the conditions of borrowing and returning books;

(*d*) the imposition of fines or the suspension of privileges for the loss, mutilation or disfigurement of books, or for any breach of the library rules;

(*e*) the annual inspection of the library;

(*f*) the payment of fees for the use of the library by persons other than the members of the University; and,

(*g*) all other matters relating to the management of the library;

II. to purchase or acquire books, manuscripts, literary and scientific periodicals, or other publications;

III. to provide such furniture and equipment as may be necessary.

8. The manuscripts shall always be kept under lock and key, and shall not be removed without the special permission of the Syndicate, on the recommendation of the Library Committee.

CHAPTER IX.

Register of University Students.

1. The Registrar shall maintain, in such form as the Syndicate may from time to time prescribe, a register of all under-graduates and graduates reading for a higher examination or carrying on research under a Professor, and of all such persons as are allowed by special grace of the Senate to attend lectures or carry on research in the University.

2. All persons registered under the preceding clause shall be called "Students of the University."

3. The Syndicate shall prescribe the form of the register mentioned in regulation 1.

4. No person shall be deemed a "University Student," unless and until his name has been duly entered in the register, and none but "University Students" shall be eligible for admission to any University examination other than the examination for admission to the University.

5. Every student on registration shall be informed, through the principal of his college, of the registered number under which his name has been entered in the register, and that number shall be quoted in all subsequent reports concerning that student and in all applications by that student to any University officer.

6. Every student shall be required to pay the University a fee of Rs. 2, when his name is sent in for registration.

No further fee for registration shall be charged, unless a student's name is, on non-payment of fees, absence without notice, or expulsion, struck off the register, in which case he shall pay Re. 1 to have his name re-entered in the University register.

7. Any registered student may at any time receive a certified copy of all entries under his name on payment of Re. 1.

CHAPTER X.

Registration of Graduates.

1. All graduates of the University shall, on payment of a registration fee of Rs. 5, be entitled to have their names entered on the register of University graduates.

2. Subject to the provision of statute 20 (2) (*vii*), the register shall be kept in such form as the Syndicate shall prescribe.

3. Application for entry of name on the register of University graduates shall be ordinarily made within six months of the date on which the degree was conferred on the applicant at the Convocation. After the said period, applicants shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 10.

4. Each registered graduate shall be required to pay an annual fee of Rs. 2 on or before the 31st January of each year. In case of non-payment before such date, his name shall be removed from such register, but he shall be eligible for re-entry on payment of the fee in arrears.

5. The fees payable for admission and the annual fee payable may be compounded, on payment of Rs. 20 at any time.

6. Registered graduates shall be entitled to take part in the Convocations, and shall be entitled to such other privileges and rights as may from time to time be conferred in conformity with the regulations.

CHAPTER XI.

Residence of Students.

1. (*a*) Every student shall reside in a University hostel, or, if he is a student of a constituent college, in a college hostel, unless allowed by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor to reside with his parents or guardians, under such conditions as the Pro-Vice-Chancellor may from time to time prescribe.

(*b*) A student of a constituent college which has been admitted to privileges of the University shall not be permitted by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor to reside elsewhere than in a hostel save on the recommendation of the Principal of the college concerned.

2. Students in the Faculties of Theology and Oriental Learning shall reside either in the manner prescribed in regulation 1 of this Chapter or in *chhattras* or *ashrams* which are approved by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor.

Every *chhattra* or *ashram* approved by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor shall be placed under the complete control of the University and shall provide adequate supervision or shall permit the provision by the University of such supervision, and shall submit to inspection by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor, and, further, shall comply with the following conditions:—

(*i*) that the *chattra* or *ashram* will not permit the residence within it of inmates of an age less than that prescribed in these regulations for the admission of students to these two Faculties;

(*ii*) that the *chhattra* or *ashram* will not permit the residence within it of any inmate who is not a student of the University in one or other of these Faculties.

Should a *chhattra* or an *ashram* fail to comply with one or other of these conditions the Pro-Vice-Chancellor after consulting the Syndicate shall withdraw from that *chhattra* or *ashram* the privilege of receiving students of the University and the students of the University who are residing in it shall forthwith leave it.

3. No student shall be admitted to the University or to any constituent college until the question of his residence has been settled.

4. For the purpose of these regulations the term "guardian" shall mean:—

(*i*) the legal guardian of the student if one has been appointed, or, in his absence or if the student has no parent living, a near relative of responsible age;

(*ii*) a person declared in writing by the student's parent or, if he has no parent living, by one of the persons described in (*i*) above, to be his guardian;

(*iii*) if the student has no parent, near relative or legal guardian, a person approved by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor.

In all cases the person declared to be the student's guardian must be approved by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor as a suitable person in age and position to act as guardian.

(a) *University Hostels.*

5. The University shall provide such and so many hostels for the residence of students as may, from time to time, be required.

6. Such hostels shall be constructed on a plan approved by the Syndicate.

7. Such hostels shall be under the supervision of a Warden appointed in accordance with rules which the Syndicate may, from time to time, prescribe.

8. Each hostel shall have its recreation grounds and shall manage its own games either by itself or in conjunction with other hostels.

9. The internal management of each hostel shall be carried on in accordance with rules which the Syndicate may, in consultation with the Council from time to time, prescribe.

10. Students residing in the hostels shall be members of the University institutes or societies for the promotion of social intercourse, for creating literary and scientific tastes and for promotion of physical culture and organized games. Such institutes and societies shall be under such supervision as the Syndicate may approve.

11. The Syndicate shall exercise supervision over the hostels through the Students' Residence Committee as constituted in Chapter XII.

12. In matters appertaining to religious instruction and observances, the Council shall exercise supervision over the hostels, in consultation with the Faculty of Theology and through the Students' Residence Committee.

(b) *College Hostels.*

13. The administration of hostels attached to any constituent college admitted to privileges of the University shall be in the hands of the principal of that college.

CHAPTER XII.

Students' Residence Committee.

1. At the annual meeting of the Syndicate, a Committee shall be appointed which shall be called the "Students' Residence Committee." It shall consist of—

(a) the Pro-Vice-Chancellor,

(b) two members to be nominated by the Faculty of Theology,

(c) two members of the teaching staff to be appointed by the Syndicate,

(d) two members to be nominated by the Council,

(e) two representatives, who shall be graduates of any Faculty, elected by the students in such manner as the Syndicate may, from time to time, prescribe,

(f) the Chief Medical Officer in charge of the hostel.

The members appointed, nominated or elected shall hold office for the term of one year and shall be eligible for re-election.

The Committee shall deal, subject to the regulations (especially regulations 1 and 2 of Chapter XI) and to the general control of the Syndicate, with all questions relating to the admission, residence and social life of the students in University hostels. The Pro-Vice-Chancellor shall be *ex-officio* Chairman of the Committee. Casual vacancies during the year shall be filled up by the Syndicate, on the recommendation of the body entitled to nominate for the vacancy.

2. Nothing in these regulations shall be taken to authorise the Students' Residence Committee or any member thereof to interfere with the control of a principal over his students.

CHAPTER XIII.

Discipline.

1. The rules of discipline touching students of the University shall be framed by the Senate.

(a) *Discipline among students other than those of constituent colleges admitted to privileges.*

2. It shall be the duty of the Pro-Vice-Chancellor to see that these rules are carried out and also to maintain discipline among the students in matters not specifically provided by rule.

3. The Pro-Vice-Chancellor shall control the discipline of students while they are in lecture-rooms or laboratories through the professor in charge, and while they are in hostels through the wardens of the hostels.

(b) *Discipline among students of constituent colleges admitted to privileges.*

4. It shall be the duty of the principal of a constituent college admitted to privileges to see that the rules of the Senate are carried out and also to maintain discipline among his students in matters not specifically provided by rule.

5. If the Pro-Vice-Chancellor observes that discipline is relaxed in any college, he shall bring the matter in the first instance to the notice of the Principal and if necessary to the notice of the Vice-Chancellor and the Syndicate.

6. The Pro-Vice-Chancellor shall, with the co-operation of the principal of the college and subject to the provisions of regulation 3, maintain discipline among the students of constituent colleges admitted to privileges while they are outside the college or the college hostels to which they belong.

CHAPTER XIV.

Admission of Students.

1. Every candidate for any degree or diploma granted by the University shall, except when exempted under any of these regulations, be required to pass the examination prescribed by these regulations for admission to the University for the Faculty concerned before entering upon the course prescribed for such degree or diploma.

2. Every male candidate for any degree or diploma granted by the University shall have completed sixteen years of age within 30 days of his entering upon the course prescribed for such degree or diploma, *provided* that, in the case of candidates for the Courses in the Faculties of Theology and Oriental Learning, the age fifteen may be substituted for sixteen.

3. The examinations for admission shall be those prescribed in Chapters XXVII, XXXVIII, and XXXIX.

The conditions to be fulfilled by schools recognised for the purpose of sending up candidates to the examinations for admission shall be those prescribed in Chapter XVII. The regulations governing admission are collected together in Chapter XL.

A.—Admission to the University courses in Faculties other than Theology and Oriental studies.

4. A candidate may gain admission to the University courses in Faculties other than those of Theology and Oriental Learning either (*i*) by passing the admission examinations in Arts and Science prescribed in Chapter XXVII of these regulations, or (*ii*) by passing any one of the other examinations as specified below and fulfilling such other conditions as the Syndicate may impose.

(*i*) *Conditions to be fulfilled by candidates for the admission examinations in Arts and Science.*

5. A candidate for the admission examinations in Arts and Science shall be either a pupil of a recognised school or a private candidate.

6. A candidate shall be deemed to be a pupil of a recognised school when he has studied in it or in more than one recognised school for at least two years immediately previous to his admission to the University, or, if local rules regarding study, examination, etc., demand, for a longer period. Such a candidate shall apply through the headmaster of the school where he is studying to the Registrar, in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched so as to reach the Registrar at least six weeks before the date of the commencement of the admission examination. The fee shall be Rs. 10.

7. A private candidate is one who has not studied in any school or other educational institution for one year immediately previous to his admission to a University examination.

8. When a private candidate is a resident of British India he shall be certified by an inspector of schools appointed by the local Government of the province or place where he resides or by some other officer empowered by the local Government for this purpose to be a fit person to appear at the admission examination. The Syndicate shall ordinarily require that, in cases where a candidate has at any time previously studied in a school or an institution, a satisfactory certificate from the head of that school or institution shall be forwarded by the certifying officer.

9. When a private candidate is a resident of the territory of an Indian Prince or Chief he must, (*a*) if the Government of India have made the direction specified in regulation 6 (*a*) of Chapter XL (regulation 2 (*a*) of Chapter XVII) regarding that State, be certified by the educational authority of that State to be a fit person to appear at the admission examinations; or (*b*) if no such direction has been made regarding that State be similarly certified by an officer empowered by the Government of India to be so qualified. In either case, if the candidate has at any time previously studied in a school or an institution, the certificate prescribed under the last sentence of regulation 10 of Chapter XL (regulation 8 of the present Chapter) shall ordinarily be required.

10. A private candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least six weeks before the commencement of the admission examinations. The fee shall be Rs. 10.

11. Whether a candidate is a pupil of a recognised school or a private candidate, he shall satisfy the Syndicate as to his fitness for admission to the courses of the University by passing the admission examinations, which shall be held at Benares at times prescribed from time to time by the Syndicate.

(*ii*) *Conditions to be fulfilled by candidates who pass some other examination.*

12. The Syndicate may admit to the University courses a candidate who has passed the matriculation examination of any Indian University established by Act of the Legislature or any school-leaving certificate examination held in a British province or in a State, which, on the advice of the Syndicate, shall at any time be recognised by the Government of India as qualifying for admission, or any one of the following examinations:—

the Senior Oxford Local Examination,

the Senior Cambridge Local Examination,

the Final Examination prescribed for European Schools,

the Diploma Examination of a Chiefs' College.

The Syndicate may also so admit candidates coming from outside India who produce certificates of having passed an examination which in the opinion of the Syndicate is equivalent to the above mentioned examinations, or who have, in the opinion of the Syndicate, if necessary after examination, attained a degree of knowledge equivalent to that expected at the admission examinations.

13. The Syndicate shall have power from time to time to prescribe further conditions to be complied with by candidates, and in especial to prescribe further tests for candidates who have passed these examinations; *provided* that if any such further test is held at a centre other than Benares the arrangements (especially those regarding the supervision of the examination) shall be made in conjunction with the local Government or the Government of the State concerned.

14. In special cases, by permission of the Syndicate, a candidate may be admitted to the B. A. and B. Sc. courses of the University if he has passed the intermediate examination of some other Indian University established by Act of the Legislature.

B.—Admission to University courses in the Faculties of Theology and Oriental Learning.

15. A candidate may gain admission to the University courses in the Faculty of Oriental Learning either (*i*) by fulfilling the conditions prescribed in regulations 4 to 8 of Chapter XL (regulations 5 and 6 of the present Chapter read with the regulations of Chapter XVII), save as regards the payment of a fee, and by passing the admission examinations in Arts and Science with Sanskrit as one of the subjects, or (*ii*) by fulfilling the conditions prescribed in regulations 14 and 15 of Chapter XL (regulations 12 and 13 of the present Chapter) and passing any of the examinations mentioned in regulation 12 (regulation 14 of Chapter XL) with Sanskrit as one of the subjects, or (*iii*) by passing the *Praveshika Pariksha*, or (*iv*) by passing:—

the *Prathama* Examination of the Sanskrit College, Benares,

Prajna Examination of the Punjab University,

provided that candidates under (*i*) and (*ii*) of this regulation who have not taken Sanskrit as one of the subjects

of their examination, may be admitted on satisfying the Syndicate as the result of an examination that they possess a sufficient knowledge of Sanskrit.

16. In case (*iii*) a candidate either shall be a pupil of a recognised school which under the provision to regulation 5 (*c*) of Chapter XL (regulation 1 (*c*) of Chapter XVII) is permitted to prepare and send up candidates for the *Praveshika Pariksha*, or, if he is not a pupil of such a recognised school, shall produce a certificate as provided for under regulations 19 and 20 of Chapter XL (regulations 17 and 18 of the present Chapter) that he is a fit person to be sent up for the *Praveshika Pariksha*.

17. When the candidate is a resident of British India the certificate specified in regulation 18 of Chapter XL (regulation 16 of the present Chapter) shall be signed by an officer empowered for this purpose by the local Government of the province or place where the candidate resides or studies.

18. When the candidate is a resident of the territory of an Indian Prince or Chief the certificate specified in regulation 18 of Chapter XL (regulation 16 of the present Chapter) shall be signed by the educational authority of that State, if the direction provided for in regulation 6 (*a*) of Chapter XL (regulation 2 (*a*) of Chapter XVII) has been made in respect of that State; otherwise, it shall be signed by an officer empowered for this purpose by the Government of India.

19. A candidate for the *Praveshika Pariksha* shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least six weeks before the commencement of the examination.

20. The *Praveshika Pariksha* shall be held at times prescribed from time to time by the Syndicate at Benares and at such other centres as the Syndicate may from time to time direct; *provided* that at centres other than Benares the arrangements (especially those regarding the supervision of the examinations) shall be made in conjunction with the local Government or the Government of the State concerned.

21. The Syndicate may admit to the *Shastri* course students who have passed the *Madhyama* Examination of the Benares Sanskrit College.

22. Candidates for admission to the courses of the Faculty of Theology (*Dharma*) must be Hindus and must have fulfilled the conditions prescribed in regulation 17 (*iii*) or (*iv*) of Chapter XL (regulation 15 (*iii*) or (*iv*) of the present Chapter) or in regulation 23 of Chapter XL (regulation 21 of the present Chapter).

CHAPTER XV.

Admission of women students and special regulations governing their residence, examination, etc.

1. Women candidates shall be eligible for admission to the University and to its examinations, degrees and diplomas.

2. There shall be no age limit for the admission of women candidates.

3. With the permission of the Syndicate, women candidates shall be eligible to appear at all examinations of the University (whether for admission or for a degree or a diploma) as private candidates.

4. It shall be open to the Syndicate to make arrangements for the examination of women candidates in *purdah*.

5. Women candidates shall not be compelled to appear in person before the President of the Convocation for their diplomas.

6. The Syndicate shall from time to time make such arrangements for the residence of women students as may be necessary.

7. In other respects the conditions governing women candidates and students shall be those prescribed in these regulations for male candidates.

CHAPTER XVI.

Admission of Colleges to privileges of the University.

1. Colleges in Benares may be admitted to privileges of one or more Faculties and in such subject or subjects as the Senate may recommend.

2. All applications for admission to privileges must be addressed to the Syndicate through the Registrar.

3. A college applying for such admission shall satisfy the Syndicate—

(*a*) that the college is to be under the control of a regularly constituted governing body;

(*b*) that the qualifications of the teaching staff and the conditions governing their tenure of office are such as to make due provision for the courses of instruction to be undertaken by the college;

(*c*) that the buildings in which the college is to be located are suitable;

(*d*) that due provision has been or will be made for a library;

(*e*) where admission to privileges is sought in any branch of experimental science, that arrangements have been or will be made for imparting instruction in that branch of science in a properly equipped laboratory or museum;

(*f*) that the financial resources of the college are such as to make due provision for its continued maintenance;

(*g*) that the college is a residential college, and provision has been or will be made for the residence of the students, the principal and at least for such members of the teaching staff as are in charge of the students' hostels.

For the purpose of these regulations a residential college shall be defined as one in which all the students reside in hostels maintained or recognised by the college, unless specially allowed by the principal to reside with their parents or guardians, who shall also undertake to fulfil the conditions laid down by the Syndicate.

The application shall further contain an assurance that, after the college is admitted to privileges, any transference of management and all changes in the teaching staff shall be forthwith reported to the Syndicate; that the college shall conform to and comply with all rules and conditions which the Syndicate may from time to time prescribe for the discipline, residence and conduct of the students; and that the college shall be subject to the general control of the University in the matter of imparting

instruction to and teaching its students and in respect of the participation of the college staff in the general work of the University.

4. On receipt of a letter of application under sub-section (1), the Syndicate shall—

(a) direct a local enquiry to be made by a commission of not less than three persons nominated by the Syndicate in this behalf, one of whom shall be a member of the Court;

(b) make such further enquiry as may appear to them to be necessary; and

(c) report to the Senate on the question whether the application should be granted or refused, either in whole or in part, embodying in such report the results of any inquiry under clauses (a) and (b);

and the Senate shall, after such further inquiry, if any, as may appear to them to be necessary, record their opinion on the matter.

5. The Vice-Chancellor shall submit the application and all proceedings of the Syndicate and Senate relating thereto to the Visitor, who, after such further inquiry as may appear to him necessary, shall accord his permission to such admission to privileges or pass such orders as he may deem fit and proper. The college shall, on such approval being accorded, be deemed to have been so admitted.

6. When a college desires to add to the courses of instruction in respect of which it is so admitted, the procedure prescribed by regulation 3 shall, so far as possible, be followed.

7. The Syndicate may call upon any college to take, within a specified period, such action as may appear to them to be necessary, in respect of any of the matters referred to in regulation 3.

8. The Senate may, on the recommendation of the Syndicate and with the approval of the Visitor, withdraw, in whole or in part, the privileges so granted to any college. The procedure shall be as follows:—

(a) A member of the Syndicate, who intends to move that the rights conferred on any college by such admission to privileges be withdrawn, in whole or in part, shall give notice of his motion, and shall state in writing the grounds on which the motion is made;

(b) Before taking the said motion into consideration, the Syndicate shall send a copy of the notice and written statement mentioned in (a) to the president of the governing body concerned, together with an intimation that any representation in writing, submitted within a period specified in such intimation on behalf of the college, will be considered by the Syndicate, provided that the period so specified may, if necessary, be extended from time to time by the Syndicate;

(c) On receipt of the representation or on expiration of the period referred to in (b), the Syndicate, after considering the notice of motion, statement and representation and after such inspection by any competent person authorised by the Syndicate in this behalf, and such further inquiry as may appear to them to be necessary, shall make report to the Senate;

(d) On receipt of the report under (c), the Senate shall, after such further inquiry, if any, as may appear to them to be necessary, record their opinion on the matter.

(e) The Vice-Chancellor shall submit the motion and all proceedings of the Syndicate and the Senate relative thereto to the Visitor, who, after such further enquiry as may appear to him necessary, shall pass such orders as he may deem fit and proper.

9. The Syndicate may from time to time require each constituent college admitted to privileges to furnish such returns, reports and other information as the Syndicate may require, to enable them to judge of the efficiency of the college.

CHAPTER XVII.

Recognition of Schools.

1. When a school is situated in British India, the conditions regarding its recognition for the purpose of sending up candidates for the Admission examinations of the University shall be as follows:—

(a) The school shall apply to such officer and in such form and shall specify such particulars as shall be prescribed by the local Government of the province or place in which it is situated, and the local Government, if it thinks fit and after such inquiry as it may deem necessary, may recognise the school for the purpose of sending up candidates.

(b) If the application is granted, the school shall be entered on the list of schools so recognised, and a copy of the entry shall be sent to the Registrar of the University.

(c) No school so recognised shall, during the period that it remains so recognised, prepare or send up candidates for the matriculation or admission examination of any other University; *provided* that with the special consent of the Syndicate it may prepare and send up candidates for the *Praveshika Pariksha*.

(d) The local Government may at any time remove any school from the list of recognised schools.

(e) A copy of the order removing a school from the list of recognised schools shall forthwith be sent to the Registrar of the University.

2. When a school is situated in the territory of an Indian Prince or Chief the procedure governing its recognition for the purpose of sending up candidates for the Admission examination of the University shall be as follows:—

(a) The Government of India may direct in respect of any State that recognition of a school by the Government of that State shall (subject in any case to revision by the Government of India) be recognition for the purpose of sending up candidates.

(b) If a school situated in a State regarding which the Government of India have made no such direction desires recognition, the Government of India may, if they think fit and after such enquiry as they may deem necessary, empower the Government of that State to recognise that school for the purpose of sending up candidates.

(c) In either case the conditions (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) of regulation 5 of Chapter XI, (regulation 1 of the present Chapter) shall be fulfilled save that (subject to revision by the Government of India of the granting and retention of recognition) the Government of the State concerned shall be substituted for the local Government.

3. The Syndicate shall have power from time to time to prescribe further conditions for recognition to be complied with by schools which fulfil the conditions required under the two preceding regulations.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Honorary Degrees.

1. When the Vice-Chancellor and not less than two-thirds of the other members of the Syndicate recommend that an Honorary Degree be conferred on any person, on the ground that he is, in their opinion, by reason of eminent position and attainments, a fit and proper person to receive such a degree, and when their recommendation is supported by not less than two-thirds of the members present at a meeting of the Senate and is confirmed by the Chancellor, the Senate may confer on such person the Honorary Degree so recommended, without requiring him to undergo any examination.

CHAPTER XIX.

Convocation.

1. A Convocation for the purpose of conferring degrees shall be held annually in the month of October or November, or at such other time as the Chancellor shall direct.

2. Unless specially exempted, every candidate for a degree, other than a woman candidate, must appear in person at the Convocation to receive the same. A candidate so exempted shall not receive his diploma, except on payment of a fee of Rs. 10.

3. The diplomas of degrees shall bear the signature of the Vice-Chancellor.

4. The Syndicate shall, from time to time, lay down the procedure to be followed at the Convocation.

5. Special Convocations for conferring degrees or for other purposes may be held at such other date and time as the Syndicate may determine.

CHAPTER XX.

Fellowships, Studentships, Scholarships, Medals and Prizes.

The Council may, from time to time, establish such fellowships, studentships and scholarships, and award such medals and prizes as it may think fit, and shall, from time to time, lay down the terms and conditions under which they are to be awarded and held ; provided that expenditure on such fellowships, etc., shall not be regarded as a recurring charge of the University for the purpose of section 11 of the Act.

CHAPTER XXI.

Endowments.

1. Benefactors, desiring to endow professorships, lectureships, fellowships, studentships, scholarships, medals and prizes, shall communicate to the Vice-Chancellor the conditions, if any, they wish to impose.

2. The Council, on receiving the report of the Syndicate, shall consider whether it will be within the objects of the University and consonant with the Act, the Statutes and the Regulations to accept the conditions of the endowment, and accept the offer, or not.

3. An account of all the endowments with the conditions of their award and the names of the benefactors, shall be printed in the University Calendar.

CHAPTER XXII.

Academic Costumes.

1. The Senate shall, in consultation with the Council, from time to time, prescribe the academic costume to be worn by the members of the University.

CHAPTER XXIII.

Fees.

1. The Council shall, on the recommendation of the Syndicate, from time to time, prescribe the fees payable by students—

(a) for admission to the various examinations held by the University ; *provided* that, save in the case of private candidates for the Admission examination and of all examinations for admission, degrees or diplomas held under the Faculties of Theology and Oriental Learning, the fee charged shall not be less than that charged for corresponding examinations by the University of Allahabad ;

(b) for attendance at University and college lectures ;

(c) for admission to and residence in hostels ; and

(d) such other fees as it may, from time to time, deem fit to charge.

CHAPTER XXIV.

Remuneration to Examiners.

1. The fee for setting and moderating question papers and for examining answer books and dissertations and for practical and *viva voce* examinations, shall be fixed from time to time, by the Council, on the recommendation of the Syndicate which shall also fix the travelling allowance if any, to be paid to examiners.

CHAPTER XXV.

Laboratories, Museums and Botanical Gardens.

1. The Council shall, from time to time, provide for the establishment and maintenance of such laboratories, workshops, museums and gardens or farms as may be necessary for practical instruction in science and for the purposes of research. The Syndicate shall from time to time make rules for their management and use.

CHAPTER XXVI.

Examinations.

General Rules.

1. Every candidate for any degree granted by the University shall be required to pass an examination for admission to the University, as prescribed in Chapter XIV, the intermediate examination, and the examination or examinations for the degrees prescribed by these regulations.

2. All applications to appear in an examination shall be addressed to the Registrar, and shall be presented within such time and in such manner as may be prescribed by the Syndicate.

3. A candidate who fails to pass or who from sickness or other cause is unable to present himself for any examination, shall not receive a refund of his fee, but the Syndicate may, for sufficient cause, permit the candidate to present himself for the next ensuing examination without payment of a further fee.

4. Except as provided in regulation 3, a candidate, when admitted to one or more subsequent examinations or any part thereof, shall, before admission, pay the prescribed fee for such examination on each occasion when he is so admitted.

5. On receipt of the fee prescribed for the examination, the Registrar shall examine the application, which, if found to be in due form and in order, shall be registered in the register of candidates for such examination. The Registrar shall thereupon issue an admission card to the candidate, entitling him to sit for the said examination.

6. A candidate may not be admitted into the examination room unless he produces to the officer conducting the examination, his admission card, or satisfies such officer that it will be subsequently produced.

7. A student shall be deemed to have diligently pursued a regular course of study during a year or years if he has attended at least seventy-five per cent of the course of lectures delivered in that subject during the year or years, and has produced a satisfactory character certificate from the head of his college or school.

8. The Syndicate shall have power to condone any deficiency of attendance, but only for cogent reasons.

9. Except when otherwise directed by the regulations or by the examiner in the examination paper, every candidate shall answer his questions in the English language, in the examinations in Arts, Science and Law, and, in the examinations held in the Faculties of Theology and Oriental Learning, in such language as may be required in the question paper.

10. Candidates passing any University examinations will be placed in three classes, namely, the first, second and third. The Syndicate shall, from time to time, prescribe conditions under which candidates will be placed in each of these classes.

11. The term "year" in these regulations means the term or terms of study or periods of study in the University, or in one of its constituent colleges, prescribed by the University, during a year of the Gregorian Calendar.

CHAPTER XXVII.

Admission Examinations in Arts and Science.

1. There shall be an Admission examination held every year at Benares at such times and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe, for admission to the studies of the Faculties of Arts and Science.

2. The candidates admitted to this examination shall fulfil the conditions prescribed in regulations 4 to 13 of Chapter XI. (regulations 5 to 11 of Chapter XIV read with the regulations of Chapter XVII).

3. The Registrar shall take the orders of the Syndicate on each application for admission to this examination.

4. The Admission examination shall be conducted by means of papers. There shall also be a practical examination in science subjects.

5. Candidates for the Admission examination in Arts and Science shall be examined in the following subjects :—

A. (1) English.
 (2) Mathematics.
 (3) History and Geography.
 (4) Sanskrit, and (5) any one or two of the following subjects :—
  (a) An Indian Vernacular.
  (b) Any other classical language.
  (c) A modern European language.
  (d) Elementary Physics and Chemistry.
  (e) Botany.
  (f) Drawing and Manual Training.
  (g) Agriculture and Surveying.

B. (1) English.
 (2) Mathematics.
 (3) History and Geography.
 (4) An Indian Vernacular.
 (5) Any one or two of the following subjects :—
  (a) Sanskrit.
  (b) Any other classical language.
  (c) A modern European language.
  (d) Elementary Physics and Chemistry.
  (e) Botany.
  (f) Drawing and Manual Training.
  (g) Agriculture and Surveying.

6. A candidate for admission may present himself for one or more subsequent examinations, provided that he shall on every such occasion satisfy the Registrar that he has fulfilled the conditions laid down in these regulations, as if he were a candidate appearing for the first time.

7. A certificate signed by the Registrar shall be given to each successful candidate, setting forth the date of the examination, the optional subjects in which he was examined and the class in which he was placed.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

Intermediate Examination in the Faculties of Arts and Science.

1. The Intermediate examination shall be held once a year in Benares, at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe.

2. No candidate shall be admitted to this examination, unless he shall have fulfilled the conditions contained in Chapter XL (Chapter XIV) for admission to the courses in Arts and Science, and shall have prosecuted a regular course of study for two years in the University or a constituent college thereof, and unless he has produced satisfactory testimonials in the form prescribed by the Syndicate.

3. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

4. A candidate who fails to pass may be admitted to a subsequent Intermediate examination on a new application and payment of a further fee, provided he shall have prosecuted a regular course of study for one year in the University or in a constituent college since the date of the last examination.

5. The examination shall be conducted partly by means of papers and partly *viva voce*, and in subjects which admit of it candidates shall also be required to undergo a practical examination.

6. The subjects of examination shall be the following:—

I. Compulsory subjects—

(*a*) English.

(*b*) Composition in an Indian Vernacular.

II. Optional subjects—Three subjects, confined to one of the following Groups:—

Group A—

(*c*) Sanskrit, and

(*d*) (*e*) any two of the following subjects, *viz*:—

(1) Another classical language.
(2) A modern European language.
(3) Mathematics.
(4) History.
(5) Logic.
(6) Drawing and Manual Training.

Group B—

(*c*) Mathematics or Biology,

and

(*d*) (*e*) any two of the following subjects, *viz*:—

(1) Physics.
(2) Chemistry.
(3) Geology.
(4) Drawing and Manual Training.

CHAPTER XXIX.

Bachelor of Arts.

1. The examination for the degree of Bachelor of Arts shall be held once a year in Benares, at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe.

2. No candidate shall be admitted to the examination for the degree of Bachelor of Arts, unless he has passed the Intermediate examination of the University in the Faculty of Arts or of Science or, in special cases, by permission of the Syndicate, the Intermediate examination of some other Indian University established by Act of the Legislature and unless he has thereafter prosecuted a regular course of study for not less than two years in the University or in a consitutent college of the University.

3. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar, in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least 4 weeks before the commencement of the examination.

4. A candidate who fails to pass may be admitted to a subsequent examination for the degree of Bachelor of Arts, on a new application and payment of a further fee, provided he shall have prosecuted a regular course of study for one year in the University or in a constituent college thereof since the date of the last examination.

5. The examination shall be conducted partly by means of papers and partly *viva voce*.

6. The subjects of examination shall be the following:—

I. Compulsory subjects—

(*i*) English.
(*ii*) Sanskrit.
(*iii*) Composition in an Indian Vernacular.

II. Optional subjects—

(*iv*) Any one of the following subjects:—

(*a*) Any other classical language.
(*b*) A modern European language.
(*c*) Philosophy.
(*d*) Mathematics.
(*e*) Political Economy and Political Philosophy.
(*f*) History.

7. A candidate may obtain Honours in any subject if he passes in the four subjects chosen for the B.A. in the first class and if he also passes in a more advanced course in that one of his four subjects which he chooses as his Honours subject. There shall be no Honours course in any Indian Vernacular.

CHAPTER XXX.

Master of Arts.

1. Candidates for the degree of Master of Arts shall be required to pass two examinations, the first called "The Previous examination for the degree of Master of Arts" and the second "The Final examination for the degree of Master of Arts."

2. The Previous examination shall be held once a year at Benares, at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe.

3. The examination shall be open to candidates who have obtained the degree of B. A. or B. Sc. in this University or in special cases, by permission of the Syndicate, some other Indian University established by Act of the Legislature, and have after obtaining that degree, completed a regular course of study for not less than one year in the University or in a constituent college. Any such candidate shall be admitted to the Previous examination on the subject in which he intends to present himself in the Final examination.

4. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at

least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

5. The examination shall be conducted by means of papers and may also be *viva voce*.

6. Failure to pass or appear at the Previous examination shall not disqualify the candidate for presenting himself at any subsequent examination on a new application being forwarded and a further fee paid.

7. The Final examination shall be held once a year at Benares, at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe.

8. The examination shall be open to candidates who have, since passing the Previous examination, prosecuted a regular course of study for not less than one year in the University, or in a constituent college.

9. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

10. The examination shall be conducted by means of papers and may also be *viva voce*.

11. A candidate may be examined in any *one* of the following subjects:—

(1) Sanskrit.
(2) English.
(3) Pâli.
(4) Any other classical language.
(5) Philosophy.
(6) History.
(7) Political Economy and Political Philosophy.
(8) Mathematics.

12. Any Master of Arts may be admitted to the M.A. examination in any branch other than that in which he was previously examined, without being required to prosecute a further course of study in the University, or a constituent college thereof.

13. Failure to pass or appear at the Final examination shall not disqualify the candidate for presenting himself at any subsequent examination on a new application being forwarded and a further fee paid. Such a candidate shall not be required to prosecute a further course of study in the University, or in a constituent college.

CHAPTER XXXI.

Doctor of Letters.

1. Any Master of Arts of the University may offer himself as a candidate for the degree of Doctor of Letters, provided not less than two years shall have elapsed from the time when he passed the examination for the degree of Master of Arts.

2. Every candidate who intends to supplicate for the said degree shall communicate his intention to do so to the Registrar, and also the special subject chosen by him for an original thesis. No application for admission to the said degree will be entertained, unless it is supported by two members of the Faculty of Arts or two Doctors of the University, who shall have testified that the applicant is, in habits and character, a fit and proper person for the degree. The communication shall be laid before the Faculty of Arts, which, if it approves of the application, shall appoint a board of three examiners and they, if so required, shall advise the candidate as to the amount of knowledge and research required of him.

3. When the candidate has prepared his thesis he shall forward it to the Registrar for submission to the aforesaid board, and shall indicate generally in a preface to his thesis, and specially in notes, the sources from which his information is taken, the extent to which he has availed himself of the work of others, and the portions of the thesis which he claims as original; he shall further state whether his research has been conducted independently, under advice, or in co-operation with others, and in what respects his investigations appear to him to tend to the advancement of knowledge.

4. If the thesis mentioned in regulation 3 is approved by the board of examiners, the candidate may further be required to pass an oral or a written examination, or both examinations, at the discretion of the board.

5. The board of examiners shall submit its opinion to the Faculty which, if it deems fit, shall recommend the candidate to the Senate, through the Syndicate, for the degree of Doctor of Letters.

6. Every candidate shall be at liberty to publish his thesis, and the thesis of every successful candidate shall be published by the University with the inscription: "Thesis approved for the Degree of Doctor of Letters in the Benares Hindu University."

CHAPTER XXXII.

Bachelor of Science (B. Sc.).

1. The examination for the degree of Bachelor of Science shall be held once a year at Benares, at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe.

2. No candidate shall be admitted to the examination for the degree of Bachelor of Science, unless he has passed the Intermediate examination of the University in the Faculty of Arts or of Science or, in special cases, by permission of the Syndicate, the Intermediate examination of some other Indian University established by Act of the Legislature, and unless he has thereafter prosecuted a regular course of study for not less than two years in the University, or in a constituent college thereof.

3. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

4. A candidate who fails to pass may be admitted to a subsequent examination for the degree of Bachelor of Science, on a new application and payment of a further fee, provided he shall have prosecuted a regular course of study for one year in the University, or in a constituent college thereof, since the date of the last examination.

5. The examination shall be conducted partly by means of papers and partly *viva voce*, and, in subjects which admit of it, candidates shall also be required to undergo a practical examination.

6. The subjects of examination shall be the following :—

I. Compulsory subjects—

(i) English (modern and practical),

(ii) Mathematics or Chemistry and

II. Optional subjects—

(iii) any two of the following subjects, *viz* :—

(a) Mathematics,

(b) Physics,

(c) Chemistry,

(d) Botany (with Vegetable Physiology),

(e) Zoology (with Animal Physiology),

(f) Mineralogy,

(g) Geology, and

(h) Psychology,

provided that no candidate who takes up either Mathematics or Chemistry, under sub-division (ii) shall offer the same subject again under sub-division (iii), and no candidate will be permitted to take up Physics, unless he also takes up Mathematics.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

Master of Science.

1. Candidates for the degree of Master of Science shall be required to pass two examinations, the first called "the Previous examination for the degree of M. Sc." and the second "the Final examination for the degree of M. Sc."

2. The Previous examination shall be held once a year at Benares at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe.

3. The examination shall be open to candidates who have obtained the degree of B. Sc. in this University or, in special cases, by permission of the Syndicate, in some other Indian University established by Act of the Legislature and have, after obtaining that degree, completed a regular course of study for not less than one year in the University or in a constituent college. Any such candidate shall be admitted to the Previous examination in the subject in which he intends to present himself in the Final examination.

4. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

5. The examination shall be conducted by means of papers and may also be *vivâ voce*, and, in subjects which admit of it, candidates shall also be required to undergo practical examination.

6. Failure to pass or appear at the Previous examination shall not disqualify a candidate for presenting himself at any subsequent examination on a new application being forwarded and a further fee paid.

7. The Final examination shall be held once a year at Benares at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe.

8. The examination shall be open to candidates who have since passing the Previous examination prosecuted a regular course of study for not less than one year in the University or in a constituent college.

9. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

10. The examination shall be conducted by means of papers and may also be *vivâ voce*, and, in subjects which admit of it, candidates shall also be required to undergo practical examination.

11. A candidate may be examined in any *one* of the following subjects :—

(1) Mathematics.

(2) Chemistry.

(3) Physics.

(4) Zoology.

(5) Mineralogy.

(6) Geology.

12. Failure to pass or appear at the Final examination shall not disqualify a candidate for presenting himself at any subsequent examination on a new application being forwarded and a further fee paid. Such a candidate shall not be required to prosecute a further course of study in a University or in a constituent college.

CHAPTER XXXIV.

Doctor of Science (D.Sc.)

1. A Master of Arts, who has taken that degree in Mathematics, or any Master of Science, may offer himself as a candidate for the degree of Doctor of Science, provided not less than two years shall have elapsed from the time when he passed the examination for the degree of Master of Arts or Master of Science.

2. Every candidate who intends to supplicate for the said degree shall communicate his intention to do so to the Registrar, and the communication shall include a statement of the contributions, published or accepted for publication, to science on which the applicant's claim to the degree is based, together with one or more copies of any thesis, whether in type or in manuscript, embodying the result of research, or showing evidence of his own work which the applicant may desire to submit in support of the application.

3. The candidate shall indicate generally in a preface to his thesis, and specially in notes, the sources from which his information is taken, the extent to which he has availed himself of the work of others, and the portions of the thesis which he claims as original; he shall further state whether his research has been conducted independently, under advice, or in co-operation with others, and in what respects his investigations appear to him to tend to the advancement of science.

4. No application shall be entertained, unless two Members of the Faculty of Science, or two Doctors of the University, shall have testified, to the satisfaction of the Syndicate, that, in habits and character, the candidate is a fit and proper person for the degree. The communication shall be laid before the Faculty of Science, which, if it approves of the application, shall appoint a board of three examiners, to whom the thesis of the candidate shall be submitted.

5. If the thesis mentioned in regulation 2 is approved by the board of examiners, the candidate may further be required to pass an examination which may be written, oral, or practical, at the discretion of the board.

6. The board of examiners shall submit its opinion to the Faculty which, if it deems fit, shall recommend the candidate to the Senate, through the Syndicate, for the degree of Doctor of Science.

7. Every candidate shall be at liberty to publish his thesis, and the thesis of every successful candidate shall be published by the University, with the inscription, "Thesis approved for the Degree of Doctor of Science in the Benares Hindu University."

CHAPTER XXXV.

Bachelor of Law.

1. Candidates for the degree of LL.B. shall be required to pass two examinations in Law, the first called "The Previous for the degree of LL. B." and the second "The Final for the degree of LL.B."

2. The Previous examination shall be held once a year in Benares, at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe.

3. The examination shall be open to candidates who have obtained the degree of B.A., or B. Sc. in this University, or, in special cases, by permission of the Syndicate, in some other Indian University, established by Act of the Legislature and have after obtaining one of those degrees prosecuted a regular course of study for one year in the University.

4. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

5. Failure to pass the Previous examination shall not disqualify the candidate for presenting himself at any subsequent examination, on a new application being forwarded and a further fee paid.

6. The examination shall be conducted by means of papers and may also be *viva voce*.

7. Candidates shall be examined in the following subjects :—

(1) Constitutional Law of England and of India.

(2) Jurisprudence, with Elements of Roman Law.

(3) The Law of Contract and Torts.

(4) The Law of Crimes and Criminal Procedure.

(5) The Law relating to Succession of Property—Testamentary and Intestate—other than Hindu and Muhammadan Laws on the subject.

8. The Final examination shall be held once a year in Benares at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe.

9. The examination shall be open to candidates who have since passing the Previous examination prosecuted a regular course of study for one year in the University.

10. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

11. The examination shall be conducted by means of papers and may also be *viva voce*.

12. Every candidate shall present himself for examination in the following subjects :—

(1) The Law of Civil Procedure, Limitation and Evidence.

(2) Hindu Law.

(3) Muhammadan Law.

(4) Equity, with special reference to the Law of Trusts and Specific Relief.

(5) The Law relating to Transfer of Property, and the Law of Easements.

(6) The Law relating to Land Tenures, Rent and Revenue.

(7) The Law relating to Companies and Corporations.

13. Candidates will be expected to study Hindu and Muhammadan Laws, with special reference to original authorities, or translations thereof. An additional paper in each of these subjects will be set, at least one of which each candidate will be required to answer.

14. Failure to pass the Final examination will not disqualify the candidate from presenting himself at any subsequent examination, on a new application being forwarded and a further fee paid.

15. The LL.B. course shall not be studied synchronously with the M.A. or M.Sc. course.

CHAPTER XXXVI.

Master of Law.

1. An examination for the degree of Master of Law may be held in Benares at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe.

2. The examination shall be open to candidates who not less than two years previously have obtained the degree of Bachelor of Law in this University, or, in special cases, by permission of the Syndicate, who have obtained the corresponding degree in some other Indian University established by Act of the Legislature.

3. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least six months before the examination.

4. Failure to pass the examination shall not disqualify the candidate from presenting himself at any subsequent examination, on a new application being forwarded and a further fee paid.

5. The examination for the degree of Master of Law shall be conducted by means of papers and may also be *viva voce*.

6. Candidates for the degree of Master of Law shall be examined in the following subjects :—

(1) Jurisprudence and Principles of Legislation.

(2) Hindu Law.

(3) Principles of Equity, and any three of the following:—

(a) The Law of Contracts and Torts.

(b) The Law relating to Transfer of Property, and the law of Easements.

(c) Roman Law.

(d) Muhammadan Law.

(e) International Law.

(f) The Law of Testamentary and Intestate Succession.

(g) Constitutional Law and Legal History.

7. The Examination in Hindu Law and in Muhammadan Law shall comprise questions having special reference to the original authorities.

CHAPTER XXXVII.

Doctor of Law.

1. A Master of Law of the University may offer himself as a candidate for the degree of Doctor of Law, provided not less than one year shall have elapsed from the time when he passed the examination for the degree of Master of Law.

2. Every candidate shall state in his application the special subject within the purview of the regulations for the degree of Master of Law, upon a knowledge of which he rests his qualification for the Doctorate, and shall, with the application, transmit three copies, printed or type-written, of a thesis which he has composed upon some branch of law, or of the history or philosophy of law.

The candidate shall indicate generally in a preface to his thesis, and specially in notes, the sources from which his information is taken, the extent to which he has availed himself of the work of others, and the portions of the thesis which he claims as original; he shall further state whether his research has been conducted independently, under advice, or in co-operation with others, and in what respects his investigations appear to him to advance the study of law.

3. Every candidate may also forward with his application three printed copies of any original contribution or contributions to the advancement of the science or study of law, whether published conjointly or independently, upon which he relies in support of his candidature

4. No application shall be entertained, unless two members of the Faculty of Law or two Doctors of Law shall have testified, to the satisfaction of the Syndicate, that, since graduating as a Bachelor of Law, the candidate has practised his profession with repute for five years, and that, in habits and character, he is a fit and proper person for the degree of Doctor of Law.

5. If the application be entertained, the Faculty shall appoint a board of three examiners, to whom the thesis mentioned in regulation 2, and the original contribution, if any, mentioned in regulation 3, shall be submitted.

6. If the thesis mentioned in regulation 2 is approved by the board of examiners, the candidate may further be required to pass an examination which may be written or oral or both, at the discretion of the board of examiners.

7. The board of examiners shall submit its opinion to the Faculty who, if it deems fit, shall recommend the candidate to the Senate, through the Syndicate, for the degree of Doctor of Law.

8. Every candidate shall be at liberty to publish his thesis, and the thesis of every successful candidate shall be published by the University, with the inscription: "Thesis approved for the Degree of Doctor of Law in the Benares Hindu University."

CHAPTER XXXVIII.

The Faculty of Oriental Learning.

1. The Faculty of Oriental Learning shall, so far as funds admit, consider and propose such measures as it may, from time to time, deem necessary for—

(a) the promotion of the study of and researches in the languages, learning and sciences of Ancient India, and for the diffusion and preservation of important works therein;

(b) for the enrichment of the vernaculars of India and for the promotion of their study; and

(c) for the promotion of the study of and research in such other languages of the East as the Senate may, from time to time, recommend.

It will, for the present, undertake work to secure objects (a) and (b).

2. There shall be four examinations in the Faculty, *viz.*:—

(a) *Praveshika Pariksha* (examination for admission to the studies in the said Faculty);

(b) *Madhyama Pariksha* (the Intermediate examination in the Faculty of Oriental Learning);

(c) *Shastri Pariksha* (the examination for the degree of Shastri);

(d) an examination for the degree of *Shastracharya*.

3. The examinations shall be conducted by means of papers or *viva voce* or both, and in subjects which admit of it candidates shall be required to undergo practical examination.

4. An examination (*Praveshika Pariksha*) for admission to the studies of the Faculty shall be held in the manner prescribed in regulation 22 of Chapter XI (regulation 20 of Chapter XIV). Admission to this examination shall be governed by the provisions contained in regulations 18 to 21 of Chapter XI (regulations 16 to 19 of Chapter XIV).

5. The subjects for the *Praveshika* examination shall be the following:—

(i) Sanskrit.

(ii) Hindi, or one of the following Indian vernaculars, *viz.*, Bengali, Gujrati, Marathi, Oriya, Tamil, and Telegu.

(*iii*) Mathematics } in vernacular,
(*iv*) History and Geography }

or

(*iii*) Further course in Sanskirt Grammar and Literature } in Sanskrit.
(*iv*) Elementary Logic }

The candidate may also offer any one of the following subjects, *viz* :—

(*a*) English.

(*b*) Drawing and Manual Training.

(*c*) Agriculture and Surveying.

6. The Intermediate examination in the Faculty of Oriental Learning (*Madhyama Pariksha*) shall be held once a year at Benares at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe, and shall be open to all candidates who have prosecuted a regular course of study for not less than two years in the University, or a constituent college thereof, after admission into the University, or the college aforesaid, or who fulfil the conditions laid down in regulation 17 of Chapter XL (regulation 15 of Chapter XIV).

7. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application shall be despatched through the proper channel so as to reach the Registrar not less than four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

8. The subjects for the said Intermediate examination (*Madhyama Pariksha*) shall be the following:—

(*i*) Sanskrit (language and literature).

(*ii*) Hindi, or one of such other Indian vernaculars as the Syndicate may, from time to time, permit. Arrangements for instruction in other important Indian vernaculars will be made whenever required and so far as funds will permit.

(*iii*) Any one of the following subjects, *viz* :—

(*a*) Further course in Sanskrit Grammar and Literature,
(*b*) A School of Indian Philosophy,
(*c*) Hindu Law and Jurisprudence,
(*d*) Hindu Astronomy and Mathematics,
(*e*) The Ayurvedic System of Medicine,

} to be answered in Sanskrit.

or any three subjects out of the following groups :—

Group A—

(*a*) English.
(*b*) History and Geography.
(*c*) Philosophy.
(*d*) Mathematics.

Group B—

(*a*) English.
(*b*) Mathematics.
(*c*) Physics.
(*d*) Chemistry.
(*e*) Botany.

Group C—

(*a*) Hindu Medicine.
(*b*) Botany.
(*c*) Physiology.
(*d*) Chemistry.

9. For students taking up subjects in any one of the last two groups aforesaid, the medium of instruction in all subjects, except Sanskrit and English, will be Hindi; but they will be expected to possess a knowledge of English sufficient to unable them to follow English nomenclature and technical terms.

12. The examination for the degree of *Shastri* shall be held once a year at Benares at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe, and shall be open to candidates who have prosecuted a regular course of study for not less than three years in the University, or a constituent college thereof, after passing the Intermediate examination (*Madhyama Pariksha*), or who may be admitted under the provisions contained in regulation 23 of Chapter XL (regulation 21 of Chapter XIV).

13. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

14. The subjects for the said examination for the degree of *Shastri* shall be the following :—

(*i*) Sanskrit language and literature (including Vedic Sanskrit).

(*ii*) Hindi, or one of such other Indian vernaculars as the Syndicate may from time to time, permit. So far as possible, any other of the principal Indian vernaculars will be permitted to be taken in lieu of Hindi.

(*iii*) Any one of the following subjects, *viz.*:—

(*a*) A further course in Sanskrit Grammar and Literature.
(*b*) A further course in the Vedas and Vedic Sanskrit.
(*c*) A School of Hindu Philosophy.
(*d*) Hindu Law and Jurisprudence.
(*e*) Hindu Astronomy and Mathematics.
(*f*) The Ayurvedic system of Medicine, with Botany, Physiology and Chemistry (the last three in the vernacular).
(*g*) History, Paleography and Epigraphy (with some knowledge of Prakrit and Pali).
(*h*) Prakrit and Pali. with some knowledge of Philology and phonetic laws.
(*i*) English.

15. Every candidate for the degree of *Shastracharya* shall be required to—

(*i*) produce a certificate that he has taken the degree of *Shastri* in the University;

(*ii*) prove to the satisfaction of the Syndicate that for not less than two years after

taking the above degree, he has pursued an advanced course of study, in any one of the subjects (a) to (k) specified in the preceding regulation;

(iii) submit a thesis in Sanskrit on a subject previously accepted by the Faculty of Oriental Learning, showing evidence of original work, for approval by a board of three examiners appointed by the said Faculty; and

(iv) pass an oral or a written examination, or both examinations, as the board of examiners may require, on the subject of his thesis, and cognate subjects.

16. The board of examiners shall submit its opinion to the Faculty who, if it deems fit, shall recommend the candidate to the Senate, through the Syndicate, for the degree of *Shastracharya*.

17. Every candidate shall be at liberty to publish his thesis, and the thesis of every successful candidate shall be published by the University with the inscription: "Thesis approved for the degree of *Shastracharya* in the Benares Hindu University.

CHAPTER XXXIX.

The Faculty of Theology.

(a) General.

1. The Faculty of Theology shall be in charge of the religious instruction of the Hindu students of the University, and it shall also organize studies in religion and the examinations therein.

(b) Examinations

1. Candidates for admission to the studies of the Faculty of Theology (*Dharma*) must be Hindus and must have passed the *Praveshika Pariksha* that is, the admission examination of the Faculty of Oriental Learning of the University, or, have otherwise fulfilled the conditions laid down in regulation 24 of Chapter XL (regulation 22 of Chapter XIV).

2. There shall be 5 examinations in this Faculty:—the *Madhyama Pariksha*, which is an Intermediate examination, and two sets of examinations for degrees, namely, the:—

Smriti Ratna Pariksha,
Smriti Sagar Pariksha,
Dharma Shastri Pariksha,
Dharmacharya Pariksha.

3. The examinations shall be conducted by means of papers and shall also be *viva voce* and practical.

Intermediate Examination.

4. The subjects of examination for the *Madhyama Pariksha* shall be the following:—

(i) Sanskrit:—

(a) Shruti (Selections)—optional and open to those candidates only who according to accepted Hindu usage are qualified to study the Vedas.

(b) Smriti (Selections).

(c) Purana and Itihasa (Selections).

(ii) Grihya Sutra.

(iii) Jyotish, Astrology (Elementary).

(iv) Dasa Karma Paddhati—(Rituals and ceremonials)—optional, and open to those candidates only, who, according to accepted Hindu usage, are qualified to officiate at Hindu religious ceremonies and rituals.

5. The *Madhyama Pariksha* shall be held once a year at Benares at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe, and shall be open to all candidates who have prosecuted a regular course of study for not less than two years in the University, or constituent college thereof, after admission into the University or the college aforesaid.

6. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

The Degree Examinations.

7. The examination for the degree of Smriti Ratna, shall be held once a year at Benares at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe, and shall be open to all candidates who have prosecuted a regular course of study for not less than three years in the University or a constituent college thereof, after having either passed the Intermediate examination, or fulfilled the conditions laid down in regulation 28 of Chapter XL (regulation 21 of Chapter XIV).

8. A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

9. The subjects for the said examination for the degree of Smriti Ratna shall be the following:—

(i) Veda (candidates own Shâkhâ or Recension, with commentary and Angas or subsidiary sciences).

(ii) Smriti (Grihya Sutra, and the principal Smriti Texts).

(iii) Purana and Itihâsa.

(iv) The six systems of Indian Philosophy.

(v) Nyâya (in greater detail).

(vi) Purva-Mimânsa (in greater detail).

(vii) Sâyana's introduction to Rigveda Bhâshya.

(viii) Bhagawadgitâ, with commentaries.

(ix) Mitâksharâ.

10. Every candidate for the degree of Smriti Sagar shall be required to—

(i) Produce a certificate that he has taken a degree of Smriti Ratna in the University.

(ii) Prove to the satisfaction of the Syndicate that for not less than 2 years after taking the degree aforesaid, he has pursued an advanced course of study in the subjects prescribed for the degree of Smriti Ratna.

(iii) Pass an examination, *viva voce* or written, or both, as the Board of Examiners may require in the subjects mentioned above.

The Dharma Shastri and the Dharmâchârya examination.

11. The examination for the degree of Dharma Shâstri shall be held annually at Benares at such time and on such dates as the Syndicate may prescribe, and shall be open to those candidates who desire and are competent according to the accepted usage of the community to officiate at Hindu religious ceremonies and who have prosecuted a regular course of study for not less than three years in the University or a constituent college thereof, after having either passed the Intermediate examination or fulfilled the conditions laid down in regulation 28 of Chapter XL (regulation 21 of Chapter XIV).

A candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application shall be despatched through the proper channel so as to reach the Registrar at least four weeks before the commencement of the examination.

13 The subjects for the said examination shall be—

(a) I. All the subjects prescribed for the degree of Smriti Ratna.

II. Brahman and Shrauta Sutra, of the candidate's own Shâkhâ, along with the Paddhati of the principal Yajnas).

III. Shataphatha Brâhmana.

IV. Shulva Sutra practical knowledge of the making of sacrificial altars (Vedis and Kundas.)

14. Every candidate for the degree of Dharmâcharya shall be required to—

(i) produce a certificate that he has taken the degree of Dharma Shastri in the University;

(ii) prove to the satisfaction of the Syndicate that for not less than two years after taking the above degree, he has pursued an advanced course of study in the subjects prescribed for the degree of Dharma Shastri, and in the following additional subjects:—

1. Vedas, other than the candidate's own Veda (with commentaries).
2. Purvamimânsâ Bhâshya.
3. The Principal System of Indian Philosophy, in greater detail.
4. Further course of Purâna and Itihâsa.
5. All Smriti Texts (in Sutra or metre).
6. Âgamas (Saiva, Shâkta or Vaishnava.)
7. Bhagavadgita.
8. The Principal Upanishads.
9. Badarayana Sutras.

(7–9: with commentaries of the several schools.)

10. Principal Dharmashâstra Digests (Nibandhas.)
11. Shrauta Sutras of different Shâkhâs.
12. Practical Paddhatis, relating to consecration of temples, tanks, etc.

NOTE.

The following chapter repeats regulations for admission to University courses, which are found in the appropriate chapters. These regulations have been collected in this place for the convenience of those who seek admission and in order to shew in a single chapter the regulations which are governed by the proviso to section 18 (5) of the Act of Incorporation.

CHAPTER XL.

Admission of Students.

1. Every candidate for any degree or diploma granted by the University shall, except when exempted under any of these regulations, be required to pass the examination prescribed by these regulations for admission to the University for the Faculty concerned before entering upon the course prescribed for such degree or diploma.

2. Every male candidate for any degree or diploma granted by the University shall have completed sixteen years of age within 30 days of his entering upon the course prescribed for such degree or diploma; *provided* that, in the case of candidates for the courses in the Faculties of Theology and Oriental Learning, the age fifteen may be substituted for sixteen.

A—Admission to the University courses in Faculties other than Theology and Oriental studies.

3. A candidate may gain admission to the University courses in Faculties other than those of Theology and Oriental Learning either (i) by passing the admission examinations in Arts and Science prescribed in Chapter XXVII of these regulations, or (ii) by passing any one of the other examinations as specified below and fulfilling such other conditions as the Syndicate may impose.

(i) *Conditions to be fulfilled by candidates for the admission examinations in Arts and Science.*

4. A candidate for the admission examinations in Arts and Science shall be either a pupil of a recognised school or a private candidate.

5. When a school is situated in British India, the conditions regarding its recognition for the purpose of sending up candidates for the admission examinations of the University shall be as follows:—

(a) The school shall apply to such officer and in such form and shall specify such particulars as shall be prescribed by the local Government of the province or place in which it is situated, and the local Government, if it thinks fit and after such inquiry as it may deem necessary, may recognise the school for the purpose of sending up candidates.

(b) If the application is granted, the school shall be entered on the list of schools so recognised, and a copy of the entry shall be sent to the Registrar of the University.

(c) No school so recognised shall, during the period that it remains so recognised, prepare or send up candidates for the matriculation or admission examination of any other University; *provided* that with the special consent of the Syndicate it may prepare and send up candidates for the *Praveshika Pariksha*.

(d) The local Government may at any time remove any school from the list of recognised schools.

(e) A copy of the order removing a school from the list of recognised schools shall forthwith be sent to the Registrar of the University.

6. When a school is situated in the territory of an Indian Prince or Chief the procedure governing its recognition for the purpose of sending up candidates for the admission examination of the University shall be as follows :—

(a) The Government of India may direct in respect of any State that recognition of a school by the Government of that State shall (subject in any case to revision by the Government of India) be recognition for the purpose of sending up candidates.

(b) If a school situated in a State regarding which the Government of India have made no such direction desires recognition, the Government of India may, if it thinks fit and after such enquiry as it may deem necessary, empower the Government of that State to recognise that school for the purpose of sending up candidates.

(c) In either case the conditions (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) of regulation 5 of Chapter XL shall be fulfilled save that (subject to revision by the Government of India of the granting and retention of recognition) the Government of the State concerned shall be substituted for the local Government.

7. The Syndicate shall have power from time to time to prescribe further conditions for recognition to be complied with by schools which fulfil the conditions required under the two preceding regulations.

8. A candidate shall be deemed to be a pupil of a recognised school when he has studied in it or in more than one recognised school for at least two years immediately previous to his admission to the University, or, if local rules regarding study, examination, etc., demand, for a longer period. Such a candidate shall apply through the headmaster of the school where he is studying to the Registrar, in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched so as to reach the Registrar at least six weeks before the date of the commencement of the admission examination. The fee shall be Rs. 10.

9. A private candidate is one who has not studied in any school or other educational institution for at least one year immediately previous to his admission to a University examination.

10. When a private candidate is a resident of British India he shall be certified by an Inspector of schools appointed by the local Government of the province or place where he resides or by some other officer empowered by the local Government for this purpose to be a fit person to appear at the admission examinations. The Syndicate shall ordinarily require that, in cases where a candidate has at any time previously studied in a school or an institution, a satisfactory certificate from the head of that school or institution shall be forwarded by the certifying officer.

11. When a private candidate is a resident of the territory of an Indian Prince or Chief he must, (a) if the Government of India have made the direction specified in regulation 6 (a) of Chapter XL regarding that State, be certified by the educational authority of that State to be a fit person to appear at the admission examinations; or (b) if no such direction has been made regarding that State be similarly certified by an officer empowered by the Government of India to be so qualified. In either case, if the candidate has at any time previously studied in a school or an institution, the certificate prescribed under the last sentence of regulation 10 of Chapter XL shall ordinarily be required.

12. A private candidate shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application and fee shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least six weeks before the commencement of the admission examination. The fee shall be Rs. 10.

13. Whether a candidate is a pupil of a recognised school or a private candidate, he shall satisfy the Syndicate as to his fitness for admission to the courses of the University by passing the admission examination, which shall be held at Benares at times prescribed from time to time by the Syndicate.

(ii) *Conditions to be fulfilled by candidates who pass some other examination.*

14. The Syndicate may admit to the University courses a candidate who has passed the matriculation examination of any Indian University established by Act of the Legislature or any school-leaving certificate examination held in a British province or in a State, which, on the advice of the Syndicate, shall at any time be recognised by the Government of India as qualifying for admission, or any one of the following examinatins :—

the Senior Oxford Local Examination,

the Senior Cambridge Local Examination,

the Final Examination prescribed for European Schools,

the Diploma Examination of a Chiefs' College.

The Syndicate may also so admit candidates coming from outside India who produce certificates of having passed examinations which in the opinion of the Syndicate are equivalent to the above mentioned examinations, or who have, in the opinion of the Syndicate, if necessary, after examination, attained a degree of knowledge equivalent to that expected at the admission examinations.

15. The Syndicate shall have power from time to time to prescribe further conditions to be complied with by the candidates, and in especial to prescribe further tests for candidates who have passed these examinations; *provided* that if any such further test is held at a centre other than Benares the arrangements (especially those regarding the supervision of the examination) shall be made in conjunction with the local Government or the Government of the State concerned.

16. In special cases, by permission of the Syndicate, a candidate may be admitted to the B. A. and B. Sc. courses of the University if he has passed the Intermediate examination of some other Indian University established by Act of the Legislature.

B.—Admission to University courses in the Faculties of Theology and Oriental Learning.

17. A candidate may gain admission to the University courses in the Faculty of Oriental Learning either (i) by fulfilling the conditions prescribed in regulations 4 to 8 of Chapter XL, save as regards the payment of fee, and by passing the admission examinations in Arts and Science with Sanskrit as one

of the subjects, or (*ii*) by fulfilling the conditions prescribed in regulations 14 and 15 of Chapter XL and passing any of the examinations mentioned in regulation 14 with Sanskrit as one of the subjects, or (*iii*) by passing the *Praveshika Pariksha*, or (*iv*) by passing :—

the *Prathama* Examination of the Sanskrit College, Benares,

Prajna Examination of the Punjab University,

provided that candidates under (*i*) and (*ii*) of this regulation, who have not taken Sanskrit as one of the subjects of their examination, may be admitted on satisfying the Syndicate as the result of an examination that they possess a sufficient knowledge of Sanskrit.

18. In case (*iii*) a candidate either shall be a pupil of a recognised school which under the provision to regulation 5 (*c*) of Chapter XL is permitted to prepare and send up candidates for the *Praveshika Pariksha*, or, if he is not a pupil of such a recognised school, shall produce a certificate as provided for under regulations 19 and 20 of Chapter XL that he is a fit person to be sent up for the *Praveshika Pariksha*.

19. When the candidate is a resident of British India the certificate specified in regulation 18 of Chapter XL shall be signed by an officer empowered for this purpose by the local Government of the province or place where the candidate resides or studies.

20. When the candidate is a resident of the territory of an Indian Prince or Chief the certificate specified in regulation 18 of Chapter XL shall be signed by the educational authority of that State, if the direction provided for in regulation 6 (*a*) of Chapter XL has been made in respect of that State; otherwise, it shall be signed by an officer empowered for this purpose by the Government of India.

21. A candidate for the *Praveshika Pariksha* shall apply to the Registrar in such form as the Syndicate may prescribe. His application shall be despatched through the prescribed channel so as to reach the Registrar at least six weeks before the commencement of the examination.

22. The *Praveshika Pariksha* shall be held at times prescribed from time to time by the Syndicate at Benares and at such other centres as the Syndicate may from time to time direct; *provided* that at centres other than Benares the arrangements (especially those regarding the supervision of the examinations) shall be made in conjunction with the local Government or the Government of the State concerned.

23. The Syndicate may admit to the *Shastri* course students who have passed the *Madhyama* examination of the Benares Sanskrit College.

24. Candidates for admission to the courses of the Faculty of Theology (*Dharma*) must be Hindus and must have fulfilled the conditions prescribed in regulation 17 (*iii*) or (*iv*) or in regulation 23 of Chapter XL.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 27th October 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1273.—The undermentioned to be Temporary Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st October 1916 :—

Raj Kishore Kacker.

No. 1274.—The undermentioned officer has been restored to the effective list by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, subject to His Majesty's approval ; with effect from the 5th December 1915 :—

Captain Gerald Lewis Colhoun Little, M.B. (Temporary Half-Pay List).

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Madras Establishment.

No. 1275.—The undermentioned Indian Military Pupils, having passed their final examination, are admitted into the service as 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeons ; with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

No. 1462 N. Gopalsawmi.	6th March 1916.
No. 1463 P. T. Omapathy.	6th March 1916.
No. 1464 Clewent Ram Singh.	6th March 1916.
No. 1465 M. S. Mariadas.	29th June 1916.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1276.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Henry Horsman. Dated 20th October 1916.

Infantry Branch.

Alexander Julien McManus. Dated 28th August 1916.

Frank Edward Dobson. Dated 13th September 1916

Joseph Frederick Wilkinson. Dated 14th October 1916.

Harry Patrick McDonald.
Luther Barlow.
George Charles King Meares.
Bertram Russell Townley.
} Dated 20th October 1916.

Thomas Albert Kay.
Stanley Hubert Sutton.
Cecil Henry Marsh.
James Pearce Bowen O'Connell Hewett.
Thomas Murray Christie.
Theodore Recton.
Michael Henry Ausbro Morley.
Henry Lee Norris Cobban.
} Dated 21st October 1916.

William Colgan Langer. Dated 25th October 1916.

No. 1277.—Charles Cecil Courtney (Temporary Lieutenant, 1st Garrison Battalion, The Manchester Regiment), to be Second Lieutenant with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 25th October 1916, but to rank as Second Lieutenant from the 22nd December 1914, and as temporary Lieutenant from the 23rd February 1916.

No. 1278.—Second-Lieutenant Edward John Ronald Corin, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is transferred from the Cavalry Branch to the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, with effect from the 27th September 1916.

No. 1279.—Second-Lieutenant Edward Orme Cox, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, No. 8 Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 21st October 1916.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1280.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Second Supplement dated the 21st September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 19th September 1916, pages 9187, 9188, 9191, 9192, 9194 and 9195.

War Office,
21st September 1916.

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

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Draft Conducting Officer.—(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 2nd Cl.)—Capt. C. S. D. Leslie, ret. pay, Ind. Army, relinquishes his appt. 22nd Sept. 1916.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Flying Officers—

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24th Aug. 1916.

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2nd Lt. W. H. Dolphin, Ind. Army Res. of Off.

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INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Sgn.-Gen. Sir C. P. Lukis, K.C.S.I., M.D., F.R.C.S., to be Dir.-Gen. (ranking as Lt.-Gen.) 22nd September 1916.

MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned Majors of the Ind. Army to be temp. Lt.-Cols. whilst empld. with the Nepalese Troops. 8th Aug. 1916 :—

W. D. Villiers-Stuart, 5th Gurkha Rifles.

J. G. Edwards, 3rd Gurkha Rifles.

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REGULAR FORCES.

MACHINE GUN CORPS (MOTORS).

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INFANTRY.

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Manch. R.

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Temp. Maj. E. L. Maxwell (Capt., Ind. Army), from 19th Bn., Durh. L. I., to comd. a Bn., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. 3 July 1916.

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Cam'n. Highrs.

Temp. Maj. C. H. Marsh, D.S.O. (Capt., Ind. Army) to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. a Bn. 13th May 1916.

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Bord. R.

The notification of Bt.-Col. C. H. M. Hitchins (ret. Ind. Army) having vacated comd. of a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916, as published in Gaz. of 9 Sept. 1916, is cancelled.

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Bt. Col. C. H. M. Hitchins, ret., Ind. Army, from Bord. R., to comd. a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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"London Gazette," dated the 22nd September 1916, pages 9214 and 9215.

War Office,

22nd September 1916.

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Second Reserve.

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Maj. J. S. Hodding (ret., Ind. Army) is apptd. to a Bn. 29 Aug. 1916.

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Supplement dated the 22nd September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 22nd September 1916, pages 9267, 9268, 9270 and 9281.

War Office,
22nd September 1916.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointments of the undermentioned officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order, in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

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2nd Lt. (temp. Maj.) Henry Malkin Hance, R. of O., Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry during mining operations. He has done fine work and has set an example of great courage and determination under very hazardous conditions.

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Capt. James Walker Jones, M.B., Ind. Med. Service.

For conspicuous gallantry and presence of mind in closing with a soldier who had lost his reason and was moving along a trench prior to an attack with a bomb in each hand. Realising the situation, Capt. Jones closed with him, and wrenched one bomb from his hand. It immediately started to burn. Capt. Jones threw it some yards away, and it burst on touching the ground. Two officers were injured by the explosion, and several others might have been injured but for this prompt and courageous action.

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His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross on the undermentioned officers and warrant officers in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

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2nd Lt. Cuthbert William Short, R. of O., Ind. Army and R. F. C.

For conspicuous gallantry and skill. On one occasion, when our cavalry were held up by machine gun fire, he, with Capt. Miller as pilot, came close to the ground, and flew several times along the line of hostile machine-guns, drawing their fire, and engaging them with his Lewis gun, thus enabling the cavalry to advance.

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Second Supplement dated the 23rd September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 23rd September 1916, page 9315.

War Office,
23rd September 1916.

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Special Reserve Officers.

Reserve Units.

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Second Reserve.

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W. Rid. R.

Lt.-Col. W. G. Hatherell (ret., Ind. Army), vacates the comd. of a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

S. Staff. R.

Bt. Col. G. N. Mayne, C. B. (ret., Ind. Army), vacates the comd. of a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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Third Supplement dated the 25th September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 22nd September 1916, pages 9321, 9323, 9324, 9325 and 9326.

War Office,
25th September 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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Temp. 2nd Lt. W. F. Skene, Res. Regts. of Cav., to be temp. Lt. whilst serving with 38th King George's Own Central India Horse, Ind. Army. 27th Aug. 1916.

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MACHINE GUN CORPS (INFANTRY).

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Second Reserve.

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W. York. R.

Lt.-Col. R. M. Edwards, C.M.G. (ret., Ind. Army), vacates the comd. of a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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Local Reserve.

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Lt.-Col. H. T. H. Hay (ret., Ind. Army), vacates the comd. of a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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Training Reserve.

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Brev. Col. G. N. Caulfield, D.S.O. (ret., Ind. Army), from Durh. L. I., to comd. a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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Maj. H. L. Fleming (ret., Ind. Army), from N. Staff. R., is apptd. to a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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Brev. Col. M. E. O'Donoghue (ret., Ind. Army), from N. Staff. R., to comd. a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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Brev. Col. J. W. Cowley (ret., Ind. Army), from Leics. R., to comd. a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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The undermentioned Comdg. Offrs. are transfd. to comd. Bns.:—

1st Sept. 1916.

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Bt. Col. G. S. Hogge (ret., Ind. Army), from S. Staff. R.

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Lt.-Col. W. G. H. Stirling (Ind. Army), from High. L. I.

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"London Gazette" dated the 26th September 1916, pages 9348, 9360 and 9355.

War Office,

26th September 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

Bt. Col. The Hon. C. G. Bruce, M.V.O., 6th Gurkha Rif., Ind. Army, to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst empld. as a Col. on the Staff in India. 3rd Sept. 1916.

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The undermentioned Comdg. Offrs. are transfd. to comd. Bns.:—

1st Sept. 1916.

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Lt.-Col. C. G. Carnegy, M.V.O. (Ind. Army), from E. Surr. R.

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Lt.-Col. A. H. Williams (Ind. Army), from R. Suss. R.

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Lt.-Col. W. B. Piers (Ind. Army), from Bedf. R.

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Supplement dated the 26th September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 26th September 1916, pages 9417, 9418 and 9419.

War Office,
26th September 1916.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award the Victoria Cross to the undermentioned officers, non-commissioned officers and men :—

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No. 1605 Naik Shahamad Khan, Punjabis.

For most conspicuous bravery. He was in charge of a machine gun section in an exposed position, in front of and covering a gap in our new line, within 150 yards of the enemy's entrenched position. He beat off three counter attacks and worked his gun single-handed after all his men, except two belt-fillers, had become casualties.

For three hours he held the gap under very heavy fire while it was being made secure. When his gun was knocked out by hostile fire he and his two belt-fillers held their ground with rifles till ordered to withdraw.

With three men sent to assist him he then brought back his gun, ammunition, and one severely wounded man unable to walk. Finally, he himself returned and removed all remaining arms and equipment except two shovels.

But for his great gallantry and determination our line must have been penetrated by the enemy.

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1281.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Captains to be temporary Majors.

8th October 1916.

Leopold Aloysius Matthew Jones, Supply and Transport Corps.

17th October 1916.

Henry George Sealy, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).

Charles Harold Amys Tuck, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

19th October 1916.

William Bryan Bailey, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

20th October 1916.

Harry Eastland Redman, 99th Deccan Infantry.

30th October 1916.

Willoughby Lugard Hogg, 3rd Brahmans.

Lieutenants to be temporary Captains.

5th October 1916.

Leonard Mourant Handley, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.

George Harold Chambers, M. C, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

No. 1282.—Lieutenant C. T. Angier, 23rd Battalion, The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of temporary Staff Captain, Dehra Dun Brigade. Dated 20th September 1916.

No. 1283.—Second Lieutenant E. N. Ryder, 21st (Empress of India's) Lancers, is granted the temprrary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of temporary Staff Captain, Risalpur Cavalry Brigade. Dated the 9th October 1916.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1284.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

John Stuart Thompson.	Dated 23rd June 1916.
Richard Dunn Willis.	11th August 1916.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bombay Establishment.

No. 1285.—Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar, Shaikh Miran Shaikh Rahim, to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 1st class, ranking as Subadar, and

No. 201, 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Lakshman Prasad Jurawan Singh, to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar;

vice 1st class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon ranking as Subadar, Itu Chawan, *Rao Sahib*, superannuated, with effect from the 10th September 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1286.—The following promotions are made:—

20th Deccan Horse.

Ressaidar Ali Sher Khan [21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse)] to be Risaldar, with effect from the 13th July 1916, Ressaidar Hazura Singh (7th Hariana Lancers) to be Risaldar, with effect from the 14th July 1916, Jemadar Gugan Singh to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 13th July 1916, Jemadar Dalip Singh to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 14th July 1916, Dafadar Sayyid Ahmed to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th July 1916, and Dafadar Yusuf Ali Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th July 1916; to complete the establishment.

22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Ram Kunwar Singh to be Ressaidar and Dafadars Khan Bahadur Khan and Sardar Muhammad to be Jemadars, with effect from the 29th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Balwant Singh having served his probationary period is confirmed in his appointment, with effect from the 1st July 1913.

1st Brahmans.

Jemadar Shiubhajan Dube to be Subadar, with effect from the 27th July 1916; to complete the establishment.

22nd Punjabis.

Jemadars Ghulam Husain, Gurditt Singh and Roda Singh to be Subadars, with effect from the 24th November 1915, Jemadar Ali Beg to be Subadar, with effect from the 29th April 1916, Jemadars Satiagar (24th Punjabis) and Nawab Khan (19th Punjabis) to be Subadars, Colour-Havildars Katha Singh, Fateh Khan, Sundar Singh (19th Punjabis) and Havildar Qasim Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 7th June 1916, and Colour-Havildar Saida Khan (19th Punjabis) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

45th Rattray's Sikhs.

Jemadar Karam Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Watan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

47th Sikhs.

Colour-Havildar Gurmukh Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).

Jemadars Galodu [54th Sikhs (Frontier Force)] and Yar Dil to be Subadars and Havildars Sardar, Santu and Chaman to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st August 1915; to complete the establishment.

82nd Punjabis.

Subadar Ram Singh, I. O. M., to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 21st July 1916; to complete the establishment.

83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Jemadar Abdul Hussain to be Subadar, Havildars Y. Issaac, Govinderajulu and Munisami Raju to be Jemadars, with effect from the 22nd September 1916; to complete the establishment.

119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Jemadar Abdul Shakur Khan (122nd Rajputana Infantry) to be Subadar and Havildar Sardara (122nd Rajputana Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st July 1916, and Havildar-Major Kalyan Singh (120th Rajputana Infantry); to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

122nd Rajputana Infantry.

Havildar Hari Lakhsman to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Wasal Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 28th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

Jemadars Gopal Gurung and Dhanlal Gurung, M.C., to be Subadars, with effect from the 12th August 1916, Jemadars Budhiman Gurung and Sahabir Gurung to be Subadars, with effect from the 25th August 1916, Havildars Goria Pun and Parsab.r Rana to be Jemadars, with effect from the 12th August 1916, and Havildars Karnabahadur Rana and Mansadhan Thapa to be Jemadars, with effect from the 25th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

46th Punjabis.

No. 1287.—The promotion of Jemadar Ghulam Muhammad to Subadar, published in Army Department Notification No. 298, dated the 17th March 1916, is antedated, without pay and allowances, to the 1st July 1915.

81st Pioneers.

No. 1288.—In Army Department Notification No. 1129, dated 22nd September 1916, *for* "Havildar Abdul Basit." *read* "Havildar Abdul Basid."

The 101st Grenadiers.

No. 1289.—The date of the promotion of Subadar Martand Rao Mohite to Subadar-Major is the 19th January 1915, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1087, dated the 15th September 1916.

No. 1290.—The date of the promotion of Jemadar Daji Sawant to Subadar is the 19th January 1915, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 658, dated the 9th June 1916.

No. 1291.—The honorary rank of Jemadar is conferred, on retirement, on Dafadar (Orderly room clerk) Narain Rao, 28th Light Cavalry. Dated the 7th August 1916.

PENSIONS.

WARRANT OFFICERS.

No. 1292.—Conductor George Marlow, India Miscellaneous List, Military Farms Department, is transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 31st October 1916.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1293.—Temporary Second Lieutenant John Walter Hughes is permitted to relinquish his temporary commission, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 20th October 1916.

Army Reserves.

No. 1294.—Captain William George Burn, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, on vacating his appointment as Adjutant, East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 19th August 1916.

REWARDS.

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 1295.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned non-commissioned officer for gallantry in the field :—

No. 2068 Lance-Naick Anant Bhogle, 109th Infantry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.

No. 1296.—Major William Ross Smith, V.D. (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission, and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated the 26th August 1916.

A H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 23rd October, 1916.

No. 567-P.-16.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Government of India have sanctioned a preliminary survey being carried out by Mr. G. Richards, Engineer-in-Chief, Mysore and West Coast Railway Survey, of two lines of tramway of a total length of 47 miles on the 2′ 0″ gauge in the Coorg Forests.

The survey will be known as the Coorg Forest Tramways Surveys.

No. 1765-E.-16.—Mr. Nizamuddin, qualified student of the Thomason Civil Engineering College, Roorkee, is appointed to the Provincial service of the Engineering Establishment of State Railways as an Assistant Engineer, with effect from the 17th September 1916, and is posted to the North-Western Railway.

No. 1795-E.-16.—Mr. A. A. Phillips, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, North-Western Railway, in class III, grade 2 of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent in class II of that establishment with effect from the 30th August 1916 and during the absence of Mr. T. S. Scott, District Traffic Superintendent on privilege leave.

The 24th October, 1916.

No. 1683-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1083 E.-16, dated the 21st September 1916, Mr. U. C. Sandys, District Traffic Superintendent, North-Western Railway, in class II, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, will continue to officiate as a Deputy Traffic Manager in class I of that Establishment until further orders.

The 25th October, 1916.

No. 52-P.-16.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the agency of the Eastern Bengal Railway for a chord railway on the 5′ 6″ gauge from Khulna to Dum Dum, a distance of about 80 miles.

2. The Survey will be known as the Khulna-Dum Dum Chord railway reconnaissance survey.

No. 542-P.-16.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Government of India have sanctioned a detailed survey being carried out by the Baroda Durbar for a line of railway on the metre gauge between Kalol, a station on the Rajputana Malwa Railway, to Viramgam, a station on the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway, a distance of about 29 miles.

The survey will be known as the Kalol-Viramgam Railway Survey.

No. 865-T.-16.—The following is published for general information:—

No. 865-T-16, dated the 18th October 1916.

RESOLUTION—By the Railway Board.

Adoption on the Bankura-Damoodar River Railway of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway and of certain modifications therein.

RESOLUTION.—The Managing Agents of the Bankura-Damoodar River Railway have applied for sanction to the adoption on that line of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway in British India which were promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{89\text{-A.}}{5}$ dated the 8th September 1906, and published under their notification No. 183, dated the 8th September 1906, and also of the following modifications in the said General Rules:—

(i) the addendum to rule 86, Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{163\text{-B.}}{2}$ dated the 26th September 1906, and published under their notification No. 205, dated the 5th October 1906;

(ii) the amendment in rule 359, sub-rule (1), Chapter XXI, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 519 R. T., dated the 27th June 1907, and published under their notification No. 158, dated the 27th June 1907;

(iii) the modifications in Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 100 R. T., dated the 16th January 1908, and published under their notification No. 11, dated the 17th January 1908;

(iv) the amendments in rule 12, sub-rule (4), and rule 22 of Chapter II, and in rule 110, and rule 111, sub-rule (*a*), of Chapter V, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908, and published under their notification No. 337, dated the 11th November 1908.

(v) the modification of rule 64, Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 476 R. T., dated the 12th March 1909, and published under their notification No. 91, dated the 18th March 1909;

(vi) the addendum to rule 71, sub-rule (1) (*a*), Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1933 R. T., dated the 26th October 1909, and published under their notification No. 334, dated the 3rd November 1909;

(vii) the modifications of rule 161, Chapter XII, and rules 198, 200, 201, 215, 217 and 218, Chapter XIII, and the addition of rule 201-A to Chapter XIII, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 974 R. T., dated the 6th July 1910, and published under their notification No. 191, dated the 14th July 1910;

(viii) the addition of rule 33 (A) to Chapter II, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1677 R. T., dated the 7th December 1910, and published under their notification No. 338, dated the 15th December 1910;

(ix) the revised Chapter III, Part II, and the amendments in Chapters II and IV, Part II, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1025 R. T., dated the 10th June 1912, and published under their notification No. 71, dated the 13th June 1912;

(x) the addendum to rule 7, Chapter II, Part II, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1560 R. T., dated the 17th August 1912, and published under their notification No. 147, dated the 22nd August 1912;

(xi) the amendments in Schedule I, Chapter III, Part II, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1008 R. T., dated the 5th June 1913, and published under their notification No. 162, dated the 12th June 1913;

(xii) the amendments in Schedule I, Chapter III, Part II, and the cancellation of Appendix B, Part II, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1555 T., dated the 5th October 1914, and published under their notification No. 267, dated the 13th October 1914;

(xiii) the addition of rule 42-A to Chapter IV, Part II, and the alteration in the heading of the Chapter, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1586 T., dated the 13th October 1914, and published under their notification No. 275, dated the 20th October 1914;

(xiv) the amendments in rule 247 (*b*), Chapter XV, Part I, and in Schedule I, Chapter III, Part II, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 886 T., dated the 24th June 1915, and published under their notification No. 206, dated the 8th July 1915;

(xv) the amendment in the note to rule 64, Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1382 T., dated the 20th September 1915, and published under their notification No. 278, dated the 8th October 1915; and

(xvi) the amendment in rule 53 (2), Chapter II, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 323 T.-16, dated 18th May 1916, and published under their notification No. 323 T.-16, dated the 19th May 1916.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated

the 24th March 1905, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the General Rules of 1905 for working open lines of railway, and of the addenda and corrigenda to the said General Rules cited in paragraph 1 above, on the Bankura-Damoodar River Railway.

ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the General Rules, including the addenda and corrigenda cited in paragraph 1 above, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section, and that this resolution be communicated to the Managing Agents of the Bankura-Damoodar River Railway, and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. I, Calcutta, for information.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 27th October, 1916.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 21st October 1916 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...	Delhi City	1	...
		TOTAL	1	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	13	13
		Kaira District	2	2
		Surat Town and Port	11	8
		Surat District	1	1
		Bandra Port	1	1
	Central	Ahmednagar District	762	548
		West Khandesh District	285	160
		East Khandesh District	60	36
		Poona Town	218	417
		Poona District	286	280
		Nasik District	93	69
		Satara District	260	197
		Sholapur Town	46	38
		Sholapur District	265	190
	Southern	Thal Port	2	2
		Ratnagiri Port	2	...
		Ratnagiri District	5	4
		Belgaum District	162	116
		Hubli Town	25	23
		Dharwar District	221	119
		Kanara District	3	...
		Bijapur District	381	280
	Political Charges	Baroda State	12	8
		Mangrol Port	8	7
		Kathiawar Agency	56	48
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	310	199
		Rewa Kantha Agency	40	21
		Satara Agency	19	10
		Savanur State	48	37
		TOTAL	3,597	2,774

In the return for the week ending 14th October 1916, the following corrections should be made :—
Sholapur District *read* 206 cases *for* 106 cases.
Savanur State *read* 48 deaths for 40 deaths.

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	...	Anantapur District	3	1
		Bellary District	40	22
		Chittoor District	5 (a)	2 (b)
		Coimbatore Town	1 (c)	...
		Coimbatore District	247 (a)	173 (d)
		Salem Town	1	1
		Salem District	44 (e)	34 (b)
		North Arcot District	10 (e)	8 (a)
		Nilgiris District	8	...
		Malabar District	1	...
		Mangalore Port	...	1
		TOTAL	360	242
BENGAL PRESIDENCY	...	... ...	...	...
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna District	8	5
		Gaya District	4	2
		Shahabad District	13	9
	Tirhut	Saran District	36	42
		Darbhanga District	2	1
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	20	17
		TOTAL	83	76
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut ...	Muzaffarnagar District	1	1
	Allahabad	Cawnpore City	4	1
		Cawnpore District	6	6
		Allahabad District	3	3
	Benares	Benares District	7	7
		Ghazipur District	...	1
	Gorakhpur	Ballia District	16	16
		Gorakhpur District	70	40
		Basti District	...	2
		Azamgarh District	2	1
	Lucknow	Hardoi District	1	1
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	1	1
		Partabgarh District	3	4
		TOTAL	114	84

(a) Five imported. (b) Two imported. (c) One imported. (d) Three imported. (e) Four imported.

In the return for the week ending 14th October 1916, against Muzaffarnagar District add 6 cases, 5 deaths *for nil.*

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	1	1
		Rawalpindi District	87	68
		TOTAL	88	69
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	13	11
		Tharrawaddy District	8	7
		Prome District	9	9
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	1	1
		Henzada District	1	1
		Myaungmya District	2	2
		Maubin District	1	1
	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	3	3
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	6	2
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	1	1
		TOTAL	44	38
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur Town	464	437
		Nagpur District	94	60
		Kamptee Cantt.	37	23
		Bhandara District	3	4
		Wardha Town	1	1
		Wardha District	250	169
		Chanda District	33	33
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town	3	3
		Seoni Town	1	1
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	111	81
		Chhindwara District	1	1
	Berar	Amraoti Town	4	4
		Amraoti District	41	28
		Yeotmal District	7	2
		Akola District	171	75
		Buldana District	191	97
		TOTAL	1,412	1,013
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	50	41
		Bangalore City	32	25
		Bangalore District	210	157
		Mysore City	38	34
		Mysore District	78	62
		Hassan District	13	11
		Kadur District	14	9
		Shimoga District	72	53
		Chitaldroog District	47	22
		Tumkur District	1	1
		Kolar Gold Fields	30	21
		Kolar District	28	18
		TOTAL	613	454
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	199	191
		Bir District	176	101
		Parbhani District	273	208
		Nander District	48	62
		Gulbarga District	16	8
		Raichur District	14	11
		Usmanabad District	55	48
		Atrafibalda Sarfikhas District	108	89
		Bidar District	39	40
		Medak District	34	19
		Nizamabad District	1	...
		Nalgonda District	3	...
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	58	49
		TOTAL	1,024 (a)	826 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore City	177	101
		Indore Residency Bazars	2	2
		Dhar State	4	3
		Gwalior State	1	1
		TOTAL	184 (b)	107 (b)
RAJPUTANA	...	......	...	...
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	7,520	5,683

(a) From the 9th to the 15th October 1916.
(b) For the week ending 14th October 1916.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 26th October 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports for the period.

1. A storm formed in the neighbourhood of the Andamans on the 19th and travelling westnorthwestwards passed into the Peninsula near Waltair: it decreased in intensity as it crossed the coast and at the end of the week was only a shallow depression over Berar. It gave widespread and locally heavy rain in the Peninsula, and after it had passed inland rainfall increased considerably in northeast India. Gujarat had two days' rain in connection with the previous week's disturbance in the Arabian Sea, but in the rest of northern India and in Burma (excluding Tenasserim) no rainfall of importance occurred.

At the close of the week another storm was forming in the Andaman Sea.

2. *Burma.*—Local falls of rain occurred in Lower Burma.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Rainfall was nearly general in Bengal on the 24th, in Orissa on the 22nd, 23rd and 24th, and in Chota Nagpur on the 21st and 23rd.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was nearly general rain in the west of the Central Provinces on the 21st.

Northwest India.—Nearly general rain fell in Gujarat on the 21st.

The Peninsula.—Rainfall was nearly general in the Konkan on the 22nd, 23rd and 25th, in Malabar on the 19th, 23rd and 24th, in the Bombay Deccan on the 22nd, 24th and 25th, in Hyderabad on the 21st, in Mysore on the 19th, in the Madras Deccan from the 19th to the 24th, and on the north Madras coast on the 19th, 20th, 22nd and 23rd.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

October 19th. Surat 1·10″, Chitaldrug 2·65″, Bangalore 1·05″, Madras 1·06″, Cuddapah 1·17″, Nellore 3·00″, and Cocanada 2·18″.

" 20th. Saugor Island 1·66″, Hanamkonda 1·13″, and Madras 1·42″.

" 21st. Port Blair 3·72″, Diamond Island 1·40″, Nagpur 1·46″, Pachmarhi 1·51″, Rajkot 1·76″, Surat 1·35″, Malegaon 2·10″, Parbhani 1·65″, Negapatam 1·30″, Madras 1·68″, and Nellore 1·21″.

" 22nd. Saugor Island 2·92″, Balasore 2·03″, False Point 3·13″, Cuttack 2·58″, Akola 1·23″, Rajkot 1·70″, Marmagao 1·49″, Poona 2·55″, Sholapur 1·69″, Parbhani 1·06″, Gulbarga 1·85″, Trivandrum 1·20″, Nellore 1·61″, Masulipatam 1·40″, Waltair 2·17″, Calingapatam 5·09″ and Gopalpur 6·96″.

" 23rd. Victoria Point 1·60″, Saugor Island 5·67″, Balasore 6·22″, False Point 2·20″, Cuttack 1·23″, Poona 2·18″, Raichur 1·43″, Mangalore 1·01″, Kurnool 2·89″, Masulipatam 2·90″, Cocanada 1·05″, Waltair 1·52″ and Gopalpur 4·51″.

" 24th. Victoria Point 1·90″, Mergui 1·56″, Barisal 1·12″, Saugor Island 1·25″, Burdwan 1·04″, Balasore 1·80″, Chaibasa 1·21″, Amraoti 2·80″ and Pachmarhi 1·91″.

October 25th. Table Island 1·81", Mergui 1·27", Dinajpur 1·30", Saugor 1·54", Ratnagiri 2·86", Ahmadnagar 0·94", Poona 3·15", Bijapur 2·17" and Kodaikanal 1·57".

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in defect in Burma, the United Provinces, Kashmir, Rajputana East, Central India East and Madras Southeast. It was 20 per cent or more in excess in the Bay Islands, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, Gujarat, Central India West, Berar, the Central Provinces West, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. It was within 20 per cent of the normal in Assam, the Central Provinces East and Malabar. No rain falls usually at this time of the year in the Punjab, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind and Rajputana West.

The rainfall from the 28th April to date is as much as 20 per cent in defect in Kashmir alone. It is 20 per cent or more in excess in Bihar, the United Provinces, the Punjab East and North, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Central India West, Berar, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North, and differs by less than 20 per cent from the normal in all the remaining divisions.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 26th October 1916.			Rainfall data from 28th April to 26th October 1916.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal. This week.	Percentage departure from normal. Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	5·9	2·1	+3·8	97·4	95·2	+2·2	+2	−2
Lower Burma	0·9	1·7	−0·8	137·7	137·8	−0·1	0	+1
Upper Burma	0	0·9	−0·9	38·7	39·8	−1·1	−3	−1
Assam	0·7	0·6	+0·1	71·3	77·2	−5·9	−8	−8
Bengal	2·0	0·7	+1·3	81·0	68·7	+12·3	+18	+16
Orissa	5·2	0·7	+4·5	59·9	56·8	+3·1	+5	−2
Chota Nagpur	1·3	0·4	+0·9	44·6	48·9	−4·3	−9	−11
Bihar	0·5	0·3	+0·2	62·6	49·5	+13·1	+26	+26
United Provinces, East	0	0·3	−0·3	49·0	39·1	+9·9	+25	+26
United Provinces, West	0	0·1	−0·1	51·0	39·0	+12·0	+31	+31
Punjab, East and North	0	0	0	30·3	21·3	+9·0	+42	+42
Punjab, South-West	0	0	0	9·4	8·1	+1·3	+16	+16
Kashmir	0	0·1	−0·1	6·9	8·7	−1·8	−21	−20
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0	0	11·0	5·8	+5·2	+9	+90
Baluchistan	0	0	0	4·2	2·3	+1·9	+83	+83
Sind	0	0	0	12·9	4·8	+8·1	+169	+169
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	23·1	11·3	+11·8	+105	+104
Rajputana, East	0	0·1	−0·1	31·6	22·9	+8·7	+38	+39
Gujarat	1·2	0·2	+0·1	26·5	23·4	+3·1	+13	+9
Central India, West	0·4	0·2	+0·2	40·4	29·5	+10·9	+37	+37
Central India, East	0	0·2	−0·2	48·2	40·8	+7·4	+18	+19
Berar	3·2	0·5	+2·7	44·6	30·5	+14·1	+46	+38
Central Provinces, West	0·9	0·4	+0·5	50·8	44·5	+6·3	+14	+13
Central Provinces, East	0·4	0·4	0	48·5	47·5	+1·0	+2	+2
Konkan	2·0	1·0	+1·0	119·9	95·9	+24·0	+25	+24
Bombay Deccan	3·3	0·7	+2·6	32·9	26·4	+6·5	+25	+15
Hyderabad, North	1·0	0·4	+0·6	39·5	32·3	+7·2	+22	+21
Hyderabad, South	2·7	0·6	+2·1	37·6	29·1	+8·5	+29	+26
Mysore	2·2	0·9	+1·3	34·1	25·2	+8·9	+35	+31
Malabar	2·2	2·4	−0·2	94·6	92·2	+2·4	+3	+3
Madras, South-East	1·1	2·5	−1·4	23·5	20·2	+3·3	+16	+37
Madras Deccan	3·3	0·7	+2·6	30·2	22·0	+8·2	+37	+26
Madras Coast, North	6·6	1·7	+4·9	36·1	28·9	+7·2	+25	+8

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

SIMLA;
Dated the 26th October 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 21st October 1916.

Burma.—Light to moderate rain was general in Lower Burma except on the Tenasserim coast where rain fell only in Mergui. In the dry zone the fall was generally light. Transplantation of winter rice has been completed. Harvesting of maize and groundnut and plucking of cotton continue. Ploughing and sowing of miscellaneous crops have commenced in upland tracts. The condition of standing crops is generally good. Livestock are healthy. The price of unhusked rice remains stationary at Rs. 120 per hundred baskets and is slightly below normal. The market for white rice is weak.

Assam.—The weather is seasonable and favourable to standing crops. The floods reported last week are subsiding but gratuitous relief in affected areas continues. Hoeing, plucking and manufacture of tea, harvesting of autumn rice, steeping of jute and sowing of *matikalai* are still in progress. Ploughing of land for mustard, *matikalai* and tobacco has commenced. Prospects of cotton and of winter rice are fair and of tea are fair to good. Fodder is reported to be insufficient in two districts. Cattle disease is reported in five districts. The price of common rice has risen slightly in three districts and has fallen in five.

Bengal.—During the week light rain fell in many places all over the Province. Preparation of lands for spring crops continues briskly. Sowing of oilseeds has commenced. Steeping and washing of jute and weeding of winter rice are nearing completion. The condition and prospects of standing crops are good excepting in the flood-affected areas of Murshidabad, Burdwan, Birbhum, Tippera and Noakhali. Cattle disease is reported from four districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by 0·2 per cent as compared with that of the previous week.

The weekly report on famine in Bankura is as follows :—The state of affairs in affected areas has improved. Prospects of standing crops are good. The condition of the people on relief works is good. Relief measures are adequate. Prices are stationary. The price of rice is 9 seers per rupee. The number of persons on relief works was 3,449 and on gratuitous relief to weavers 1,204, total 4,653. Most of the relief works were closed on the 15th instant.

Bihar and Orissa.—During the week light to moderate rain was general over the Province. Harvesting of autumn crops has been nearly completed. Preparation of lands for spring crops continues. Sowing has commenced in some districts. Standing crops are, on the whole, doing well. The average price of common rice has fallen as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder is generally sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from fourteen districts. The attendance of persons on test works in Singhbhum was 2,407. Gratuitous relief was given to 492 persons in this district. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—With the exception of light and scattered showers the week was rainless. Harvesting of autumn crops, picking of cotton and preparation of land for and sowing of winter crops continue. Standing crops are doing well and prospects are good. The condition of agricultural stock is good but slight cattle disease is still reported from thirty-three districts. Fodder and water are sufficient. The market supplies are ample. Prices are fluctuating slightly.

Punjab.—The weather is dry. Standing autumn crops are generally in good condition. Picking of cotton and harvesting of rice, millets and maize are in progress with outturn normal to good. Sowings of wheat, barley, gram and oilseeds continue and are normal. Germination is good. The condition of cattle is good and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Prices are practically stationary but have a slight downward tendency. They range generally between normal and warning rates. Those of autumn food grains have in some cases fallen below normal rates. Price of wheat.—Lahore 10, Ambala, Ferozepore and Rawalpindi 10¼ and Lyallpur 10$\frac{9}{16}$ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—During the week rain fell only in Peshawar. The weather is clear and moderate The condition of the standing irrigated and unirrigated crops is average all over the Province. Sowings for spring crops and harvesting of autumn crops are proceeding. The outturn of the latter is reported to be average. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is not running. The public health is generally good. Prices are high but stationary in Bannu. In Peshawar the prices of wheat, barley and maize are rising and in Dera Ismail Khan those of wheat are rising and of *bajra* falling.

Jammu.—No rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 13 and maize from 12 to 19 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. There is no cattle disease. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was insignificant. Water and fodder are sufficient. Operations for spring crops are in progress. Crops are being harvested. Prices are average.

Rajputana.—The weather is generally clear. Standing crops are in good condition except in places in Kotah and Ajmer, where some damage is reported from insects and excessive rain respectively. Harvesting of autumn crops and preparation of land for spring crops are in progress. Prospects are satisfactory. The condition of agricultural stock is generally good. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are generally falling.

Central India.—The rainfall was general in Indore, Bhopal, Malwa and the Southern States, partial in Gwalior, Baghelkhand and Bundelkhand and sufficient everywhere. Autumn crops are being weeded and harvested. Lands for spring crops are being prepared everywhere and sowings have commenced in some parganas of Gwalior. Standing crops and their probable outturn are good except in portions of Gwalior and Bhopal, where crops have been damaged by excessive rain. Agricultural stock is in good condition except for some cattle disease. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are normal in Baghelkhand and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather is warm and occasionally cloudy. Light to moderate showers were received during the week in most districts, nowhere exceeding 3½ inches. Reaping of rice and minor crops, picking of cotton and preparation of land for sowing of spring crops continue. Agricultural operations have been retarded in places and *juar* and cotton damaged somewhat by untimely rain. Otherwise the condition of autumn crops is satisfactory and their prospects are favourable. There is no deficiency of fodder and water. Cattle are in good condition. The price of rice showed a distinct fall and that of wheat still shows a downward tendency.

Feudatory States :—There was good rain in the States. Prospects of autumn crops are generally favourable.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week in the Presidency Proper. Standing crops are thriving except for slight damage by locusts in two talukas of Nawabshah and three talukas of Thar and Parkar, by insects in three talukas of Thar and Parkar and by excessive rain in parts of Kaira, West Khandesh and two talukas of Surat. Harvesting of autumn crops generally continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh and Ahmadnagar. Sowing of spring crops generally continues. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of the Panch Mahals and Kaira. Prices of food grains have fallen slightly in Gujarat and the Deccan, have risen in the Karnatak and are generally steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—The rainfall was light except in a few places. The highest fall was 4 inches 55 cents and the average fall 94 cents. Autumn crops are in fair to good condition and are being harvested. They have been damaged somewhat by locusts in parts of the Raichur district. The early rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being harvested. It is suffering by blight in parts of the Nalgonda district. Lands for spring crops are being sown and the germination is satisfactory. Cattle disease prevails in thirteen talukas. Prices of food grains are stationary. Coarse rice is selling at 9 and white *juar* at 15 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 10 seers per rupee in Warangal and Karimnagar and the lowest 25 seers per rupee in Mahbubnagar.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was heavy in the Mysore district and good elsewhere. Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are generally in good condition. Groundnut, sugarcane and *ragi* are being harvested. Prospects of the season are generally good. Cattle are healthy in the greater part of the State. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 99 cents. Rice is in good condition. Picking of cardamoms and reaping of dry crops in north Coorg continue. Prices of food grains are rising. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was good in Ganjam, Vizagapatam, Bellary, Sandur, Anantapur and the southern parts except Tanjore, very heavy in the Carnatic, Salem, the west coast except South Canara and the Nilgiris and heavy elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water supply is insufficient in parts of Ganjam, Anantapur, Chittoor, North Arcot and the southern parts except Tanjore and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is sufficient. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts in which famine has been declared.

Name of Province or State	Preceding week (revised).			Present week.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
British Provinces.							
(Bengal.)							
Parkura	9,037	1,217	10,254	3,449	1,204	4,653	—5,601

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

(FAMINE.)

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 14th October 1916.

No.	Name of District or State.	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF.							TRACTS UNDER OBSERVATION AND TEST.	
		Area affected in square miles.	Estimated population of area in column 3.	Number of persons employed on relief works.	NUMBER OF PERSONS ON GRATUITOUS AND SPECIAL RELIEF. Dependants of relief workers, relieved on works.	Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc.	Total.	Grand total on relief.	Number of persons on test works.	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
				BENGAL.						
1	Bankura	2,621	1,138,670	9,037	...	1,217	1,217	10,254	...	...
				BIHAR AND ORISSA.						
1	Singhbhum ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,020	912

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NOTICE.

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THE PATENT OFFICE.

PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 4th November 1916.

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

October 23.

2769. L. N. Vaish. *Map stencils.*

2770. The Superheater Corporation Limited. *Improvements in and relating to steam superheaters of the multiple smoke or fire tube type.*

2771. T. Ingaramo. *Improved life saving belt or buoy.*

2772. R. H. Sexton. *Improvements in or relating to freezers.*

2773. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Limited. *Improvements in or relating to the manufacture of printers' leads, rules and the like.*

October 25.

2774. R. R. Greenway. *Goods wagon safety lock.*

October 28.

2775. The Vulcan Foundry, Limited. *Improvements in or relating to tube joints.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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2711. D. B. Karajgar. *A machine for laminating cooked rice.*

2734. W. J. Gee. *Method of separating solids from suspension in liquids and apparatus therefor.*

2736. H. K. Harris. *Improvements in and relating to advertising and like apparatus.*

2742. K. V. Gunde Rao. *Auto-home printer.*

2743. J. W. Cook, T. E. Leigh and J. Jowett. *Improvements in or relating to apparatus for stripping carding engines.*

2744. J. L. Patterson and D. A. Reid. *Improved method of and means for securing and locking the hatch covers of barges and ships.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

Printed copies of the undernoted specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, annas eight each.

2503. T. U. Bhatt. *An improved water-lift.*

2717. W. B. Feeny. *Improvements in the manufacture of mats, chair seats, flooring blocks and the like flat articles.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

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2265. Staber.
2562. Godward.
2614. Gange.
2616. Sastri.
2633. Manly.
2643. Foley.

PATENTS SEALED.

2102. Gimingham.
2103. Arnold & Green.
2106. Hanneborg.
2121. Banerjee.
2613. Flint, Bolton & McLauchlan.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

74 of 1904. Short. (To 12 November 1917.)
230 of 1904. Graaff. (To 23 December 1917.)
220 of 1905. Raju. (To 2 November 1917.)
396 of 1906. Clarke Chapman & Co. and anr. (To 31 October 1917.)
427 of 1906. Aktiebolaget Gas—Accumulator. (To 31 October 1917.)
469 of 1906. Thompson. (To 30 October 1917.)
526 of 1906. Brauning. (To 29 November 1917.)
572 of 1909. Hildburgh. (To 16 April 1918.)
285 of 1910. Gulbaz Khan and anr. (To 28 October 1917.)
491 of 1910. Hall. (To 27 October 1917.)
565 of 1912. Crookes and anr. (To 28 October 1917.)
566 of 1912. Halstead and anr. (To 28 October 1917.)
569 of 1912. Mascart. (To 28 October 1917.)
596 of 1912. Davidson. (To 12 November 1917.)
627 of 1912. Myatt. (To 25 November 1917.)

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1910.

542, (Shelley).

1911.

434, (Gwyness, Ld. and ors.). 439, (Longuemare). 625, (Ceipek). 651, (Higbee). 676, (Browne). 697, (Davey). 698, (Davey). 713, (Robertson Marine Engine Brake Co., Ld.). 717, (Cerebotani). 728, (Ommundsen and ors.). 729, (Gray). 734, (Anderson). 736, (Lister's (London), Ld.). 738, (Brownson). 753, (Rotinoff). 799, (Gare).

1912.

383, (Tacchi). 384, (McKesson and anr.). 392, (Angus). 394, (Mitchell). 395, (Leitner). 397, (Chasseigne). 398, (Brown and anr.). 400, (White).

AMENDMENT ALLOWED UNDER SECTION 17.

No. 2456 of 1916.—In pursuance of leave granted on the 28th October 1916, the above numbered specification has been amended in the manner set forth in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 22nd July 1916.

DESIGNS ENTERED ON THE REGISTER.

October 23rd to 28th, 1916.

Class 13. Nos. 5055 to 5087. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. October 21.

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Indian Mines Act, 1901.

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The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

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G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and Ex-Officio President of the Board of Examiners.

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"Nazm-i-Muntakhab," one of the text-books prescribed for the Degree of Honour examination in Urdu; price R5 per copy.

"Siyahat-Nama-i-Ibrahim Beg" (official edition), one of the text-books prescribed for the High Proficiency examination in Persian; price R5 per copy.

"Raghuvamsam"—Expurgated Text (official edition), prescribed for the High Proficiency examination in Sanskrit; price R2-8.

"Akhlaq-i-Jalali" (official edition), one of the text-books prescribed for the Degree of Honour examination in Persian; price R5-12 per copy.

"Rajniti" (new annotated edition), prescribed as an alternative text-book for the Proficiency examination in Hindi; price R3 per copy.

"Selections for the Lower Standard examination in Persian"; price R2 per copy.

Waqayi'-i Ni'mat Khan-i'Ali, edited by Mr. Otto Rothfeld, I.C.S., one of the text-books prescribed for the Degree of Honour examination in Persian; price R2 per copy.

NOTE.—Two fully qualified instructors, natives of Persia and Arabia, respectively, are maintained by the Government of India, for the convenience of officers wishing to study Persian and Arabic. The services of these instructors may be obtained in Calcutta, on application to the Secretary, Board of Examiners.

The following list of Munshis who are qualified to teach Urdu under India Army Order No. 162 of 1907 is published for the information of all those students of this language who are desirous of obtaining competent teachers:—

AGRA.

1. M. Gulzari Lall . . . . Regimental Munshi, 6th Hampshire Regiment, Agra Cantonment.

ALLAHABAD.

1. M. Jawala Prasad, I . . . . . . 5th Hampshire Regiment, Sadar Bazar, Allahabad.
2. M. Syed Mazhar-ul Husain . . . . 253A, Mohtashim Ganj, Allahabad.
3. M. Shaikh Mohammad Ismail . . . South Malaka, Allahabad.

AMBALA.

1. M. Mohd. Miyan Khan . . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
2. M. Mohd. Akbar Khan . . . . . . The Oriental Lodge, Ambala.
3. M. Sita Ram Mahta . . . . . . Near Kali Bari, Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
4. M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment.
5. M. Anand Sarup . . . . Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment (winter only).

BANNU.

1. M. Mul Chand Khurana . . . . . Mission Clerk, Bannu.

BAREILLY.

1. M. Rashid Ahmad Khan . . . . . Old City, Sailani, Bareilly.
2. M. Chhote Lal . . . . Sadar Bazar, Bareilly.
3. M. Jawala Parshad, II . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Sudder Bazar, Bareilly.

BELGAUM.

1. M. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni . . . Pandit, 1809, Kelkar Bag, Belgaum.

CALCUTTA.

1. M. Mohd. Gholam Kibriya . . . . . 17/1, Noorallah Doctor's Lane, Balligunge Road, Calcutta.
2. M. Badruddin Ahmed, B.A. . . . . . 3, Elliot Lane, Calcutta.
3. M. Hossain Mirza . . . . 1, Syed Ismail Lane, or 4-1, Collin Lane, Calcutta.
4. M. Mohd. Israil Khan . . . . . . 11, Goristan Lane, Calcutta.
5. M. Syed Nawab Ali . . . . . . 11, Colootola Street, Calcutta.
6. M. Mohd. Abdul Hamid . . . . . 36, Indian Mirror Street, Calcutta.
7. M. Daliluddin Ahmed . . . . . . 12, Agha Muhammad Mehdi Street, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
8. M. Abdul Wajid . . . . 106, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
9. M. Syed Mohammad . . . . . . 12, Waliullah Lane, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
10. M. A. M. Ubaidur Rashid, B.A. . . . 1, Korabardar Lane, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
11. M. Mohd. Muslim . . . . 12, Damzen's Lane, Chinapara, Calcutta.
12. M. Nisar Ahmad Khan . . . . . . C/o Munshi A. K. Nashtar, 1, Jhowtolla Lane, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
13. M. Imdad Hussain . . . . 9, Baloo Huckak's Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
14. M. Abdul Habib Khan . . . . . . 89, Jhowtollah Road, P. O. Balligunge, Calcutta.

DALHOUSIE.

1. M. M. C. Saihgal . . . . Officers' Munshi, Balun Bazar, Dalhousie.

DELHI.

1. M. Mithan Lal, B.A. . . . . . . Muhalla Churi Walan, Delhi.
2. M. Akbar Khan Haidari . . . . . British Garrison Moor Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.
3. M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi) . . . . Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.

DINAPORE.

1. M. Syed Hadi Hussain . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Orderly Bazar, Dinapore.
2. M. Farzand Ali Khan (of Patna) . . . Regimental Munshi, attd. 2nd Devon Battery, Dinapore.

FEROZEPORE.

1. M. J. Kishori Lall . . . . Regimental Munshi, 82nd Coy. R. G. A. and 6th Sussex Battery, R. F. A., Sadar Bazar, near Jain Mandar, Ferozepore Cantonment.
2. M. Suraj Narain, B.A. . . . . . . Kahani Bazar, Ferozepore.

FORT WILLIAM—CALCUTTA.

1. M. Abdul Karim . . . . Regimental Munshi, C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Fort William, Calcutta.

GORAKHPORE.

1. M. Ram Charan Lal . . . . . . Sub-Deputy Inspector of Schools, Gorakhpore.

JHANSI.

1. M. K. R. Mehta . . . . R. A. Munshi, Jhansi.

JHELUM.

1. M. Thakur Das Pahwa . . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JUBBULPUR.

1. M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Battalion, The York and Lancaster Regiment, Jubbulpur.

JULLUNDUR.

1. M. Karam Chand . . . . . . C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

KAMPTEE.

1. M. S. Karim Bukhsh . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 5th Battalion, The Buffs, East Kent Regiment, Gora Bazar, Kamptee.

KARACHI.

1. M. Mukhtar Ahmad . . . . . . Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.
2. M. Anandram Thadmal . . . . . 30, Jethmal Buildings, Garrikhata, Karachi.

KASAULI.

1. M. Anand . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

LAHORE CANTONMENT.

1. M. Sham Lal Bhargava . . . . . Dungar Street, Sadar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.
2. M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
3. M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman Sabri . . Chhawni Manawala, Sammian Street, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

LUCKNOW.

1. M. Abdul Alim . . . . Near the Police Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
2. M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil) . . Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
3. M. S. M. Shahabuddin . . . . . . Near Police Out Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
4. M. Farhat Ali Suhail . . . . . . C/o M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil), near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.

MAYMYO (BURMA).

1. M. Saiyed Amir Ali (of Delhi) . . . Regimental Munshi, 4th Border Regiment. Alexandra Barracks, Maymyo, Burma.

MEERUT.

1. Pt. Hriday Narain . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1-1st Wiltshire Battery, R. F. A., R. A. Bazar, Meerut.

MULTAN.

1. M. Mohd. Ishaq . . . . R. F. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Multan Cantonment.
2. M. Sultan Mohamed . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Multan.

MURREE HILLS.

1. M. Abdul Ghani (of Nowshera) . . . C/o Syed Jafar Shah, Regimental Munshi, 1st Yorkshire Regiment, Barian Camp, Murree.
2. M. S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence European School, Ghoragali P. O., Murree Hills.
3. M. Bodh Raj . . . . Officers' Munshi, Murree Hills.

NAINI TAL.

1. M. Faqir Ulla . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

1. M. Muhammad Din . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).
2. M. Ghulam Jilani . . . . R. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
3. M. S. Abdul Ghani . . . . . . Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
4. M. Mohamod Sarwar . . . . . . Now Mohalla Sudder Bazaar, Nowshera.

PATNA.

1. M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

1. M. Ahmed Din . . . . 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
2. M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.
3. M. Safdar Khan . . . . Near Anaj Mandi, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

1. M. Sher Mahomed . . . . C/o Barkat Ali, Regimental Munshi, 2nd Royal Irish Fusiliers, Quetta.
2. M. Sheikh Abdul Aziz . . . . . . Islamabad, Quetta.
3. M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Cadet College, Quetta.
4. M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

1. M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
2. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
3. M. Fazal Ahmed . . . . Persian House, Rawalpindi.
4. M. Abdul Waheed . . . . C/o Coffee Shop, 2nd Rifle Brigade, West Ridge, Rawalpindi.
5. M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.
6. M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh Gyani . . . Officers' Munshi, Ahata Sultan, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

1. M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

1. M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

In addition to the above, the following, who were examined in Urdu previous to the institution of the examination mentioned in the above India Army Order, are also, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, qualified to teach:—

1.	M. Mohd. Arif	12, Harinbari Lane, Calcutta.
2.	Maulvi Syed Abu Zafar	36, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta.
3.	M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	14, Karaya Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
4.	M. Badru-z-Zaman	29, Ice Factory Lane, Entally, Calcutta.
5.	M. Abdul Badi	5, Ramsanker Roy's Lane, Calcutta.
6.	M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 21, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
7.	M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	25, Tiljalah 1st Lane, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
8.	M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nurali Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
9.	M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
10.	M. Mohd. Shuaib	Chowk Masjid, Arrah.

N.B.—It is requested that Munshis who have passed this examination, and whose names do not appear above, should communicate their present addresses to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, so that their names may be published also.

Whenever any munshi changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

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SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	R
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	21-8 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	22-8 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 „

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	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 „

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	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 „

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ½-lb., ¼-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ½-lb., ¼-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ½-lb., ¼-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
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Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tins.

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Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0	10	0
„ „ 3 „	„ 6 „	„	Re.	1	0	0
„ „ 2 „	„ 9 „	„	Re.	1	8	0

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DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 2nd November 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 31st October 1916.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE.										REMARKS.
				COIN AND BULLION.							SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).		TOTAL.	
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	2,52 35,300	23,80,56,350	26,32,91,650	5,66,85,988	1,49,81,790	51,14,269	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 13,19,96,995	42,80,23,988	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
Cawnpore	...	3,01,79,950	3,01,79,950	1,82,09,114	1,82,10,045	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,64,19,159	(b) Nominal value—R14,04,81,571.
Lahore	...	5.79 35,995	5,79,35,995	1.73,28,783	2,10,87,547	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,84,16,330	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R4,69 90,499.
Bombay	1,26,76,335	19,99,29,795	21,26,06,130	8,14,37,647	4,63,40,768	1,15,11,945	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,92,90,360	
Karachi	...	2,14,23,950	2,14,23,950	99,60,607	36,97,215	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,36,57,822	
Madras	22,25,535	9,15.73,020	9,37,98,555	1,79,05,198	1,13,33,042	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,92,37,240	
Rangoon	...	5,39,19,065	5,39,19,065	3,86 39,166	99,16,230	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,85,55,396	
	4,01,37,170	69,30,18,125	73 31,55,295	24,01.66,503	12,55,65 637	1,66,26,214	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	13,19,96,995	73,36,05,295	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			*Nil*	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									4,50,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			73,31,55,295								TOTAL RESERVE R		73,31,55,295	

Gold worth £1,021,282 (Rs. 1,53,19,230) was transferred to the Paper Currency Reserve from the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 31st October 1916.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 31st October 1916 to 27 thousands in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 31st October 1916.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,08,00,000 A. 0 P. 0; Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* Rs. 50,00,000 A. 0 P. 0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 1,56,32,980 A. 13 P. 2; Public Deposits at Branches Rs. 1,17,41,675 A. 10 P. 11	2,73,74,656	8	1
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	19,38,91,906	8	1
Bank Post Bills, etc.	36,73,090	11	8
Sundries	13,10,142	3	2
RUPEES	26,70,49,795	15	0

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	6,53,53,297	12	0
Other authorized Investments	1,11,72,945	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	3,10,62,311	13	6
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	6,05,51,276	7	2
Bills discounted and purchased	2,67,47,020	3	0
Balances with other Banks	42,22,254	6	4
Bullion	......		
Dead Stock	29,23,658	4	6
Stamps	12,247	10	0
Sundries	3,69,822	13	6
	20,24,14,834	6	0
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 2,23,67,671 A. 8 P. 10; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† Rs. 4,22,67,290 A. 0 P. 2	6,46,34,961	9	0
RUPEES	26,70,49,795	15	0

		Rs.	A.	P.
* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value		3,51,510	0	0
† Do. do. do.		8,63,467	8	0
	Rs.	12,14,977	8	0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 2nd November 1916.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

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Percentage 28·56

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INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 24th October 1916.

No. 9.—Major C. F. Marr, M.B., I.M.S., Medical Store-Keeper to Government, Bombay, is granted war leave for 30 days with effect from the 19th October 1916, under the terms of India Army Order No. 236, dated the 17th April 1916.

C. P. LUKIS, M.D., Surgeon-General,
Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

The 23rd October 1916.

No. 13.—No. 1423, 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon V. Swaminathan, I.S.M.D., Madras, attached to the Medical Store Depôt, Rangoon, is granted under the terms of para. 269, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, one month's privilege leave, with effect from the 27th September 1916.

The 27th October 1916.

No. 14.—Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon *Khan Sahib* Shaik Ahmad, I.S.M.D., is granted a further period of 6 months' leave on medical certificate, in continuation of the leave notified in this office Notification No. 7, dated the 6th April 1916.

No. 15.—Second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Bisweswar Chakrabatti, Junior Medical Officer, Haddo, Hospital Port Blair, is granted two months' privilege leave with effect from the 3rd December 1916.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,
for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—

   (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.

   (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 23rd October 1916.

No. 3297-*R*.—On return from privilege leave, L. Majju Ram, a Tahsildar of the 2nd grade, and a provisional Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th grade, is posted as Revenue Assistant to the Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan with effect from the forenoon of the 20th October 1916.

No. 3298-*R*.—On relief by L. Majju Ram, Rai Bahadur Diwan Jamiat Rai, C.I.E., an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd grade and Revenue Assistant to the Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan, is deputed as Settlement Extra Assistant Commissioner in Baluchistan.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated the 19th October 1916.

No. 535-*J*.—With the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council and under the provisions of section 8 (1) of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887 (IX of 1887), and of section 8 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), as in force in Baluchistan Agency Territories, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan is pleased to appoint Rai Sahib Lachman Dass, temporary Additional Extra Assistant Commissioner, Quetta, to be an Additional Judge of the Court of Small Causes in the Cantonment of Quetta, with powers to exercise jurisdiction in suits of which the value does not exceed Rs. 50.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 26th October 1916.

No. 2714-*D*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, as delegated to him by the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 5041-I.C, dated the 23rd December 1906, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India is pleased to prescribe the following regulations to prevent the outbreak and spread of plague within the Cantonments of Mhow and Nimach :—

1. Until further orders, no person who within a period of 30 days has resided elsewhere in a place infected with plague shall reside within the Cantonments of Mhow and Nimach and no resident or owner or manager of house property or land in the said Cantonments shall take in or shelter, or allow such property or land to be occupied by, any such person except with the permission of the Cantonment Magistrate to be previously obtained in writing.

2. It shall be within the discretion of the Cantonment Magistrate whether to grant or withhold such permission. If granted, it shall be subject to the condition that the person concerned shall appear before the Medical Officer in charge of the Cantonment Hospital for examination with in 24 hours of his arrival and thereafter daily for a period of 10 days at such time and place as the Medical Officer may direct.

By order,

A. R. JELF,
First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General in Central India.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 12th October 1916.

No. 3498—1093.—The following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), is published for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner on or after the 20th November 1916.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date aforesaid will be considered by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment in the Ajmer-Merwara Petroleum Rules issued in this office Notification No. 1530—1093, dated the 14th October 1909:—

In Rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II of the said rules for the figure "500" the figure "2000" shall be substituted.

The 24th October 1916.

No. 3573—716-*A*.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 40 (*e*) of the Ajmer Laws Regulation III of 1877, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following rules for the registration of cattle required by section 26 of the said Regulation.

The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 1249—716 of the 12th October 1887 is hereby cancelled.

Rules.

1. The word "cattle" includes also camels, buffaloes, horses, mares, geldings, ponies, colts, fillies, mules and asses.

2. A Register in Form A shall be maintained in each village by the Lambardar of the village, or where there are several Lambardars by such one of them as the District Magistrate may direct, or in the case of Istimrari or Jagir villages by such person as the Istimrardar or the Jagirdar may, with the previous approval of the District Magistrate, appoint, or, in the case of default by the Istimrardar or the Jagirdar to make the appointment within a reasonable time, by such person as the District Magistrate may direct.

Where the Istimrardar or the Jagirdar has failed to make any appointment and where a Lambardar has been appointed by the District Magistrate, the District Magistrate may recover from the Istimrardar or the Jagirdar as remuneration for the Lambardar so appointed, such amount not exceeding Rs. 5 per month as he may consider adequate.

3. Every person bringing new cattle into a village shall, within 24 hours of so doing, produce such cattle, for registration, before the person appointed under Rule 2 to maintain the register therein prescribed.

4. Any person who is appointed under Rule 2 and who fails to maintain the register in the form prescribed shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a fine not exceeding Rs. 20 for each offence.

5. Any person who brings new cattle into a village and who fails to comply with the provisions of Rule 3 shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 for each offence.

FORM A.

1. Serial No.
2. Number and description of cattle.
3. Price paid on purchase, or nature of transaction if received otherwise.
4. Name of village from which brought.
5. Name, parentage and residence of person from whom received.
6. Name, parentage and residence of person who brought the cattle.
7. Date on which brought.
8. Date on which registered.
9. Signature of the registering official.

NOTES.

(1) *Column 2.* Description should embrace the following particulars :—

(1) Sex.

(2) Approximate age.

(3) Colour.

(4) Brief description of horns.

(5) Noticeable marks of identification, if any.

(2) *Column 3.* If the animal has not been purchased, the consideration for which it has been received should be explained, *e.g.*, whether received in mortgage, gift, exchange, etc.

(3) No fees should be charged for registration.

Rajputana Agency Camp, the 27th October 1916.

No. 1072-*C.*—1147.—Munshi Shanker Lal, Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner, Ajmer, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 2nd November 1916, or the subsequent date on which he may be allowed to avail himself of the leave.

The following officiating appointments are made during Munshi Shanker Lal's absence on leave or until further order :—

Munshi Bhagwati Lal, Officiating Treasury Officer, Ajmer, to officiate as Extra Assistant Commissioner, Ajmer.

Munshi Durga Prasad, Sub-Judge, Beawar (at present on privilege leave), to officiate as Treasury Officer, Ajmer, and

Munshi Madan Gopal to continue to officiate as Subordinate Judge, Beawar.

Rajputana Agency Camp, the 29th October 1916.

No. 1088-*C.*—1044.—The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to approve of Mr. Jayendra Rao Babarao Divatia of Ahmedabad as a candidate for a license to prospect and mine for minerals in the British district of Ajmer-Merwara.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 14th October 1916.

No. 3185-*R.*—The following draft amendment which it is proposed to make in the rules made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), and published with the Honourable the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 2308, dated the 29th April 1909, is published for criticism.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 17th December 1916, with any remarks or suggestions which are received on or before that date :—

"In rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II of the said rules, for the figures '500' in the 2nd line the figures '2000' shall be substituted."

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

Secretary.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 30th October 1916.

No. 7234-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths registered at the under-mentioned municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 21st October 1916, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	Delhi . .	225,471	138	123	261	70	66	136	1	...	...	64	6	51	1	13	...	30	23	53	60·19	31·37
	Notified Area	3,673	1	2	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·47	14·15
	Total .	229,144	139	125	264	70	67	137	1	...	...	65	6	51	1	13	...	30	23	53	59·90	31·08

Delhi, the 31st October 1916.

No. 7279-*Education*.—In accordance with the provisions of section 24 of Act III of 1911, the Punjab Municipal Act, it is hereby notified that the following person is appointed, under section 17 (2) of the said Act, member of the Municipal Committee of Delhi in the Delhi District :—

"Mr. W. Angelo (Manager, Delhi and London Bank), *vice* Mr. C. Bickley-Roe, resigned."

Delhi, the 1st November 1916.

No. 7304-*Home*.—Dr. R. S. Sethna, Health Officer, Delhi Municipality, on being relieved by Lieutenant-Colonel W. W. Clemesha, M.D., I.M.S., Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India, relinquished charge of the current duties of the Health Officer, Delhi Notified Area, with effect from the forenoon of 20th October 1916.

No. 7305-*Home*.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. W. Clemesha, M.D., I.M.S., Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India, assumed charge of the office of the Health Officer, Delhi Notified Area, with effect from the forenoon of 20th October 1916.

By Order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,
Personal Assistant to Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF FORESTS.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 31st October 1916.

No. 818—216-4.—On return from privilege leave Rai Sahib Nand Mal, Extra Deputy Conservator of Forests, in charge of Forest publications, resumed charge of his appointment at the Forest Research Institute and College, Dehra Dun, on the forenoon of 10th October 1916.

G. S. HART,
Inspector General of Forests.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
614—1916	Yusuf Mahasanali Bungali and Bai Habibabai, widow of Mahasanali Hasonali Bungali.	Mahomedan	Mahim near Durga	Dealers in flowers, etc.	30th	October	1916	30th	October	1916
615—1916	Muloo Lingoo Thota	Hindu	Kamatipura 9th Lane	Moulder in the B., B. & C. I. Railway	"	"	"	"	"	"
616—1916	Florence Brewin, wife of H. Brewin.	European	Colaba	Private Boarding House-keeper	"	"	"	"	"	"
617—1916	Michael Francis Baptista	Portuguese	Mazagon Matarpakady	Lately carrying on business in minerals in partnership with Chotalal B. Desai and G. W. B. Clegg in the name of the Indian Mineral Company and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
618—1916	Ismail Ahmed Halai Memon	Mahomedan	Colsa Molla	Lately dealer in Charcoal and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT,
Bombay, this 30th day of October 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.

In Insolvency.

Madras, the 18th October 1916.

Notice is hereby given that orders have been made by this Court adjudging the persons hereunder mentioned Insolvents and vesting the estates and effects of the said Insolvents in the Official Assignee of this Court; and all persons indebted to the said Insolvents, or who have any of their estates and effects, are hereby required forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said Official Assignee.

No. of Petition.	Date of Presentation.	Name, address and description of Insolvent.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Public Examination.
153 of 1916	10th August 1916	N. Deversajulu Naidu, son of G. Ramasami Naidu, residing at No. 29, Anna Pillai Street, Madras.	22nd August 1916.	30th October 1916.
176 of 1916	9th September 1916.	C. Robert Ponniah, residing at No. 1-22, 1st Street, Periamet, Madras.	11th September 1916	10th November 1916.
194 of 1916	3rd October 1916	A. Chella Mudelly, residing at No. 25, Ramanuja Iyer Street, Old Washermanpet, Madras.	3rd October 1916.	1st December 1916.
205 of 1916	12th October 1916.	S. Venugopaul Pillai, residing at No. 9, Thaiyappa Mudelly Street, George Town, Madras.	12th October 1916.	17th November 1916.

J. R. ATKINSON,
Deputy Registrar.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 181 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 6th October 1916.

In the matter of Maung Po Choe, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Choe, Clerk, residing at No. 39, 10th Street, Rangoon, on the 5th day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Po Choe.

CASE No. 182 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 6th October 1916.

In the matter of Yeo Chiang Toe, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Yeo Chiang Toe of No. 38, Maung Khine Street, Rangoon, on the 6th day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Yeo Chiang Toe.

J. HORMASJI,
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 170 OF 1916.

Dated the 1st November 1916.

Re Gunpat Ray Chajare residing at No. 162, Harrison Road in the town of Calcutta and lately carried on business in piece-goods under the name, style and firm of Chogmull Gunpat Ray at No. 162, Harrison Road in Calcutta aforesaid and at present employed as Gomastha under Durga Sahie Buldeo Dass of No. 212, Cross Street aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor. S. C. Ghose—Debtor's Solicitor.

On the 23rd day of October 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 171 OF 1916.

Dated the 1st November 1916.

Re Charles Bruno Lewis residing at No. 34, Creek Row in the town of Calcutta, Marine Engineer doing extra work.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 31st day of October 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 172 OF 1916.

Dated the 2nd November 1916.

Re Monmohun Bose residing at Sukeas Street in the town of Calcutta, lately carried on business as piece-goods merchant under the name, style and firm of Nilratan Bishwanath at No. 15 Poggyapoti, Burra Bazar in Calcutta aforesaid.

Ex parte Moonui Lal Khettry and Sham Lal Khettry—The creditors.
Rames Chandra Basu, Attorney for the creditors.

On the 1st day of November 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATION.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, 24th October 1916.

No. 30.—The undermentioned officers are granted leave in India on medical certificate with effect from the dates and for the periods specified against their names :—

Temporary Lieutenant A.H. Cheke, R.I.M.	4 months and 19 days from 31st July 1916.
Temporary Engineer J. W. Marshall, R.I.M.	4 months from 19th September 1916.

F. J. WILSON,
Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine.

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POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 25th October 1916.

No. 2828s-*Ap*.—The following promotions in the grades of Superintendents of post offices are made with effect from the 17th October 1916 :—

Mr. L. P. Kulkarni to be promoted to the 2nd grade;

Mr. Syed Akbar Hussain to be confirmed in the 3rd grade;

Mr. J. J. Newton to be promoted provisionally to the 3rd grade;

Mr. S. P. R. Granger to be confirmed in the 4th grade;

Mr. Shaikh Muhamad Yusuf Quraeshi to be promoted provisionally to the 4th grade.

Mr. Shujath Ali, Probationary Superintendent, Sorting Circles, is appointed sub. *pro tem.* Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, with effect from the 17th October 1916 and until further orders and to continue on field service.

Mr. W. O. Cesar, Assistant Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 1st grade, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, with effect from the 15th October 1916 and until further orders.

Simla, the 26th October 1916.

No. 2854s-*Ap*.—Mr. H. S. Jussawala, clerk, Bombay General Post Office, is appointed sub. *pro tem.* Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 5th April 1916 and until further orders.

Simla, the 30th October 1916.

No. 2891s-*Ap*. –Rao Sahib C. N. Ramakrishna Reddy, Assistant Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 1st grade, is appointed sub. *pro tem.* Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, with effect from the 31st August 1916 and until further orders.

2. This supersedes this office Notification No. 2304s-Ap., dated the 6th October 1916.

No. 2896-s.-*Ap*.—Mr. D. L. Scott, Superintendent of Post Offices, 5th grade, officiating in the 4th grade and Assistant Director of Postal Services with the East African Expeditionary Force, is granted special leave on full pay for three months from the 20th July 1916, under Army Department letter No. H-5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

Simla, the 30th October 1916.

No. 2900s-*Ap*.—The following officiating appointments in the grades of the Deputy Postmasters-General are made for the period noted against each :—

Mr. C. A. Stowell to act in the 1st grade from the 9th September 1916 and until further orders;

Mr. M. J. Stephen to act in the 1st grade from the 9th September 1916 to 20th October 1916 inclusive;

Mr. A. B. Thompson, on field service, to act in the 1st grade from the 16th September 1916 to 15th October 1916 inclusive;

Mr. S. C. W. Rose to act in the 1st grade from the 16th September 1916 to 15th October 1916 inclusive;

Babu Hemanta Kumar Raha to act in the 2nd grade from the 4th September 1916 and until further orders;

Mr. J. B. M. Gorman to act in the 2nd grade from the 9th September 1916 and until further orders;

Mr. F. J. Baker to act in the 2nd grade from the 16th September 1916 to 20th October 1916 inclusive.

Simla, the 31st October 1916.

No. 2906s-*Ap*.—Mr. J. H. Owens, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 4th grade, and Assistant Director of Postal Services with the Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, is granted special leave on full pay for three months from the 24th July 1916, under Army Department letter No. H.-5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 25th October 1916.

No. 2561s-*E-E*.—Mr. E. Thompson, Superintendent, Telegraph Workshops, is granted privilege leave for fourteen days with effect from the 13th October 1916.

Simla, the 30th October 1916.

No. 2641s-*E-E*.—The following officiating promotion in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) in sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from.
Mr. T. P. D'abru . .	Inspecting Telegraphist .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, officiating.	1st September 1916.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 2nd November 1916.

No. 5366-*T*.—The following promotions to the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch are sanctioned with effect from the date shown against each :—

Name.	Nature of promotion.	Date.
Mr. W. G. Wells	Permanent . . .	7th October 1916.
„ C. J. Smith	Provisional . . .	7th October 1916.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 31st October 1916.

No. 13.—Messrs. E. A. Sims, Assistant Traffic Superintendent and V. P. Bhandarkar, Probationary Assistant Traffic Superintendent, passed the Lower Standard Examination in Hindustani, held on the 16th October 1916.

E. A. S. BELL,
Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway.

NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 30th October 1916.

No. 26.—Mr. W. T. Everall, Assistant Bridge Engineer, is granted under Note 2, Article 229 and Article 237 (*c*), Civil Service Regulations, extraordinary leave without pay for 11 days, *viz.*, from the 18th September 1916 to 28th September 1916, in continuation of the leave granted in this office notification No. 24, dated the 27th September 1916.

S. L. CRASTER, Colonel,
Agent, N. W. Railway, Lahore.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 31st October 1916.

No. 2776-*G*.—Mr. G. R. O'Dowd, B.A., Military Accountant, 2nd class, Military Accounts Department, is granted privilege leave from the 23rd October to the 24th November 1916, both days inclusive.

No. 2777-*G*.—Mr. Ardeshir Framji, a temporary Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 4th (Quetta) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that Division, from the 31st August to the 9th October 1916.

No. 2778-*G*.—Mr. Provakhar Chatterjee, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, reverts to his own grade with effect from the 23rd October 1916.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant General.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE.

Delhi, the 27th October 1916.

No. 1586-*E*.—Mr. T. B. Madnani, Temporary Engineer, attached to the Chief Engineer's Office, Delhi, is granted privilege leave for one month under Articles 242 (*a*) and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 1st November 1916, or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

Delhi, the 31st October 1916.

No. 1592-*E*.—Mr. H. W. Milner, Executive Engineer and Personal Assistant to the Chief Engineer, Delhi Province, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-two days under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st November 1916, or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

H. T. KEELING,
Secretary, P. W. D.

SURVEY OF INDIA—SOUTHERN CIRCLE.

NOTIFICATION.

Bangalore, the 26th October 1916.

No. 10.—Southern Circle Notification No. 9, dated the 17th October 1916, granting privilege leave for 21 days to Mr. N. S. Harihara Iyer is hereby cancelled.

T. F. B. RENNY-TAILYOUR, Colonel, R.E.,
Superintendent, Southern Circle.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 23RD TO 31ST OCTOBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	11‡	4	...	15	66	...	66	6	25*	26	2	59	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	8	1	...	9	24	...	24	...	138†	10	1	149	7	7	..	...	...	...

* Exclusive of 60 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
† Exclusive of 159 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
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A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint:
Calcutta, the 3rd November 1916.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

Return showing the Wholesale and Retail Prices of Cereals, Pulses Oilseeds, Sugar (Raw), Salt, etc., in India by Districts for the fortnight ending 30th September 1916

Department of Statistics, India
October 30, 1916

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics

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SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 30th September 1916 as compared with the corresponding period of 1915.

Province	RICE (COMMON)		WHEAT (*Triticum Sativum*)		BARLEY (*Hordeum vulgare*)		JAWAR (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		MAIZE (*Zea Mays*)		GRAM (*Cicer arietinum*)		ARHAR DÂL (*Cajanus Indicus*)		GHI		RAW SUGAR (*Gur*)		SALT	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 30th September of																			
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Burma	100	69	100	107	...	...	100	100	100	117	100	88	100	96	100	100	...	...	100	136
Assam	100	85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	113	100	98	100	118
Bengal	100	88	100	87	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	87	100	89	100	108	100	102	100	119
Bihar and Orissa	100	84	100	79	100	78	100	69	100	97	100	85	100	74	100	113	100	83	100	106
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	91	100	83	100	91	100	69	100	77	100	86	100	78	100	103	100	74	100	112
Delhi	100	92	100	77	100	92	100	79	...	...	100	96	100	89	100	104	100	56	100	111
Punjab	100	78	100	83	100	89	100	79	100	64	100	92	100	77	100	100	100	64	100	167
North-West Frontier Province	100	95	100	88	100	89	100	83	100	70	100	96	100	77	100	100	100	95	100	12[illegible]
Sind and Baluchistan	100	94	100	97	100	97	100	95	100	82	...	...	100	77	100	104	...	...	...	...
Bombay	100	89	100	79	100	83	100	78	...	...	100	90	100	82	100	91	100	72	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	94	100	78	...	...	100	71	...	...	100	92	100	79	100	118	...	...	100	11[illegible]
Madras	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	95	...	...	100	81	100	78	100	103	100	66	100	12[illegible]
India	100	88	100	86	100	88	100	82	100	84	100	89	100	81	100	105	100	78	100	12[illegible]

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 30th September 1916 as compared with the previous fortnight.

Province.	RICE (common).		WHEAT (*Triticum Sativum*)		BARLEY (*Hordeum vulgare*)		JAWAR (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		MAIZE (*Zea Mays*)		GRAM (*Cicer arietinum*)		ARHAR DÂL (*Cajanus Indicus*)		GHI		RAW SUGAR (*Gur*)		SALT	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending																			
	15th Sep. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Sep. 1916	30th Sep. 1916
Burma	100	102	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	102	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	[illegible]
Assam	100	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	96	100	100	100	[illegible]
Bengal	100	100	100	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	100	100	86	100	101	100	93	100	[illegible]
Bihar and Orissa	100	104	100	99	100	100	100	88	100	100	100	98	100	83	100	103	100	93	100	[illegible]
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	98	100	100	100	98	100	98	100	95	100	98	100	97	100	98	100	100	100	[illegible]
Delhi	100	100	100	97	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	96	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	[illegible]
Punjab	100	93	100	98	100	97	100	92	100	97	100	96	100	107	100	98	100	100	100	[illegible]
North-West Frontier Province.	100	100	100	99	100	95	100	98	100	96	100	95	100	100	100	98	100	100	100	[illegible]
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	93	100	99	100	99	100	97	100	100	100	84	100	79	100	98	100	96	...	...
Bombay	100	101	100	94	100	94	100	92	...	...	100	105	100	99	100	108	100	104	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	103	100	96	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	98	100	100	100	101	...	...	100	[illegible]
Madras	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	98	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	102	100	85	100	[illegible]
India	100	99	100	98	100	93	100	96	100	98	100	97	100	96	100	100	100	97	100	[illegible]

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅐ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the fortnight ending 30th September of the years 1914, 1915 and 1916.

	WHEAT (*Triticum sativum*)			RICE (common)			JAWAR (*Andropogon sorghum*)			BAJRA (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			GRAM (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
alcutta . . .	4 5 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	6 3 0	7 4 0	6 4 0	...	...	3 6 0	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 14 0	4 4 0
ombay . .	4 10 6	5 13 1	...	4 11 9	5 3 10	4 14 1	3 0 0	3 10 0	...	3 9 7	4 2 0	...	3 6 2	4 0 4	...
arachi . . .	4 4 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	5 1 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	2 14 0	3 4 9	2 13 0	2 14 0	4 7 6	4 0 0	...	...	...
adras . . .	...	...	...	5 4 10	5 4 9	5 12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 4	5 11 2	5 0 8
angoon . . .	5 1 3	5 2 7	4 9 2	3 8 3	4 15 5	3 6 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 11 11	4 4 9	4 5 3
acca . . .	...	...	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 12 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
atna . . .	3 7 6	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	5 8 0	4 6 0	2 8 0	3 10 0	2 14 0	3 1 3	...	...	3 1 3	3 10 0	3 14 0
anchi . . .	4 2 0	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	6 10 0	5 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 11 0
uttack . .	4 1 4	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 3 4	5 13 0	4 7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 1 2	4 5 8	3 12 11
enares . .	4 0 8	4 10 6	4 3 5	5 4 4	6 4 9	5 8 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3 1	3 9 9	4 8 9
wnpore . .	4 0 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 14 0	5 4 0	2 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	3 1 0	3 7 0	4 0 0
eerut . . .	3 10 3	4 7 0	4 5 0	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 14 9	2 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 3	3 3 3	3 13 0
ra . .	4 5 2	5 2 6	4 5 2	6 15 3	5 4 9	5 4 9	2 10 8	3 8 10	3 12 11	2 11 4	4 0 0	2 12 10	3 6 5	3 5 4	4 0 0
ucknow . . .	4 0 0	4 13 6	4 7 1	4 3 4	5 5 4	4 11 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 8	3 10 2	4 3 4
rozepur . .	3 10 3	4 7 0	3 14 0	4 11 3	5 11 8	5 0 0	2 5 9	3 10 3	...	3 5 3	...	...	2 15 6	3 4 3	3 12 0
hore . . .	3 11 6	4 7 0	3 11 6	4 7 0	6 6 8	5 5 3	3 1 8	3 1 3	2 12 0	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 5 3	3 2 3	3 5 3	3 9 0
ritsar . .	3 7 0	4 8 0	3 11 6	4 11 6	5 11 6	5 5 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 5 3	3 10 0
walpindi . . .	3 12 0	4 7 0	3 11 3	5 11 0	6 6 0	5 10 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	2 3 6	3 5 3	3 14 0	3 0 0	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 5 0
allpur . . .	3 11 0	4 4 0	3 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 7 0
bala . . .	3 13 0	4 12 0	3 14 6	5 8 0	6 0 0	5 11 6	3 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	4 0 0
lhi . . .	3 11 0	4 12 6	4 5 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 7 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 1 0	3 3 0	3 12 0
hawar . .	3 8 3	4 6 2	3 11 6	5 13 11	6 2 5	5 9 0	2 2 8	3 9 10	1 12 11	3 8 1	3 1 3	3 6 9	3 5 4	3 8 0	3 5 1
etta . . .	4 12 0	4 3 3	4 0 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 2 6	3 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ona . . .	4 2 8	5 8 11	...	5 8 0	6 7 4	6 0 1	2 8 0	3 8 1	3 2 6	3 8 8	4 0 5	3 8 8	3 10 5	4 3 4	5 1 8
nednagar .	3 9 10	4 15 6	4 13 3	...	5 7 8	...	2 4 10	2 14 6	2 2 10	...	3 4 10	2 15 5	...	3 15 5	4 10 11
nedabad . .	4 4 0	5 5 4	5 0 0	6 12 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	2 8 0	3 10 2	3 6 0	3 1 0	4 7 0	4 4 0	3 10 0	3 13 0	4 6 0
pur . . .	3 11 7	4 12 9	4 1 11	4 3 8	4 6 9	4 9 9	2 6 8	2 11 2	3 9 4	...	...	...	3 6 8	3 14 0	4 3 5
bulpur . .	3 14 5	4 13 7	4 7 1	5 0 0	5 11 5	4 11 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 4	4 1 7	4 7 1
avari . . .	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
bar . . .	...	...	...	5 2 11	5 6 11	5 4 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBE[illegible]

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Bagi[illegible]
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Burma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	45·71	58·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy		...	38·55	35·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	82·99	49·61	71·91	63·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	35·16	49 61	50·79	51·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	37·21	53·33	88·86	91·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	34·97	50·79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	39·26	52·03	68·08	68·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	32·09	49·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	32·99	52·46	49·23	51·61	...	...	...	...	22·38	22·38	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	35·75	52·03	...	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	37·5	...	52·5	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	27·5	35·62	50	57·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	26·25	30	50	58·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	...	...	52·5	55 67·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	30	37·5	60		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	32·5	35	61·87	72·5	43·12	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	32·5	35	50	55	50	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	26·87	35	52·5	62·5	46·25 to 47·5	58·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	30	30·62	55	58·75	...	47·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	30	22·5	57·5	70	55	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa*—															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpore	...	...	52·5	56·87	39·37	55·99	...	...	30	31·87	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	61·56	66·56	40	50	...	...	25	30	...	...	...	...	...
Bihár, south—															
Patna	...	...	43·75	55	34·69	50	...	...	25	36·25	25	36·25	30·78	...	30·[illegible]
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	42·08	58·12	40·83	50·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
(a) Agra—															
Eastern—															
Benares	30·57	31·93	52·71	62·97	40·42	46·56	47·71	55·78	29·32	33·33	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	21·25	25	52·5	58·75	40	48·75	46·87	55	29·37	34·06	24·37	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi	...	...	50·36	56·72	39·69	48·44	..	...	25·62	...	20·05	31·87	...	...	...
Western—															
Meerut	21·56	28·59	56·87	56·67	36·41	44·37	40·94	48·44	28·12	29·69	26·25	...	...	...	...
Agra	...	...	69·53	52·97	43·23	51·56	50	55·16	29·58	33·85	26·67	35·52	27·08	40	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	25	34·37	40	66·56	37·34	46·25	48·28	53·12	26·56	30	22·5	...	26·56	...	...
(b) Oudh—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	22·24	...	42·08	58·33	40	48·44	49·22	57·13	27·6	31·98	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	24·22	30	57·19	59·37	39·22	48·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

Note.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations. [illegible] They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of [illegible] fortnight

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	61·54	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	65·98	50	68·82	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	37·43	42·95	57·14	60·95	57·66	62·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	55·17	74·42	68·82	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	43·84	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	21·64	18·71	35·96	40·51	65·96	68·82	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	31·22	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	59·26	57·14	92·75	72·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sylhet (Balaga
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	Goálpara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	57·5	Gauháti
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	50	50	70	70	...	...	...	...	100	80	60	65	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	60	75	...	...	...	...	60	100	60	70	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	35	38·75	52·5	63·75	...	...	...	...	58·12	51·25	50	57·5	Calcutta
															Western—
...	...	...	38·75	45	60	60	...	...	...	...	70	55	55	50	Burdwan
...	...	...	40 to 42·5	47·5	52·5 to 65	67·5	...	...	...	...	52·5	47·5	62·5	65	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	80	86·87	...	...	...	...	60	46·25	60	62·5	Pabna
...	...	...	76·25	70	75	67·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa
															Bihar, north—
...	27·5	28·02	35	42·03	*37·5	64·01	28·75	43·9	...	...	56·25	50	42·5 to 46·25	50 to 57·5	Bhágalpur
...	27·5	30	33·28	38·12	53·12	61·56	25	42·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
28·28	26·25	28·28	30·78	36·25	40	59·37	22·5	40	.	...	55	50	46·87	51·56	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	40·75	43·54	55·62	68·07	38·07	43·54	...	..	...	...	61·04	75	Cuttack
															United Provinces
															(a) Agra—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	31·93	36·09	42·4	56·41	...	...	...	...	48·38	46·41	49·53	46·41	Benares
															Central—
...	18·75	27·5	30·62	34·37	48·75	53·75	40	50	26·25	25	56·87	50	46·87	48·75	Cawnpore
...	18·8	26·25	28·12	32·08	...	...	...	...	...	22·19	...	...	...	...	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	25·78	30·78	30·16	32·03	42·19	47·03	...	...	...	...	53·12	61·56	39·06	43·28	Meerut
...	...	...	34·01	33·33	*61·51	69·53	...	...	28·54	24·58	59·22	53·36	47·03	53·23	Agra
															Submontane, we
...	22·5	...	30·78	36·25	42·19	51·25	...	...	...	25	50	43·75	44·37	46·25	Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
															Southern—
.	24·22	28·59	26·67	36·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	47·03	50	53·33	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	22·66	...	26·44	37·5	44·37	58·12	...	...	...	...	...	..	43·75	...	Fyzabad

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TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER—continued

Districts	Sesamum (Til or jinjili)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (Gur)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915
…urma—														
Tenasserim—														
Mergui	...	...	640	640	...	...	22·86	21·26	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25·7	25·7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457·14	457·14	...	...	24·62	16·89	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—														
Rangoon	...	...	581 82	533·33	...	...	30·77	21·84	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	492·31	492·31	...	...	39·26	26·34	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·71	28·57	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—														
Henzada	...	...	533·33	492·31	...	...	35·75	25·81	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·16	27	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—														
Mandalay	...	...	640	640	...	...	39·02	27·47	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	581·82	581·82	...	...	45·39	28·57	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—														
Akyab	...	...	581·82	581·82	...	...	30·77	33·33	...	...	...	...	...	...
…ssam—														
Surma—														
Sylhet (Balaganj)	...	...	525	485	82·5	92·5	30·62	21·87	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—														
Goálpára	...	...	550	480	87·5	...	32·5	28·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	...	...	585	515	77·5	80	35	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
…engal—														
Eastern—														
Chittagong	...	...	530	580	95	85	27·5	21·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	600	570	117·5	125	32·5	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—														
Calcutta	...	...	520	480	70	80	30	22·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—														
Burdwan	...	...	540	480	72·5	60	23·75	20·62	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	550 to 580	500 to 540	80 to 85	90	31·25	26·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—														
Pabna	...	...	520	500	86·87	112·5	36·87	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	560	540	115	70	40	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
…ihar and Orissa—														
Bihar, north—														
Bhágalpur	80	64·21	530	480	...	80	...	25·94	150	100	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	533·12	457·5	50	80	26·56	25	160	266·56	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—														
Patna	50	50	500	300	60	72·5	31·25	28·75	12·5	20	...	...	3·12	...
Orissa—														
Cuttack	65·62	75	533·33	533·33	68·59	50·78	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	5
…nited Provinces—														
(a) Agra—														
Eastern—														
Benares	48·91	52·4	510·26	469·37	58·07	77·24	28·23	25·31	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—														
Cawnpore	...	60	465	440	66·25	90	22·5	17·5	115	100	112·5	65	...	...
Jhánsi	43·23	50·16	441·41	426·56	66·56	88·75	22·19	20·47	...	...	...	106·56	2·5	5
Western—														
Meerut	...	...	473·75	474·06	50	...	20	17·34	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	53·33 to 61·51	66·67	492·29	457·13	76·15	100	20·47	17·34	120	160	150	105	10	5
Submontane, west—														
Shahjahánpur	50	80	450	460	63·75	110	21·87	20	180	200	130 to 150	80 to 90	...	...
(b) Oudh—														
Southern—														
Lucknow	...	...	495	470	...	...	24·22	20	...	...	...	90	2·5	...
Northern—														
Fyzabad	...	...	475	480	53·28	...	25	20·78	...	..	...	...	2·5	...

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw		Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
														Burma—
														Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	20·58	20·77	...	...	...	...	3	2·56	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9	...	...	...	...	2·56	2·25	Moulmein and Amherst
														Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·83	33·99	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·48	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Bassein
														Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
														Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·83	28·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·06	Pakokku
														Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·44	Akyab
														Assam—
														Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·95	1·97	Sylhet (Balaganj)
														Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·37	2·69	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·03	2·19	Gauhati
														Bengal—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·73	1·84	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·77	2·31	Dacca
														Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·59	2·17	Calcutta
														Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·78	2·27	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·16	Midnapur
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·81	2·19	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·94	2·5	Rangpur
														Bihar and Orissa—
														Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	...	...	23·75	25	...	...	...	...	3·58	1·98	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	...	10	10	25	30·78	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·04	Muzaffarpur
														Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	11·25	11·25	18·75	22·5	...	...	...	...	2·03	2	Patna
														Orissa—
5·62	5·62	...	...	...	...	7·5	7·5	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·22	Cuttack
														United Provinces—
														(a) AGRA—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	25	29·63	...	...	...	...	...	2·44	Benares
														Central—
...	...	...	...	9·87	7·97	24·37	22·5	65	65	...	...	2·91	2·41	Cawnpore
6·67	2·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·12	2·55	Jhánsi
														Western—
...	...	...	...	10	7·19	25·78	26·56	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·56	Meerut
12·5	12·5	...	...	7·97	5·68	30·16	30·16	...	...	100	80	3·06	2·69	Agra
														Submontane, west—
...	...	...	...	10	10	33·12	40	50 to 80	60 to 70	50 to 80	50 to 80	3·06	2·56	Shahjahánpur
														(b) OUDH—
														Southern—
	...	...	...	7·84	10	22·5	23·12	...	...	...	...	3	2·47	Lucknow
														Northern—
	...	...	...	11·25	11·25	...	...	...	...	50	50	2·81	2·44	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER—*continued*

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
ajputana—															
Eastern—															
Ajmer	26·67	26·67	...	...	48·44	54·48	...	...	32·76	39·27	25	37·24	28·8	43·28	...
lhi—															
Delhi	...	...	60	65	36·67	47·81	41·87	51·25	30·62	33·12	27·5	35	28·75	40	...
anjab—															
Southern—															
Ferozepur	25·78	...	47·03	57·03	36·41	44·37	40	48·44	26·72	33·28	23·59	36·41	33·28	...	...
Central—															
Lahore	23·44	37·19	44·37	63·91	37·19	44·37	40·94	48·44	29·69	23·59	30·78	30·78	34·69	38·12	...
Submontane—															
Amritsar	25	29·06	47·19	57·19	34·37	45	37·19	47·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Rawalpindi	...	...	56·87	63·75	37·5	44·37	40·94	48·75	26·72	29·69	25	32·5	33·28	38·75	...
Western—															
Lyallpur	..	...	60	65	36·87	42·5	41·25	45·62	25	30	..	...	...	...	...
Multan	31·25	28·75	45·62	48·75	37·19	45	40·94	48·12	28·44	31·87	26·25	32·03	28·44	39·06	...
. W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar		...	58·7	61·51	35·16	43·85	40·26	44·74	22·76	25·62	21·67	36·15	35·05	30·78	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	63·44	...	43·75	46·25	47·19	...	31·04	...	31·25	27·97	31·25	36·56	...
nd and Baluchistan—															
Karáchi	...	...	50·62	53·12	42·5	46·25	...	...	...	...	28·75	32·97	28·75	44·69	...
Shikárpur	...	27·19	60	64·37	38·44	43·75	..	...	30·62	34·84	27·5	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	46·25 to 48·75	40 to 44·06	65 to 75	72·5 to 85	37·5	35·62	32·5	31·56	...	...	...
mbay—															
Konkan—															
Bombay	40·52	31·77	47·34	52·39	46·54	58·18	...	...	31·77	38·07	30	36·25	35·93	41·25	...
Deccan and Karnátak—															
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	32·4	37·55	...	...	...	...	16·04	28·91	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	49·17	48·38	39·32	48·7	...	...	...	...	20·62	25·21	27·34	32·19	...
Poona	...	...	55	61·58	41·67	55·57	...	...	...	44·43	25	31·93	35·42	40·26	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—															
Ahmednagar	...	...	..	54·79	36·15	49·69	...	...	...	...	28·02	29·06	..	31·02	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	..	37·45	44·17	...	...	...	...	...	33·96	28·12	31·15	...
ujarat—															
Surat	...	...	...	...	48·28	..	...	...	...	...	27·45	38·91	...	46·83	...
Ahmedabad	..	...	67·5	65	42·5	53·33	...	...	25	...	25	36·35	30·62	44·87	...
entral Provinces*—															
Western—															
Nagpur	...	...	43·31	44·25	37·25	48	50	61·5	...	...	24·19	27	...	...	...
Central—															
Jubbulpore	...	...	50	57·12	39	48·5	48·5	59·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern—															
Raipur	35	40	40	42	36	47	44	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
erar—															
Akola	...	...	43·5	46·5	34·87	39·75	...	...	...	...	17·19	27	...	...	...
Amráoti	...	...	42·25	49·69	40·44	48·56	...	...	...	...	19·12	28·37	...	...	...
adras—															
South, central—															
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31·9	31·9	...	36·6	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	30
Central—															
Bellary	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23·9	24·4	...	.	...
Cuddapah	40·9	40·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	31·2	29·4	28·8	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—															
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·7
East Coast, south—															
Madras	30·4	31·1	58	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	33·9	29·7	45·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·1
Southern—															
Madura	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·3	35	40·4	35·7	...
ysore (a)—															
Mysore	...	22	...	56	..	54	...	60·47	...	...	...	24	...	...	...
Bangalore	...	24	...	56	...	56	...	67·76	...	...	...	26	...		...

* The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the prices of cleaned rice
(a) Figures have not so far been reported

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dal		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Rajputana—
...	23·59	40·94	35·57	37·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	84·06	84·06	...	...	*Eastern—* Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	...	35	30·62	31·87	42·5	47·5	...	...	29·69	27·5	55	50	45	47·5	Delhi
															Punjab—
...	...	...	29·69	32·66	66·72	80	...	...	35·62	26·72	66·72	66·72	...	...	*Southern—* Ferozpur
...	28·59	44·37	31·41	33·28	48·44	61·56	38·91	48·44	33·28	27·5	55·16	57·19	47·03	50	*Central—* Lahore
	...	...	30	33·28	...	...	...	...	31·87	26·25	42·5	50	50	55	*Submontane—* Amritsar
..	26·72	33·75	33·28	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	51·25	44·37	42·68	46·25	*Northern—* Rawalpindi
..	21·25	...	31·87	31·87	...	..	.	...	35·62	25	...	...	46·87	50	*Western—* Lyallpur
..	25	42·03	20·94	33·28	60	77·5	31·25	34·37	33·12	27·5	55	50	45	52·5	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
..	24·58	35·16	38·33	35	45·36	58·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·4	47·4	Peshâwar
..	31·25	...	35·31	36·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·04	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32·5	28·12	...	...	...	...	Karáchi
..	...	...	30	...	55	...	...	...	32·81	23·12	...	...	..	...	Shikarpur
.	35 to 43·75	47·81	...	...	55 to 60	70 to 80	50	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
..	...	...	33·85	40·21	55·31	60·1	35·73	53·59	26·51	24·48	61·61	56·25	...	...	*Konkan—* Bombay
.	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	24·22	...	.	...	...	...	*Deccan and Karnátak—* Dharwar
..	...	...	34·84	38·91	43·44	63·75	...	...	20·83	18·75	50·78	45·21	...	...	Sholapur
..		...	36·51	42·08	50·73	72·45	...	...	28·07	24·58	...	...	...	...	Poona
.	...	.	...	39·63	...	57·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	*Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—* Ahmednagar
.	...	.	30·74	...	...	...	...	...	24·01	23·59	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Gujarat—* Surat
.	...	...	36·25	36·12	66·25	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
.	...	...	34·19	38·75	48·94	53	...	...	22·5	22·5	...	...	...	...	*Western—* Nagpur
.	...	...	33·31	41	48·5	59·25	44·44	44·44	28·56	23·5	57·12	47·06	...	...	*Central—* Jubbulpore
.	...	...	30	34·12	42	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
															Berar—
..	...	...	32·19	31·25	41·62	50	...	...	20	18·75	58·5	...	...	...	Akola
..	.	...	36·12	36·12	40·44	50·67	...	...	20	20	63·75	57·94	...	...	Amráoti
															Madras—
	...	...	55·8	60·7	...	...	...	...	36	32	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
	...	...	...	...	40·4	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
	...	...	46·3	46·2	35·3	46·2	...	...	23·8	23·8	...	...	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
	...	...	...	...	37·4	47·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
	...	...	42·1	57	...	...	58·3	61·7	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
	...	...	...	...	35	37·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
															Mysore—
	...	.	...	35	...	80	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
	...	...	...	36	...	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER—*concluded*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915
Rajputana—														
Eastern—														
Ajmer	71·53	66·56	533·33	533·33	80	106·82	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	25
Delhi—														
Delhi	63·75	72·5	540	520	53·12	95	19·37	17·5	80	80	170	107·5	10	10
Punjab—														
Southern—														
Ferozpur	.	66·72	512·03	518·28	76·09	100	26·72	20	94·06	123·12	122·97	94·06	...	...
Central—														
Lahore	63·91	66·72	533·28	533·28	66·72	100	25	15·94	114·22	114·22	152·84	114·22	10	10
Submontane—														
Amritsar	57·5	67·5	500	520	55	100	23·12	14·69	...	...	142·5	75	...	...
Northern—														
Rawalpindi		...	520	472·5	66·56	80	26·72	18·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—														
Lyallpur	...	...	492·5	490	50	95	25	15	...	...	...	...	...	10
Multan	55	55	495	415	57·5	76·25	26·56	16·72	110	125	180	106·56	10	8·12
N.-W. Frontier Province—														
Peshâwar	.	...	492·29	492·29	83·12	87·66	19·22	15·86	123·07	136·15	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	.	556·51	...	63·44	...	15·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—														
Karáchi	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	..	...	515	530	55	...	...	...	48·12	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta	.	..	530 to 580	457·5 to 545	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—														
Konkan—														
Bombay	64·27	64·27	542·86	600	90·62	125·16	...	..	...	...	131·98	89·79	8·8	18·88
Deccan and Karnátak—														
Dharwar	..	...	...	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Sholapur	...	...	425·52	550·52	89·84	123·18	...	...	100·26	...	...	...	..	...
Poona		..	466·67	512·29	85·99	126·3	...	...	210·52	203·49	188·33	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—														
Ahmednagar	...	...	475	...	94·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	60·47	73·18	470	...	85	...	...	...	66·67	...	...	...	...	.
Gujarat—														
Surat	60·52	...	...	562·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...		520	590	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—														
Western—														
Nagpur	63·31	66	550	533·31	...	...	25	22·5	100	..	120	80	..	...
Central—														
Jubbulpore	53·31	53·37	450	425	...	...	26·62	22·19	80	80	177·75	84·19	...	...
Eastern—														
Raipur	...	...	475	420	...	...	25	26·25	160	140	80	66	...	...
Berar—														
Akola	57·12	...	500	400		...	22·19	19	95·25	95·25	...	...	...	...
Amráoti	61·5	69·25	560	410	...	...	22·5	17·06	142·19	124·44	...	...	8·19	...
Madras—														
South, central—														
Coimbatore	67·2	64·9	503·1	487·8	57·6	102·4	17·5	19·5	.	...	128	96	...	...
Salem	..	...	488	488	...	...	..	...	171·3	171·3	85·6	85·2	...	...
Central—														
Bellary	62	...	537·2	507·9	67·5	119·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah		.	493·1	427·7	...	...	...	.	...	...	113·7	80·8	...	...
Karnul	..		...		...	...	...	...	82·3	164·5	108·6	82·2	...	...
East Coast, central—														
Nellore	..	...	466·7	433·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—														
Madras	...	70·8	559·6	559·6	82·3	102·0	15·3	12·5	148·1	128·4	118·5	82·2	...	...
Tanjore	..	...	466·7	464·7	...	...	23·4	18·1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	..	...	540·5	540·5	...	...	20·6	17·5	128·4	128·4	...	...	...	...
Southern—														
Madura	66·7	84·2	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	...
Mysore(a)—														
Mysore	...	72	...	497·13	...	111·41	...	...	...	205·68*	...	77·18	...	4·7
Bangalore	...	52	...	548·54	...	111·41	...	...	...	240*	...	94·27	...	8·8

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 108 per 10 maunds

(a) Figures have not so far been reported

figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

…raw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	I
													Rajputar
8·59	...	17·81	...	...	...	...	110	..	80 to 90	80 to 90	2·75	2·56	*Eastern—* Ajmer
...	...	15·62	11·25	8·75	22·5	25	80	...	200	150	2·19	2·19	**Delhi—** Delhi
													Punjab—
...	...	...	7·97	7·34	25	28·59	142·5	112·5	225	175	3·09	2·59	*Southern* Feroze
...	...	...	10·78	8·44	28·59	28·59	150	150	170	170	3·12	2·65	*Central—* Lahore
...	...	...	10·94	9·22	22·5	25	120	120	...	...	3·12	2·65	*Submont* Amrits
...	...	...	12·5	10	...	...	90	90	120	120	3·23	2·44	*Northern* Râwalı
...	...	...	7·97	6·56	23·12	24·37	110	100	140	140	3·37	2·81	*Western—* Lyallpı
...	5	...	10	5·78	27·19	26·56	100	100	...	...	3·19	2·67	Multan
													N.-W. Fr
...	...	...	5·68	6·15	20·21	22·34	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·37	2·92	Peshâw
...	...	...	12·71	...	28·44	...	...	...	..	...	3·37	2·94	Dera I
													Sind and
...	...	...	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	2·72	2·22	Karâch
...	...	...	8·75	6·25	...	...	..	...	...	...	3·06	2·51	Shikârı
...	...	...	10	7·19	30·47	31·25	120 to 220	100 to 200	..	...	2·97	2.47	Quetta
													Bombay
...	..	...	...	...	19·22	30·36	...	..	...	...	2·84	2·28	*Konkan—* Bomba
..	..	...	...	...	..	...	86·25	90	..	...	2·04	2·37	*Deccan a* Dharwı
	..	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	2·91	2·09	Sholap
	...	..	...	...	25·73	30·73	...		...	..	2·8	2·3	Poona
	...	...	...	...	...	37·13	...	.	..	.	2·08	2·06	*Khandes* Ahmad
...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...		2·91	2·44	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	..		...	...	*Gujarat—* Surat
...	...	...	...	.	26·25	22·5	...	...	...	..	3·19	2·5	Ahmed
													Central
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65 to 75	..	130 to 195	.	2·31	2·19	*Western—* Nagpuı
...	...	...	...	...	30	30	60	60	70	70	2·12	1·81	*Central—* Jubbul
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	..	...	2·25	2·25	*Eastern—* Raipur
													Berar—
...	..	...	...	..	...	...	97	88	60	56	2·5	2·19	Akola
...	4·25	...	..	..	...	...	70	50	70	55	2·12	2·19	Amrâo
													Madras—
...	4	4	.	...	90·4*	90·4*	...	...	60	60	2·98	2·29	*South, C* Coimbı
7·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	..	2·53	2·19	Salem
...	10·8	10·3	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	140	140	3·02	2·75	*Central—* Bellar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·88	2·26	Cudda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·31	2·75	Karnu
4·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·04	1·82	*East Coa* Nellore
...	...	...	...	...	30·9	30·9	188†	195†	...	...	2·06	1·78	*East Coa* Madras
...	...	...	...	...	15·2	5·7	170†	90†	...	...	2·75	2·13	Tanjor
...	...	...	...	.	...	41·1	...	...	...	...	3·1	2·52	Trichi
15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	60	60	2·69	2·06	*Southern* Madur
													Mysore—
5·1	...	4·48	...	...	...	40	...	100	...	100	...	2·78	Mysore
8·8	...	...	...	...	...	33·8	...	160	...	120 to 150	...	2·5	Banga

* Superior quality † Sheep or goats

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMB

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		B… (P… ty…
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Ha… mon… of rep…
Burma—											
Tenasserim—											
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 5	8 5	...	...	..
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 2	10 2	...	...	..
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 8	11 8	...	...	..
Pegu (deltaic)—											
Pegu	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	11 3	11 3	...	...	..
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	10 1	10 7	10 13	11 3	...	...	..
Maubin	4 5	4 5	...	...	8 9	9 2	10 7	12 2	...	...	..
Bassein	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	10 6	10 6	...	...	..
Pegu (inland)—											
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 10	10 9	11 7	...	...	..
Henzada	5 9	5 9	...	...	9 11	9 11	10 —	10 —	...	...	..
Prome	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	11 3	11 3	...	...	..
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 1	11 3	11 3	...	...	..
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 —	10 —	...	...	..
Upper Burma—											
Mandalay	7 12	7 5	...	...	8 9	8 9	11 3	11 3	16 5	16 5	..
Bhamo	...	...	...	...	10 7	9 2	13 4	9 12	...	...	..
Pakokku	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	..
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	17 8	17 8	...	...	..
Arakan—											
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 10	10 10	...	...	..
Kyaukpyu	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	..
Akyab	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 8	9 8	...	...	..
Assam—											
Surma—											
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 8	7 4	7 —	...	...	..
Cachar	4 4	4 4	...	...	5 8	5 12	7 7 to 8 —	7 7	...	...	..
Hill Tracts—											
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	..
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	6 13	6 —	...	...	..
Manipur	19 —	17 —	...	...	15 —	15 —	17 —	17 —	...	...	..
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	9 8	9 8	...	...	..
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	...	...	..
Brahmaputra—											
Goálpára	8 —	8 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	..
Kámrúp (Gauhati)	7 8	7 —	...	...	5 8	5 12	3 —	8 —	...	...	..
Darrang	...	...	...	...	5 12	5 8	7 —	7 —	...	...	..
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	..
Sibságar	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	.
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	.
Bengal—											
Eastern—											
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	.
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 12	...	...	.
Backerganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	.
Maimensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 14	6 14	...	...	.
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 5	...	...	.
Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Deltaic—											
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	.
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	.
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	.
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 14	6 —	...	...	.
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 8	...	...	.
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	.
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	.
Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	...	...	.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Go Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of ea

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*)		MAIZE (*Zea Mays*)		ARHAR DÁL (*Cajanus Indicus*)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	...	...	4 15	4 15	12 2	10 2	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	7 —	6 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	7 15	9 2	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 9	9 9	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Honzada
...	...	...	...	9 11	10 8	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	9 8	Promo
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	4 13	4 13	8 5	8 5	Thayetmyo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	16 —	16 —	5 12	5 12	8 9	9 5	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakókku
...	...	...	...	18 5	13 5	42 12	43 12	15 10	15 10	14 —	14 —	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 14	3 4	8 4	11 6	11 6	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	10 8	10 8	Akyab
												Assam—
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	5 8	11 —	11 —	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	11 —	11 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	8 14	8 14	6 4	6 4	9 4	9 4	Khási and Jáintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...		...	...	4 —	4 8	19 —	22 —	4 8	4 —	8 —	9 8	Manipur
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	6 8	6 4	11 —	11 —	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...		6 8	6 4	11 —	10 8	Kámrúp (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	9 —	9 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 —	10 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 —	10 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	Lakhimpur
												Bengal—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 —	13 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 8	10 8	Nóakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 12	11 12	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...		...	...	...	...	6 8	5 4	11 —	11 —	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 8	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 8	11 8	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 8	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 1	7 1	11 —	11 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 2	6 10	14 8	15 —	Nadia (Krishnagar)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	11 4	11 —	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER 1916.

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		H mo re
					Best sort		Common				
	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	
Bengal—*continued*											
Western—											
Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	.
Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	.
Birbhum	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	.
Midnapur	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	.
Murshidabad	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	.
Northern—											
Pabna	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	.
Rajshahi	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	.
Malda	...	..	...	...	...	...	6 8	7 —	...	..	.
Bogra	..	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	...	...	.
Jalpaiguri	...	...		...	...	...	7 4	7 8	...	...	.
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	.
Rangpur	...	...	.	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	.
Hills—											
Darjeeling	..	..	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 4	...	...	.
Bihar and Orissa—											
Bihar, north—											
Purnea	10 —	10 —	...	.	..	...	7 8	8 7	...	...	.
Bhágalpur	10 2	10 —	13 5	12 12	...	...	7 9	8 12	...	..	.
Darbhanga	9 5	9 5	15 6	15 6	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	.
Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	
Sáran	10 —	10 —	13 8	13 8	...	..	7 —	7 —	...	...	.
Champáran	10 8	10 —	17 —	16 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	..	.
Bihar, south—											
Santhal Parganas	7 8	7 8	11 8	11 8	...	...	9 —	8 —	...	...	.
Monghyr	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	.
Gaya	9 6	8 12	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 —	7 8	13 —	13 —	.
Patna	11 —	11 —	15 8	15 —	...	...	8 12	...	15 8	14 —	.
Shahabad	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Chota Nagpur—											
Singbhum	9 —	9 —	...	..	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	..
Mánbhum	9 —	8 12	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 4	...	...	13
Ranchi	9 12	9 8	10 —	10 —	..	...	8 —	7 —	...	...	..
Palámau	10 2	10 2	14 10	14 1	...	...	8 7	8 7	..	...	
Hazáribágh	8 4	8 —	...	10 —	...	...	7 4	7 —	..	...	..
Orissa—											
Puri	9 3	9 3	...	...	...	...	9 3	9 3	..		
Cuttack	9 3	9 3	...	...	.		9 3	9 3	...	...	
Balasore	7 —	7 —	...	...	..	...	8 10	8 12	...	...	..
Sambalpur	10 — to 10 8	10 —	...	...	...	..	9 9 to 9 12	9 8	.	...	..
United Provinces—											
(a) Agra—											
Eastern—											
Mirzapur	9 —	9 —	11 —	11 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	10
Benares	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 —	6 14	5 4	7 3	7 3	...	...	..
Ghazipur	9 4	9 8	10 10	10 10	5 —	5 —	7 7	7 10	13 —	...	11
Jaunpur	10 —	9 10	13 8	13 5	3 12	3 12	7 —	7 —	...	...	..
Allahabad	9 8	9 4	12 4	12 8	4 8	4 8	8 4	8 4	13 8	13 12	13
Central—											
Bánda	10 4	10 6	12 14	12 12	4 —	4 —	7 14	7 14	17 8	18 8	15
Fatehpur	10 —	10 —	14 —	13 12	3 8	3 8	10 —	8 8	...	...	..
Hamirpur	9 2	9 —	10 2	11 8	4 12	5 —	6 12	6 8	14 12	15 12	13
Jalaun	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	..
Cawnpore	9 8	9 8	13 4	13 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	16 —	16 —	13
Jhansi	9 13¼	9 11½	15 6	14 6	4 11	4 8	7 11	7 8	19 11¼	18 7	..
Etáwah	9 12	9 14	13 4	13 2	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	15 12	14 8	13
Farrukhabad*	...	10 1	..	13 15	...	4 4	...	7 13	...	...	..
Mainpuri	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 8	5 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	13
Etah*	...	10 4	...	13 4	...	4 —	...	8 4	...	14 —	..
Western—											
Meerut	10 8	10 4	14 —	13 —	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	15 —	...	..
Agra*	..	9 —	...	13 —	...	5 8	...	...	...	14 12	..
Muttra	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 —	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	16 —	16 —	17
Aligarh	10 —	9 12	12 —	12 8	3 8	3 8	5 —	5 —	16 —	15 —	14
Bulandshahr	9 8	9 8	12 —	12 —	3 —	3 —	5 — to 7 —	5 —	16 —	16 —	11
Submontane, east—											
Ballia	9 7	9 7	12 5	12 5	5 3	5 3	7 13	7 13	...	.	..
Azamgarh	9 4	9 4	13 —	13 —	6 —	5 10	8 8	8 —	...	...	..
Gorakhpur	11 —	11 —	14 4	14 —	7 4	7 4	9 —	9 —	...	...	..
Basti	11 4	11 —	14 —	14 —	5 8	5 12	11 —	9 4	...	...	

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Ragi, or marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...		...	...	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	7 —	16 —	16 —	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	7 —	...	11 —	10 8	Birbhum
...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 6	10 12	11 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	9 12	9 12	Pabna
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 12	9 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	12 —	12 —	Malda
...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...		...	...	6 10	7 3	12 —	12 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	9 8	9 8	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 8	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa
												Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 8	15 —	16 —	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 8	Purnea
...	...	...	...	11 6	10 —	...	...	10 10	...	..	11 4	Bhágalpur
14 5	14 5	...	...	12 1	12 1	14 5	14 5	7 11	7 2	12 1	12 1	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	14 —	14 —	7 —	7 —	14 8	13 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Sáran
16 —	14 —	...	...	13 —	12 4	16 —	13 —	6 12	6 12	12 —	11 8	Champáran
												Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	20 — to 30	20 — to 30 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	13 —	10 14	20 —	15 —	11 —	10 —	12 4	13 5	Monghyr
15 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	12 13	12 12	Gaya
12 6	...	10 —	13 —	12 13	13 —	...	15 —	9 8	...	12 12	12 8	Patna
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	12 —	12 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 8	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 4	12 —	16 —	6 8	6 12	11 —	11 4	Mánbhum
20 —	17 —	...	...	10 8	10 —	13 —	13 —	6 4	6 —	11 —	11 —	Ranchi
...	...	...	.	12 15	12 15	...	...	10 2	10 2	11 13	11 13	Palámau
16 —	15 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	16 —	14 —	7 —	7 —	11 8	12 —	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...		.	8 8	8 8	.	...	5 8	5 8	13 —	13 —	Balasore
...	...		.	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 8 to 7 8	6 8 to 7 8	15 —	13 12	Sambalpur
												United Provinces
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	10 —	11 —	10 —	10 —	13 —	12 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Mirzapur
...	...	10 5	10 13½	12 3	12 3		...	8 1¼	7 13	14 1	14 1	Benares
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 7	13 —	15 11	8 6	8 6	14 7	14 7	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	13 8	...	9 12	10 —	14 6	15 12	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	...	.	9 8	10 —	17 8	18 —	Allahabad
												Central—
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	...	.	8 8	8 8	16 8	16 4	Banda
...	...	10 8	...	13 12	13 12	...	...	10 8	10 8	16 —	15 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	13 2	14 12	...	...	8 4	8 —	14 12	14 4	Hamirpur
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	Jalaun
...	...	12 8	12 8	12 13	12 12	20 8	18 4	9 —	9 —	17 8	17 8	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	13 15½	12 12½	21 —	20 2	6 8	6 9	17 8	17 8	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 4	18 —	18 —	9 4	8 12	15 —	15 —	Etawah
...	...	...	...	...	12 10	...	...	...	9 12	...	18 1	Farrukhabad
18 —	...	...	...	11 4	11 8	16 —	...	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	...	11 4	...	16 —	...	9 —	...	18 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 8	15 —	14 —	9 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Meerut
...	...	...	...	...	11 8	...	...	...	6 8	...	19 —	Agra
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	22 —	16 —	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	Muttra
...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 —	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	15 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	12 5	10 6	13 —	...	7 13	7 13	16 14	15 10	Ballia
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 —	7 8	11 —	11 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	...	...	8 6	8 6	13 4	13 4	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	17 —	...	9 8	9 —	16 —	16 —	Basti

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Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		I (… t…
					Best sort		Common				
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United Provinces—*continued*											
(*a*) Agra—*continued*											
Submontane, west—											
Shahjahánpur	10 8	10 8	15 —	...	3 —	3 —	9 4	...	16	16 —	14
Budaun	9 9	9 10	12 10	12 12	4 —	3 15	7 8	7 8	14 3	14 4	13
Pilibit	10 8	11 8	14 8	15 —	4 8	4 —	8 —	6 12	...	..	.
Bareli*	...	10 5	...	15 —	...	3 12	...	7 15	...	13 8	.
Moradabad	10 —	9 9	12 8	12 12	4 4	4 4	8 10	8 8	13 12	13 12	.
Bijnor	10 4	10 4	14 —	14 8	3 4	3 4	6 8	6 —	..	...	14
Muzaffarnagar*	...	10 8	...	13 10	...	6 9	..	8 4	...	12 5	.
Sahárnapur	9 13	9 13	12 8	12 8	3 3	3 —	6 14	6 14	...	.	9
Dehra-Dun	9 12	9 4	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	11
Hills—											
Naini Tal	7 —	7 —	9 8	9 8	2 12	2 12	6 —	6 —	...	...	8
Almora	6 12	6 12	7 8	8 4	2 12	2 12	6 —	5 12	...	.	..
Garhwál	4 12	4 12	8 —	8 —	3 —	3 —	4 —	4 —	...	...	..
(*b*) Oudh—											
Southern—											
Partábgarh	9 8	9 12	13 —	13 8	5 —	5 —	10 —	7 8	14 —	16	12
Sultanpur	10 8	10 8	15 8	15 8	5 —	5 —	10 8	8 4	...	...	..
Rae-Bareli	10 —	10 4	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	8 8	8 2	16 —	16 —	11
Unao*	.	10 2	...	13 12	..	4 8	..	7 12	...	..	..
Lucknow	9 12	9 12	14 —	14 8	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	..
Hardoi	10 6	10 8	13 —	13 8	3 —	3 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	..
Northern—											
Fyzabad	9 14	9 14	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	15 —	14 8	10
Barabanki	10 15	11 —	14 4	14 12	4 7	4 6	9 8	8 9	10 8	11 11	10
Gonda	11 —	11 —	15 —	15 —	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	10
Bahraich	11 4	11 4	17 8	17 —	5 —	5 —	7 12	7 12	18 —	18 —	16
Sitapur	10 12	10 8	15 8	15 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	11
Kheri	11 —	10 8	16 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	10 8	8 —	20 —	18 —	16
Rajputana—											
Eastern—											
Mewar (Udaipur)	8 10	8 8	10 14	10 11	5 1	5 —	5 12	5 12	15 14	13 4	8
Ajmer	8 —	8 —	11 4	10 12	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	15 —	14 —	13
Kishangarh	9 —	9 8	11 4	11 4	3 —	3 6	6 —	6 —	14 —	13 8	12
Tonk	8 3	8 8	11 13	12 6	4 8	4 8	5 10	5 10	13 13	14 —	..
Jaipur	9 3	9 3	12 —	12 —	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	17 4	14 10	12
Karauli	8 14	8 14½	13 13	12 13	6 10	6 14	7 13	7 13	18 7	15 —	16
Dholpur	9 3½	9 —	13 8	13 9½	4 12	4 12	5 —	5 —	16 14	16 —	15
Bharatpur	9 —	9 2	13 6	12 12	4 5	4 5	4 14	4 14	15 9	14 2	13
Alwar*	..	10 2	...	13 2	...	4 8	...	5 14	...	14 6	..
Nasirabad	9 —	9 —	...	..	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	16 —	14 —	14
Western—											
Bikaner	9 4	9 4	12 8	12 8	4 8	4 12	6 8	6 12	14 —	14 8	12
Jaisalmer	8 —	7 6	...	...	4 4	4 6	5 6	5 8	10 12	9 10	9
Jodhpur	8 4 and 8 11	7 12 and 8 4	12 2	10 12	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	14 15	14 —	11 a 18
Central India—											
Indore	11 —	10 12	12 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 —	24 —	20 —	16
Neemuch	10 12	10 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	19 —	17 —	11
Gwalior	9 8	9 4	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 12	...	...	:
Delhi—											
Delhi	10 4	10 —	12 8	12 8	8 —	8 —	5 —	5 —	14 —	14 —	13
Punjab—											
Southern—											
Hissar	10 12	10 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	17 —	16 —	13
Ferozepur	10 12	10 8	14 —	14 8	...	...	8 —	7 8	16 —	16 —	11
Central—											
Lahore	10 8	10 4	13 4	13 4	...	...	8 12	7 12	12 12	12 12	11
Gujranwala	11 —	10 12	16 8	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	19 —	19 8	11
Gujrat	11 8	11 —	14 8	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	11
Jhelam	11 —	10 8	13 —	14 —	...	..	7 —	7 —	14 —	12 —	11

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												United Provinces—*continued*
												(*a*) Agra—*continued*
												Submontane, west—
...	...	18 —	17 —	...	13 8	...	19 —	9 —	9 8	16 —	16 —	Shahjahánpur
...	...	10 —	10 —	11 9	11 10	16 2	16 2	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Budaun
...	...	...	...	14 —	13 —	...	...	7 8	8 —	16 —	16 4	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	...	12 8	...	16 8	...	9 3	...	16 13	Bareli
...	...	13 —	12 —	11 10	11 12	14 12	14 12	8 8	8 8	17 12	17 12	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	16 —	16 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	...	12 1	...	14 4	...	5 8	...	17 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	8 8	8 8	17 8	17 8	Saháranpur
12 —	12 —	...	...	11 14	11 12	15 —	15 —	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	10 —	10 —	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	Naini Tal
7 12	7 4	...	...	7 8	7 12	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 8	Almora
8 —	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	5 4	5 4	Garhwál
												(*b*) Oudh—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	Partábgarh
...	...	...	...	15 4	15 —	...	...	10 8	10 4	14 —	12 8	Sultanpur
18 —	10 —	12 8	8 —	14 8	14 8	11 —	10 —	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	Rae-Bareli
...	...	...	15 8	...	13 4	...	...	...	8 —	...	16 8	Unao
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	16 —	16 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Lucknow
...	...	20 8	21 —	13 8	13 12	20 —	21 —	9 —	9 —	15 —	15 —	Hardoi
												Northern—
..	...	8 8	8 8	13 6	13 8	17 4	16 —	8 4	8 8	15 8	15 8	Fyzabad
20 —	16 8	16 8	17 —	16 8	16 2	18 —	17 —	9 3	9 3	15 12	15 12	Barabanki
...	..	8 8	8 8	14 8	14 8	14 8	14 8	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	Gonda
...	...	6 —	5 8	15 —	15 —	17 8	18 —	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	Bahraich
...	...	18 8	16 —	14 8	14 8	20 —	20 —	9 —	8 8	16 —	16 —	Sitapur
20 —	20 —	8 8	9 —	14 —	14 —	18 —	17 —	9 —	8 —	17 —	14 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	10 2	9 10	9 12	9 10	15 14	12 14	7 4	7 2	14 12	14 10	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	4 —	4 —	11 —	10 12	16 —	13 8	...	...	16 —	16 —	Ajmer
..	...	...	...	10 4	10 4	14 —	14 —	...	...	20 4	20 4	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	9 5	9 8	13 8	12 —	...	...	16 14	16 14	Tonk
...	...	11 —	11 —	11 8 and 12 —	11 — and 14 10	15 2	15 2	10 —	10 —	20 —	20 —	Jaipur
...	...	...	...	10 5	10 5	20 4	16 4	...	...	17 8	17 8	Karauli
...	...	8 —	7 8	11 10	11 10	...	...	7 6	7 1½	18 —	17 15	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	10 13	10 14	14 4	13 10	7 4	7 4	18 8	18 8	Bharatpur
...	...	...	9 8	...	11 13	...	16 —	...	12 4	...	21 4	Alwar
...	..	...	...	10 12	10 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	21 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 8	6 4	17 —	17 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	8 9	8 10	...	...	...	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	12 7	12 3	...	...	6 —	6 —	20 —	22 8	Jodhpur
												Central India—
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 —	19 —	23 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	17 —	Indore
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Neemuch
...	...	18 —	15 —	12 —	12 8	..	...	9 —	8 15	17 —	17 —	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	20 —	19 12	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 8	13 12	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	14 —	14 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	10 8	10 8	12 8	12 4	13 8	13 8	8 —	8 —	15 —	17 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	13 4	12 4	...	...	...	...	14 8	18 —	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 12	16 —	16 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	14 8	14 —	5 12	5 12	14 8	18 —	Jhelam

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER 191

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*) Half-month of report	Wheat Previous half-month	Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*) Half-month of report	Barley Previous half-month	Rice Best sort Half-month of report	Rice Best sort Previous half-month	Rice Common Half-month of report	Rice Common Previous half-month	Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*) Half-month of report	Jawar or Cholum Previous half-month	H m re
Punjab—*continued*											
South-eastern—											
Gurgáon	9 12	9 12	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 8	13 —	1
Rohtak	11 —	10 8	13 8	13 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	1
Karnál	10 8	10 10	16 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	18 —	...	
Submontane—											
Ambala	10 6	10 6	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 12	12 12	
Ludhiana	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	14 —	14 —	1
Jullundur	11 —	10 12	12 8	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	
Hoshiárpur	11 4	11 4	15 —	15 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	14 —	14 —	1
Gurdáspur	12 —	11 8	13 —	12 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	15 —	15 —	
Amritsar	11 8	10 12	15 —	14 4	...	...	8 2	7 4	19 8	15 4	1
Siálkot	11 8	11 —	13 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	...	...	
Hills—											
Simla	9 —	8 12	10 12	10 12	...	...	5 12	6 8	10 —	10 —	
Kángra	11 8	11 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	
Northern—											
Ráwalpindi	10 6	10 4	14 8	14 8	...	...	6 12	6 12	15 8	15 8	1
Attock	10 12	10 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	1
Western—											
Sháhpur	12 8	11 4	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 8	13 —	1
Jhang	10 8	10 4	12 4	12 4	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	15 4	1
Lyallpur	10 8	10 9	15 —	13 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	19 8	
Multan	10 8	10 4	13 8	12 4	...	...	8 8	8 8	14 8	11 12	1
Montgomery	10 8	10 4	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	1
Muzaffargarh	11 —	10 4	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	
Dera Ghazi Khan	10 —	10 —	12 8	12 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	9 8	1
N.-W. F. Province—											
Hazára	9 10	9 10	15 4	15 4	3 9	3 9	6 14	6 14	...	...	
Peshávar	11 4	11 —	17 4	16 10	4 9	4 9	6 8	6 8	18 3	16 14	1
Kohát	9 10	9 10	15 5	14 4	3 9	3 9	8 14	8 7	14 —	14 —	1
Bannu	12 5	11 12	19 3	17 8	4 2	4 2	7 8	7 3	20 —	13 12	1
Dera Ismael Khan	9 —	9 —	12 10	12 4	3 8	3 7	6 4	6 2	12 8	12 8	1
Tochi	11 12	12 —	20 —	22 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	
Kurram	11 —	11 —	19 —	19 —	8 —	7 12	...	...	...	...	•
Malakand	10 8	10 8	16 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	
Wano	8 1	8 2	11 4	11 4	2 13	2 15	...	...	...	...	
Sind and Baluchistan—											
Karáchi	8 —	8 —	...		6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	1
Hyderabad	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	12 —	12 —	1
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	9 4	9 4	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	1
Shikárpur	10 —	9 4	...	...	5 4	5 4	5 12	5 12	13 —	12 8	1
Upper Sind Frontier	9 4	9 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	6 12	6 12	12 —	11 8	1
Quetta	8 3 to 8 10	8 ¼ to 8 7½	10 4	10 4	3 2	3 1	7 —	6 4	11 9	11 9	1
Bombay—											
Konkan—											
Karwar	6 5	6 13	...	...	5 9	5 8	7 12	7 14	12 8	12 8	1
Ratnagiri	6 3	6 3	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 3	7 3	10 9	10 9	
Alibág	6 5	6 5	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 3	6 12	...	...	
Bombay	*7 10	*7 10	...	...	4 13	4 13	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	
Thanna	8 13	8 13	...	...	6 6	6 6	6 15	6 15	12 7	12 7	1
Deccan and Karnátak—											
Dharwar	11 3	11 3	...	...	7 12	7 12	8 10	8 10	18 14	18 14	1
Belgaum	10 10	10 1	...	...	6 13	7 10	8 5	8 10	16 10	16 10	1
Satara	9 —	9 —	...	...	4 13	5 3	5 14	5 14	15 6	14 11	1
Sholapur	9 4	8 13	...	...	6 15	6 15	7 9	7 9	19 15	18 2	1
Bijapur	12 15	11 9	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 13	7 13	18 10	18 10	1
Poona	8 6	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 11	6 11	15 10	15 10	1
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—											
Ahmednagar	9 9	9 9	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	16 8	16 8	1
Násik	10 5	10 5	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	...	...	1
Dhulia	10 3	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	13 13	13 13	1
Jalgaon	8 —	8 7	...	...	6 10	6 10	7 10	7 7	17 8	17 8	1
Gujarat—											
Surat	7 6	7 6	...	...	5 5	5 5	7 6	7 6	12 15	12 15	1
Broach	8 —	7 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	1
Kaira	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	14 —	13 —	1
Baroda	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	1
Ahmedabad	8 8	8 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	14 —	14 —	1
Godhra	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	1
Disa	10 —	9 4	...	...	4 12	4 12	5 4	5 4	15 8	13 —	1
Kathiawar—											
Rajkot	10 —	9 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 8	5 8	15 —	11 —	1
Central Provinces—											
Nimar	10 2	9 9	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	20 10	20 10	
Hoshangabad	11 2	10 8	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	18 8	17 6	
Betul	10 12	10 2	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 11	7 11	19 11	19 11	
Chhindwara	11 4	10 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 12	8 12	21 6	21 6	
Nagpur	10 3	10 3	...	...	5 3	5 3	9 2	9 2	15 7	15 7	
Wardha	11 4	11 4	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 15	8 15	19 3	19 3	

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 —	13 —	12 —	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Gurgáon
...	...	...	...	15 —	13 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	16 —	14 —	16 —	16 —	7 —	8 —	18 —	15 —	Karnál
												Submontane—
15 8	15 8	9 12	9 12	12 8	12 8	15 —	15 —	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	Ambala
...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	17 8	17 8	5 —	5 —	16 —	16 —	Ludhiána
...	...	9 —	9 8	12 12	12 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	15 4	16 8	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	17 —	17 —	...	...	16 —	14 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	11 8	11 8	15 —	14 8	...	...	14 8	15 —	Gurdáspur
...	...	10 —	9 12	13 —	12 8	17 —	15 8	7 12	7 12	16 8	18 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 —	...	...	...	...	14 —	16 —	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	15 —	14 —	5 4	5 4	10 —	10 —	Simla
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	6 —	6 —	11 4	11 4	Kángra
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 8	14 8	14 4	...	6 —	14 —	15 —	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	12 3	12 —	14 8	14 8	7 —	5 12	17 —	18 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	15 —	14 —	6 —	6 —	16 —	18 —	Sháhpur
18 —	18 —	11 8	11 8	12 —	11 12	16 —	15 12	...	...	14 8	14 8	Jhang
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 —	18 12	19 8	7 —	7 —	14 —	16 —	Lyallpur
...	...	10 8	9 8	12 8	12 —	15 8	14 8	6 8	6 12	14 8	19 —	Multan
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 8	12 8	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...	13 —	18 —	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	5 —	5 —	4 6	4 6	17 8	17 8	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	15 4	15 4	...	...	12 8	12 8	Hazára
...	...	8 13	8 13	11 13	11 6	15 15	15 4	8 8	8 8	20 2	20 13	Peshávar
...	...	10 —	10 —	10 13	10 11	13 11	13 1	...	...	22 15	22 15	Kohát
...	...	...	...	12 5	12 —	19 1	18 12	...	...	25 —	25 —	Bannu
...	...	...	...	11 2	10 10	12 8	11 4	...	...	25 —	25 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	13 8	...	...	20 —	20 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	14 —	14 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	15 —	15 —	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	6 12	...	...	...	...	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Karáchi
	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	19 —	19 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...	14 —	16 —	Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	12 8	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	10 12	10 9	8 11 to 10 11	8 11 to 10 11	4 8 to 5 8	4 8 to 5 8	16 —	14 4	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
18 8	14 6	...	...	8 11	9 —	...	...	...	6 3	16 7	16 14	Karwar
10 13	10 13	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	6 5	6 5	18 13	18 3	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 5	6 5	17 9	17 9	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	...	9 10	9 10	...	...	6 2	6 2	15 10	15 10	Bombay
10 12	10 12	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	5 15	5 15	17 14	17 14	Thanna
												Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	10 5	10 5	...	...	7 15	7 15	12 9	13 4	Dharwar
18 14	16 13	...	...	10 8	11 9	...	...	7 13	8 5	16 14	16 14	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	...	...	8 14	8 8	15 4	15 4	Satara
...	...	...	...	10 3	11 14	...	...	8 6	7 9	16 8	16 8	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	12 15	11 14	...	...	7 14	7 14	17 11	17 11	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 1	10 11	...	...	6 14	6 14	15 15	17 1	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 5	...	...	[illegible] —	7 —	18 12	16 4	Ahmednagar
14 6	14 6	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 11	16 11	Násik
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	7 9	7 9	14 —	14 —	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 15	...	...	7 7	7 14	18 —	17 10	Jalgáon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	5 12	5 12	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	21 5	21 5	Broach
14 —	13 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	24 —	24 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	22 —	22	Ahmedabad
17 8	15 —	...	...	11 —	10 —	...	...	6 —	5 8	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	90 —	80 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	7 7	7 7	14 14	15 12	Nimar
...	...	...	...	14 15	14 15	...	...	9 2	9 2	16 —	16 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	...	...	7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	...	...	7 15	7 15	13 —	13 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 —	...	...	7 15	7 15	14 —	14 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 6	9 6	17 —	17 —	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER 191(

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		(
					Best sort		Common				
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	H m r
Central Provinces— *continued*											
Central—											
Narsinghpur	9 9	9 9	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 13	6 13	16 —	16 —	
Saugor	10 4	10 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 4	8 4	18 8	16 8	
Damoh	11 6	10 12	...	...	7 5	6 11	8 5	7 11	20 12	19 8	
Jubbulpore	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	
Mandla	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	10 4	9 7	...	...	
Seoni	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 8	6 —	10 —	9 8	...	...	
Bálághát	9 15	9 15	...	...	5 7	5 7	9 10	9 10	...	...	
Bhandára	10 11	10 6	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 9	20 3	19 —	
Chánda	10 —	9 6	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	17 13	17 13	
Eastern—											
Biláspur	10 11	10 11	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 11	10 11	...	..	
Raipur	11 —	10 8	...	...	6 4	6 8	10 —	9 8	...	...	
Drug	11 —	10 —	...	...	8 8	8 —	10 —	9 12	...	...	
Berar—											
Buldana	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 6	6 7	20 5	21 10	
Akola	9 11	9 11	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	21 —	21 —	
Amráoti	9 12	9 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	20 4	20 4	
Yeotmal	9 15	9 15	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 3	9 3	20 8	20 8	
Hyderabad—											
Secunderabad	7 9	8 9	9 —	8 12	4 1	4 3	8 2	8 2	14 —	13 11	
Madras—											
Malabar Coast—											
Malabar	...	..	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	
S. Canara	...	...	..	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	
South, central—											
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	12 15	12 15	
Central—											
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	..	7 11	7 11	...	..	
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	16 10	16 10	
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	
Karnul	...	...	...	..	...	...	8 4	8 4	16 3	16 8	
East Coast, north—											
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	
Godávari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	
East Coast, central—											
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 6	11 6	
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 1	13 1	
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	12 8	12 8	
East Coast, south—											
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	
Chingleput	..	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 13	6 10	...	...	
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	13 12	12 13	
Southern—											
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 11	7 7	13 5	12 15	
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 —	11 —	
Mysore*—											
Mysore	...	...	...	5 12	...	6 —	...	7 —	...	16 —	
Bangalore	...	7 —	...	6 10	...	5 8	...	6 8	...	14 —	
Coorg—											
Coorg	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	5 8	5 8	7 4	7 4	...	...	
Aden	4 10	4 10	...	...	4 4	4 7	4 6	4 9	8 10	8 10	

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces —*continued*
												Central—
...	...	...	...	12 15	13 8	...	..	7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	15 8	16 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	14 5	14 5	...	...	6 8	6 8	15 —	14 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 1	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 —	14 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 —	14 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	7 13	7 13	13 2	13 2	Bálághát
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 9	7 4	11 11	13 2	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	8 12	8 2	14 14	14 14	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	...	...	.	11 11	11 11	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 11	10 11	Biláspur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	15 —	13 8	Raipur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 8	13 8	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	13 9	13 9	...	...	7 11	7 11	14 5	14 5	Buldána
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 6	8 6	14 —	14 —	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	9 12	9 12	17 —	18 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 1	9 1	14 13	14 13	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad—
19 6	19 4	...	...	10 —	10 6	...	...	11 10	11 5	13 11	12 13	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 10	15 12	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 11	15 11	S. Canara
												South, central—
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 5	16 7	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	12 13	12 13	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 14	16 3	Salem
												Central—
16 13	16 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	16 14	16 14	Bellary
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	Anantapur
17 1	16 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 3	14 3	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 3	15 10	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
14 4	12 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 —	17 2	Ganjam
13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Vizagapatam
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
12 11	12 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 2	20 2	Guntur
13 6	13 6	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 15	22 14	Madras
11 10	11 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 8	20 —	Chingleput
14 13	14 13	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	18 11	18 2	N. Arcot
12 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
14 1	14 1	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 6	...	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
15 9	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	19 8	Tinnevelly
13 11	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 6	19 6	Madura
												Mysore—
...	16 —	...	..	...	8 —	...	...	...	...	...	14 —	Mysore
...	16 —	...	...	...	7 —	...	...	...	7 —	...	15 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
17 —	17 8	...	...	16 —	17 —	...	..	6 8	6 8	15 —	16 —	Coorg
...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	6 3	6 3	32 —	32 —	**Aden**—

WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

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A—Wholesale prices of W

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending														
		31st July 1914.			15th August 1914.			31st August 1914.			15th September 1914.			30th September 1914.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3	15	2	3	15	3	4	2	3	4	8	9	4	7	9
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4	1	9	4	2	1	...			4	2	1	4	2	1
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4	5	10	4	8	0	4	10	0	4	7	0	4	8	3
Punjab	Lahore	3	10	3	3	10	3	3	13	0	4	0	0	3	11	6
	Ferozepur	3	5	3	3	8	0	3	10	3	3	14	0	3	14	0
	Lyallpur	3	6	0	3	5	0	3	11	0	3	14	0	3	14	0
	Amritsar	3	3	3	3	6	6	3	6	6	3	11	6	3	11	6
	Multan	3	6	0	3	4	0	3	8	6	3	14	6	3	14	6
	Rawalpindi	3	4	3	3	6	0	3	7	6	3	9	6	3	11	3
	Ambala	3	10	3	3	13	0	3	10	3	3	14	6	3	14	6
Delhi	Delhi	3	14	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	5	0	4	5	0
United Provinces	Benares	4	2	10	4	3	10	4	3	5	4	3	5	4	3	5
	Aligarh	4	0	9	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	5	3	4	6	0
	Cawnpore	4	3	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	4	8	0	4	8	0
	Meerut	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	3	6	4	5	0
	Shahjahanpur	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	1	6	4	5	3
	Agra	4	1	7	4	5	2	4	5	2	4	9	1	4	5	2
	Fyzabad	4	3	3	4	3	3	4	3	3	4	3	3	4	3	3
	Lucknow	4	1	9	4	5	3	4	5	3	4	7	1	4	7	1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4	1	1	4	1	11	4	1	1	4	1	11	4	1	11
	Jubbulpore	4	5	1	4	5	2	4	5	2	4	5	2	4	7	1
	Raipur	3	14	5	3	14	5	3	14	5	3	14	5	3	14	5
	Akola	4	12	0	4	12	0	4	12	0	4	12	0	5	5	7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3	6	6	3	6	6	3	6	6	3	11	6	3	11	6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3	15	5	3	14	0	3	12	6	3	13	9	4	0	0
Bombay	Poona	5	4	1	...			5	1	11	5	1	11	...		
	Ahmednagar	5	2	9	...			5	2	9	5	2	9	4	13	3
	Ahmedabad	4	8	0	4	12	0	4	12	0	4	14	0	5	0	0
	Dharwar	4	8	4	4	7	5	4	7	5	4	4	8	4	8	4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3	13	0	3	14	0	3	13	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
	Bhagalpur	4	3	0	4	4	0	4	8	0	4	3	0	4	3	0
	Muzaffarpur	4	7	0	4	7	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0
	Ranchi	4	7	0	4	15	0	4	11	0	4	14	0	4	14	0
	Cuttack	4	5	8	4	11	3	4	11	3	4	11	3	4	11	3
Bengal	Dacca	4	8	0	4	12	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0
	Rangpur	4	8	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0
	Mandalay	4	3	0	4	3	0	5	2	7	4	13	7	4	14	9
	(Median Average)	4	2	3	4	2	6	4	3	3	4	4	0	4	5	0
	Index Numbers (a).	100			100			102			103			104		

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

NOTE—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Admin
They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (
mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay and Calcutta are compiled
Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India per maund of 82$\frac{2}{7}$ lbs.

Fortnight ending										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0
3 12 0	4 3 0	4 8 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0
4 13 6	5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4
4 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 8
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5
5 5 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5
3 11 6	3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 8	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 8	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (White)*	5 4 3	4 12 3	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy).	4 15 2	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 3 6	4 13 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0
Punjab	Lahore	4 13 6	4 3 3	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 6
	Ferozepur	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Lyallpur	4 10 0	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0
	Amritsar	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 7 9	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0
	Multan	4 6 0	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 6	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0
	Ambala	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6
Delhi	Delhi	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 15 3	4 13 11	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5
	Aligarh	4 8 8	4 3 6	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5
	Cawnpore	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0
	Meerut	4 8 6	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Agra	4 11 3	4 7 1	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1
	Fyzabad	4 9 2	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0
	Lucknow	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0
	Jubbulpore	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10
	Akola	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 8 7	4 8 7	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 2 0	4 15 6	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3
Bombay	Poona	5 7 10	5 6 2	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4
	Ahmednagar	4 [illegible] 1	...	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0
	Dharwar	3 3 5	3 7 0	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 10 0	4 8 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0
	Cuttack	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3
Bengal	Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
	Mandalay	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 11 3	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2
	Index Numbers (a)	114	109	103	104	104	106

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*contd.*

Fortnight ending									
15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 6 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0
...	...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4
4 12 0	4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0
4 0 0	4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0
4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0
3 14 0	4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6
4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0
4 5 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0
4 6 5	4 6 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3
4 9 4	4 7 5	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0
4 3 6	4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0
4 2 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3
4 7 1	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 8	5 5 4	5 5 4
4 9 6	4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8
4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 5 10	4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7
4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7
4 7 2	4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5
3 15 7	3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10
3 13 4	4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2
4 0 5	3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6
5 4 1	5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11
4 13 9	4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8
4 12 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4
3 8 1	3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9
4 8 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 8 0	4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0
4 10 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0
4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3
5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7
4 7 1	4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3	4 13 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7
107	108	114	111	114	116	115	117	118	117

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th December 1915. Rs. a. p.	31st December 1915. Rs. a. p.	15th January 1916. Rs. a. p.	31st January 1916. Rs. a. p.	15th February 1916. Rs. a. p.	29th February 1916. Rs. a. p.	15th March 1916. Rs. a. p.
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0
Punjab	Lahore	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0
	Ferozepur	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0
	Lyallpur	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0
	Amritsar	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0
	Multan	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0
	Ambala	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0
Delhi	Delhi	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10
	Aligarh	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0
	Cawnpore	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4·14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0
	Meerut	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0
	Agra	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2
	Fyzabad	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0
	Lucknow	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0
	Jubbulpore	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1
	Raipur	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	...	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7
	Akola	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 [illegible] 1	4 5 2
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9
	Ahmednagar	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 8 4	3 14 4
	Amedabad	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0
	Dharwar	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0
	Bhagalpur	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
	Ranchi	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
	Cuttack	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3
Bengal	Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1
	(Median Average)	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0
	Index Numbers (b)	117	118	117	117	114	113	101

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.
(a) Prices at ports after 30th September 1916.

Ports	Rate per	On 6th October 1916. Rs. a. p.	On 13th October 1916. Rs. a. p.	On 20th October 1916. Rs. a. p.	On 27th October 1916. Rs. a. p.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 4 3	4 7 3	4 4 9	4 7 3
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy.)	"	4 3 7	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	...	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6

(b) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—contd.

Fortnight ending													
31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 30th September 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3	—4
4 6 9	4 3 9	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	—3
3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	*Nil*
3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	—2
3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	—2
3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	—1
3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	—5
3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	—2
3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	—2
3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	*Nil*
4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	—3
4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	*Nil*
4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	+1
4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	—5
3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6	3 11 9	*Nil*
4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	*Nil*
3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	—3
3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	—3
3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	—1
3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	—1
3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	—10
3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	—2
4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 0	4 13 9	4 12 0	—2
4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	*Nil*
3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	+3
4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	+1
3 0 10	2 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	+4
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	*Nil*
3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	—2
5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	*Nil*
4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	*Nil*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	*Nil*
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 12 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	—5
3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	—2
95	92	92	92	92	92	90	93	92	94	97	97	95	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 30th September as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915:—

	1916.			1915.		
	15th September.	30th September.	Increase or Decrease.	15th September.	30th September.	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	98	—2	100	102	+2
Punjab . .	100	98	—2	100	97	—3
United Provinces .	100	100	*Nil*	100	101	+1
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	95	—5	100	103	+3

B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8
7 8	6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12
9 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12
10 0	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12
10 4	9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0
9 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4
9 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12
9 12	7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0
8 8	8 6	8 1⅛	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4
8 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0
8 8	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0
8 12	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14
9 8	8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4
9 8	8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2
8 4	8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15
8 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4
9 8	8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0
7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2
9 13	9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2¾	7 4½	7 1	7 8¾
6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2
7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0
10 0	9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8
9 0	8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8
8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0
7 14	7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9
7 8	7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12
112	120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	FORTNIGHT ENDING 15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 0	9 0	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12
	Ferozepur	8 0	9 8	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12
	Amritsar	7 14	8 8	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0
	Rawalpindi	8 12	8 14	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12
	Lyallpur	8 8	9 8	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12
	Multan	9 0	10 4	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4
	Ambala	7 8	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6
Delhi	Delhi	7 12	9 0	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0
United Provinces.	Benares	7 13	7 13	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8
	Cawnpore	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Meerut	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8
	Agra	8 0	8 8	...	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8
	Lucknow	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	8 2	8 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	0 4
	Shahjahanpur	8 12	9 10	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14
	Fyzabad	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 15	8 15	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Akola	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	7 13	8 1	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0
Bombay	Poona	6 13	7 2	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8
	Bhagalpur	8 12	8 14	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	3 14
	Muzaffarpur	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0
	Cuttack	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5
	(Median Average)	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers (a)	116	112	106	106	108	109	112

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* **[The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.]**

FORTNIGHT ENDING.										
31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 8	5 · 8	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8
10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 13	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12
8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0
8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4
8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4
9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0
8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14
8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6
9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11
10 2	9 13¾	9 11⅓	9 10⅓	9 8⅓	9 8	9 0⅛	8 4¼	8 4½	8 6	8 9½
7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3
7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14
8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0
10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0
8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4
7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14
8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
112	116	116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120

B—Retail prices o

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay*	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0
	Ferozepore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0
	Amritsar	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8
	Rawalpindi	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8
	Lyallpur	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8
	Multan	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12
	Ambala	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12
Delhi	Delhi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8
United Provinces	Benares	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8
	Cawnpore	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	9 8	10 0
	Meerut	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8
	Agra	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8
	Lucknow	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8
	Aligarh	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0
	Shahjahanpur	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10
	Fyzabad	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0
	Jubbulpore	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12
	Raipur	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4
	Akola	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4½
Bombay	Poona	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Dharwar	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12
	Muzaffarpur	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0
	Ranchi	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0
	Cuttack	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3	9 3
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4
	(Median Average)	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 0½	10 0	10 0
	Index Numbers (a)	120	120	118	116	106	96	96

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

...t in India—*concld.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

...th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 30th September 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
	FORTNIGHT ENDING										
ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	*Nil*
10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	*Nil*
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	—2
0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	—2
12	12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	—7
0	10 12	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	—1
0	12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	+1
4	12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	—2
8	11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	*Nil*
0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	—2
15	...	9 12	9 12	...	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
8	10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
0	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8	—2
4	9 4	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	...	...
0	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	*Nil*
0	11 0	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	—3
12	12 8	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	*Nil*
4	11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	*Nil*
11	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	*Nil*
4	11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	—5
8	10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	*Nil*
0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	—2
1	9 1	9 0¾	9 0	9 0	9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6½	—2
6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	+15
9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	*Nil*
8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
5	10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	*Nil*
0	10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	*Nil*
0	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	—1
0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
0	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	—3
13	9 13	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	*Nil*
1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
12	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	—6
0	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	—1
96	92	96	96	92	94	96	96	98	97	96	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 30th September as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915 :—

	1916.			1915.		
	15th September	30th September	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	15th September	30th September.	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	99	—1	100	103	+3
Punjab . .	100	99	—1	100	97	—3
United Provinces.	100	99	—1	100	103	+3
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	100	*Nil*	100	103	+3

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	KARACHI. White (5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red). Price.	Index Numbers.	KARACHI. Red (5% barley, 3% dirt and 92% red). Price.	Index Numbers.	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissy). Price.	Index Numbers.	Calcutt[a] No. Price.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9½
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	..	35 10½
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10
" 29th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3
" 9th " "	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	33 11
" 16th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8
" 23rd " "	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 2
" 30th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2
" 21st " "	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½
" 4th August "	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½
" 18th " "	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½
" 25th " "	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½
" 31st " "	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½
" 8th September "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½
" 15th " "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½
" 22nd " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½
" 29th " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½
" 5th October "	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...
" 13th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½
" 20th " "	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½
" 27th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Red Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Delhi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Choice White Bombay. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 1. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 2. Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
0th July 1914 . .	39 6 July-August.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
st August " . .	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
rd September 1914 .	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
st October " . .	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
th November " . .	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
rd December " . .	50 6	128	50 0	100		...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6th " " . .	Nominal	...	...	..	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	106
0th " " .	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	103
th January 1915 . .	52 3 May-June.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
th February " . .	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
5th " " . .	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	128
th March " . .	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	118
th April " . .	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	127
th May " . .	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	129
2th " " . .	68 9 Do.	161	63 3 June-July.	126	64 3 Do.	127	68 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
th June " . .	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
nd July " . .	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
3rd " " . .	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
th August " . .	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
7th " " . .	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
rd September " . .	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th September 1915 to 18th April 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9th April 1916 . .	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9th May 1916 . .	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd June " . .	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
th " " . .	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7th " " . .	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd " " . .	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7th " " . .	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 29th June to 7th July 1916.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th July 1916 . .	58 6 July-August.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd " " . .	59 0 July-August.	149	58 6 July-August sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th " " . .	61 3 July-August sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
th August " . .	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1th " " . .	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th " " . .	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th " " . .	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st " " . .	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
th September" . .	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th " " . .	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd " " . .	71 0 Oct. sellers.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th " " . .	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
th October " . .	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th " " . .	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st " " . .	75 6 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	191	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7th " " . .	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are market and not F. O. B. prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current published weekly by

COTTON PRESS RETURN.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 31st August, 1916.
(Season 1915-16, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1915, to 31st August, 1916.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (a) (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Number of bales (of 400 lbs. each) pressed in the half-month	Total number of bales from 1st September to date
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,010,000	26·5	218	10	1,757	655,530
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	1,106,000	29·0	167	...	...	1,089,112
Madras	357,000	9·3	55	26	(b) 14,562	343,137
Punjab (including Native States)	196,000	5·1	92	...	...	188,643
United Provinces	262,000	7·0	80	1	396	235,845
Sind	51,000	1·3	14	...	...	47,514
Burma	27,000	0·7	16	...	...	24,175
Bihar and Orissa	16,000	0·4	...	...	...	...
Bengal	30,000	0·8	3	...	...	19,095
Assam	10,000	0·2	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	6,000	0·2	1	...	...	930
Ajmer-Merwara	2,000	0·1	14	(c)	(c)	(c)
Delhi	...	...	1	1	180	1,500
Hyderabad	450,000	11·8	41	...	...	18,617
Central India	216,000	5·6	32	(c)	(c)	(c)
Rajputana	66,000	1·7	10	2	3,339	30,198
Mysore	14,000	0·3	3	3	474	26,998
TOTAL	3,819,000	100	747	43	20,708	2,681,294

(a) The figures in column 2 are the estimates for 1915-16 as published in the Final General Memorandum on the Cotton crop of 1915-16, dated the 24th February, 1916.
(b) Figures for the weeks ending 19th and 26th August and 2nd September, 1916.
(c) No returns received.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 31st August, 1916.

(Season 1915-16, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1915, to 31st August, 1916.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton (in bales of 400 lbs. each) received in the half-month	Total number of bales from 1st September to date
1	2	3	4	5
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	180	38	13,185	324,067
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	5	...	77,210
Madras	17	9	(*a*) 6,520	128,064
Punjab	3	2	253	11,810
United Provinces	15	...	...	43,356
Sind	2	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)
Bengal	10	9	4,651	75,639
Ajmer-Merwara	2	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)
Delhi	2	1	10	11,864
Hyderabad	3	2	..	4,102
Central India	3	2	736	22,303
Rajputana	1	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)
Mysore	2	2	90	3,503
TOTAL	250	70	25,445	701,918

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(*a*) Figures for the weeks ending 19th and 26th August and 2nd September, 1916.
(*b*) No returns received.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA,
October 31, 1916.

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 10877-W.-II.

Simla, the 4th November, 1916.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

Item 46 " Coal (other than Welsh coal) and coke " shall be *deleted*, and in item 4 for the words " Coal, Welsh " the words " Coal and Coke " shall be *substituted*.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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Simla, the 2nd November, 1916.

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A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 30th October, 1916.

No. 1063.—Mr. F. J. Cooke has been permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 30th September 1916.

JUDICIAL.

The 28th October, 1916.

No. 1305.—The services of Major R. W. E. Knollys, District and Sessions Judge of Hoshiarpur, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Delhi, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his present duties.

MEDICAL.

The 31st October, 1916.

No. 592.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel F. E. Swinton, I.M.S., Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service, substantive *pro tempore*, are replaced at the disposal of the Army Department, with effect from the date on which he relinquished charge of his duties.

The 2nd November, 1916.

No. 597.—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed permanently at the disposal of the Government of Madras with effect from the dates noted against their names. Their services will remain temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India:—

Major E. A. Roberts, I.M.S.	...	27th January, 1916.
Captain J. M. Skinner, M.B., I.M.S.	...	29th January, 1916.
Major J. Kirkwood, M.D., F.R.C.S.E., I.M.S.	...	10th February, 1916.
Captain A. P. G. Lorimer, M.B., I.M.S.	...	10th April, 1916.
Major E. C. C. Maunsell, M.D., I.M.S.	...	27th April, 1916.

POLICE.

The 30th October, 1916.

No. 948.—The Governor-General in Council directs that the following amendments shall be made in the description of the uniform to be worn by all officers of the Indian Police published with the Home Department notification no. 612-C., dated the 2nd December 1914, as amended by the Home Department notification no. 685, dated the 2nd June 1915:—

Full Dress—Cold Weather.

(*a*) For the first sentence against *spurs* the following shall be substituted—

"For mounted duties steel swan-necked jack spurs with chain and leather straps".

(*b*) Below the description of *sword* the following shall be added :—

" *Scabbard*—Steel ".

(*c*) In the description of *greatcoat* the following shall be added to the penultimate sentence :—

" and with the badges of rank ".

Working Dress.

(*d*) The description of *scabbard* shall be amended as follows :—

" *Scabbard*—Brown leather steel mounted as worn with Sam Browne belt ".

Horse Furniture.

(*e*) The words beginning with " *Bridoon bit* " and ending with " in length " shall be omitted, and the description of *Bridoon reins* shall be amended as follows :—

" *Bridoon reins*—Of bridle leather ⅞ inch in width buckled on to the bit ; the hand part to overlap and neatly sewn ".

J. H. DuBOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 30th October, 1916.

No. 2472-Est.-A.—Major A. R. L. King-Mason, 108th Infantry, is appointed temporarily to hold charge of the current duties of the office of the Political Agent and His Britannic Majesty's Consul at Maskat, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 10th October 1916, and until further orders.

No. 2475-Est.-A.—Major A. D. Macpherson of the Political Department is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for three months, with effect from the 13th October 1916, under Articles 233 and 308 *(b)* of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 2476-Est.-A.—Major E. H. S. James of the Political Department is posted temporarily as Political Agent, Gilgit, with effect from the 13th October 1916.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 31st October, 1916.

No. 2481-Est.-B.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel G. J. Davis, D.S.O., 22nd Punjabis, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor-General in the North-West Frontier Province, for employment with Frontier Militia, with effect from the 8th October, 1916.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 1st November, 1916.

No. 1986-G.—Mr. G. P. delaHey, a Secretariat Assistant in class I of the Foreign and Political Department is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd grade, with effect from the 1st November 1916.

No. 2402-I B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 5022-I.,

dated the 24th December 1891, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to provide as follows for the administration of civil justice within the Cantonments of Mhow, Nimach and Nowgong and the Civil Lines of Nowgong :—

Within the areas specified in the first column of the schedule hereto annexed, the officers mentioned in the corresponding entries in the second, third and fourth columns shall exercise, respectively,

(a) the powers of a District Court,

(b) the powers of an Appellate Court to hear appeals from the decrees and orders of the District Court, and

(c) the powers of a High Court for all purposes connected with the administration of civil justice within the said areas.

SCHEDULE.

Area.	District Court.	Appellate Court.	High Court.
The Cantonment of Mhow.	The Cantonment Magistrate	The First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General in Central India.	The Agent to the Governor General in Central India.
The Cantonment of Nimach.	The Cantonment Magistrate	The Political Agent in Malwa ...	
The Cantonment and Civil Lines of Nowgong.	The Cantonment Magistrate	The Political Agent in Bundelkhand	

No. 2403-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2365-I.B., dated the 14th November 1912, which applied certain enactments to the Administered Areas in Central India, namely :—

In the third column of the first schedule, against Entry No. 19—The Indian Income-Tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886), Entry No. 25—The Land Acquisition Act, 1894 (I of 1894), and Entry No. 31—The Cantonments (House Accommodation) Act, 1902 (II of 1902), for the words "Resident at Indore" and "Resident," where they occur, the words "First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General in Central India" shall be substituted.

No. 2404-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the First Schedule annexed to the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 261-I.B., dated the 10th February 1913, providing for the administration of justice within the railway lands in Rajputana and Central India, namely :—

Under the heading 4—The Rajputana-Malwa Railway, for the words "The Resident at Indore" occurring in columns 4, 5 and 8, opposite the entry "South Outer Signal Fatehabad Station—Northern end of the Narbada bridge," the words "The First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General in Central India" shall be substituted.

No. 2406-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 8 and 9, respectively, of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872 (XV of 1872), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that in the schedule annexed to the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 1105-I.B., dated the 16th May 1912, the words "The Resident at Indore" and "The Indore Residency" shall be deleted, and for the words "The Indore Residency Bazars and Mhow Cantonment" the words "The Indore State, including the Indore Residency Bazars and Mhow Cantonment" shall be substituted.

No. 2407-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act, 1886 (VI of 1886), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that in the schedule annexed to the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 1103-I.B., dated the 16th May 1912, the words "The Resident at Indore" and "The Indore Residency" shall be deleted, and for the words "Indore Residency Bazars" the words "The Indore State, including the Indore Residency Bazars, but not including Mhow Cantonment" shall be substituted.

No. 2490-Est. A.—In supersession of the orders regarding him contained in the notification by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department No. 707-Est.A., dated 15th April 1915, Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Macwatt, Indian Medical Service (Bengal), is appointed to be an Agency Surgeon of the 1st class, substantively and provisionally, with effect from the 21st September 1914.

No. 2492-Est. A.—Major F. D. S. Fayrer, Indian Medical Service, is appointed to be an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd class, substantively and provisionally, with effect from the 21st September 1914.

No. 2493-Est. A.—Major F. E. Wilson, Indian Medical Service, is appointed to be an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd class, substantively and provisionally, with effect from the 13th February 1915.

No. 2494-Est.A.—Mr. J. McPherson, Indian Medical Service, is appointed to be an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd class, substantively and provisionally, with effect from the 19th December 1915.

No 2495-Est.A.—Major F. D. S. Fayrer, Indian Medical Service, is confirmed as an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd class, with effect from the 23rd August 1916.

No. 2496-Est A.—Major E. C. Taylor, Indian Medical Service, is appointed to be an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd class, substantively and provisionally, with effect from the 23rd August 1916.

The 2nd November, 1916.

No. 2424-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and in continuation of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 2148-I.B., dated the 28th September 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 8892-W.II, dated the 23rd September 1916, shall apply to Berar.

No. 2507-Est.A.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. E. Scott-Moncrieff, Indian Medical Service (retired), Residency Surgeon, Western Rajputana States, was granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 20th September 1916.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 30th October, 1916.

No. 1400-C.W.C.—Mr. G. M. Vaidya, temporary Assistant Controller of War Accounts reverted to his own grade of Superintendent in the office of the Controller of War Accounts, with effect from the 1st October 1916.

The 31st October, 1916.

No. 1207-F.E.—Mr. T. K. Rajagopalan has been posted as Assistant Comptroller General, with effect from the 26th October 1916.

No. 1210-F.E.—In Notification No. 1043-F.E., dated 19th September 1916, published on page 1416 of the *Gazette of India*, Part I, dated the 23rd September 1916, for the date '11th September 1916' *read* '12th September 1916.'

No. 1211-F.E.—The privilege leave for 6 weeks granted to Mr. R. K. Mukherji, Chief Superintendent, class II, office of the Accountant General, Punjab, in Notification No. 954-F.E, dated the 30th August 1916, published on page 1344 of Part I of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 2nd September 1916, has been extended by five days.

No 1212 F.E.—Mr. E. H. Burke, Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Nagpur, has been granted privilege leave for two months and 24 days, with effect from the 28th September 1916.

Mr. C. V. Bayliss, Assistant Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Nagpur, has been posted as Deputy Accountant General in that office, with effect from the 28th September 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. E. H. Burke.

Babu Lalit Kisor Roy Choudhury, Superintendent, class II, in the office of the Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Nagpur, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in the same office, with effect from the 29th September 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. E. H. Burke.

No. 1213-F.E.—Mr. W. H. E. Mellor has been posted as Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Delhi, with effect from the 20th October 1916.

The 3rd November, 1916.

No. 1225-F.E.—Mr. H. Denning, I.C.S., has been appointed to officiate in class I of the General List with effect from the 23rd October 1916, and has been posted as Deputy Accountant General, Bengal, with effect from the same date.

No. 1226-F.E.—Mr. Jagat Prasad has been posted as Deputy Accountant General, Punjab, with effect from the 25th October 1916.

No. 1228-F.E.—Rai Motilal Ganguli Bahadur, Chief Superintendent, class II, and Issue officer, Paper Currency office, Calcutta, has been granted privilege leave for two months with effect from the 23rd October 1916.

Mr. J. M. Bose, a Superintendent in the office of Paper Currency, Calcutta, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, and Issue officer in that office with effect from the 23rd October 1916, and during the absence on leave of Rai Motilal Ganguli Bahadur.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

STAMPS.

The 1st November, 1916.

No. 1483-F.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 9, clause (*a*) of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), the Governor General in Council is pleased to remit, with effect from the 4th August 1914, the duty chargeable under the said Act on receipts given by officer prisoners of war and ex-Ottoman Government Officials for their pay and allowances while interned in India.

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 1st November, 1916.

No. 24.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following promotions to and in the rank of Chief Engineer —

Name.	From	To	Date.
Mr. F. O. Oertel	Chief Engineer, 2nd class.	Chief Engineer, 1st class, *temporary*.	18th October 1916.
Mr. H. E. W. Martindell ...	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, officiating.	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, *temporary*.	Ditto.
Mr. F. O. Oertel	Chief Engineer, 1st class, *temporary*.	Chief Engineer, 1st class, permanent.	19th October 1916.
Mr. G. T. Barlow, C. I. E. ...	Chief Engineer, 2nd class.	Chief Engineer, 1st class *temporary*.	Ditto.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. P. Blakeway, R. E.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class.	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, permanent.	Ditto.
Lieutenant-Colonel S G. Rivett-Carnac, R. E.	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, *temporary*.	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem*.	Ditto.
Mr. H. M. Willmott ...	Executive Engineer and Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, *temporary*.	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, *temporary*.	Ditto.

F. C. ROSE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 4th November, 1916.

No. 10808-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the Enemy Trading (Winding up) Order, 1916, published with this Department's Notification (Commerce and Trade) No. 6200-W.-II., dated the 22nd July 1916, as subsequently amended, namely :—

For Rule 14 *substitute* the following rule :—

"14. In a winding up under the Ordinance no provision, save in accordance with the general or special orders of the Governor General in Council, is to be made for the payment by way of dividend or otherwise of the claims of creditors who are hostile foreigners or hostile firms," and in rule 29, for the words :—

"Next.—The dividend payable to creditors who are not hostile foreigners and whose proofs have been admitted."

substitute the words :—

"Next.—Subject to the provisions of rule 14 the dividend payable to creditors whose proofs have been admitted."

No. 10813-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) Section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to order the winding up of the business of the Agency for the German Re and Company Insurance Company:—carried on by Messrs. Breul and Company :—and in pursuance of rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (winding up) Order, 1916, he is also pleased to direct that all proceedings in the Winding up of the said business be transferred to the Government of Bombay.

No. 10820-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to order the winding up of the business of H. A. Levy and Company a hostile firm within the meaning of the said Act ; and in pursuance of rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (Winding up) Order, 1916, he is also pleased to direct that all proceedings in the winding up of the said business be transferred to the Government of the Punjab.

CUSTOMS.

The 4th November, 1916.

No. 10706-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9008-W.-II., dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz.* :—

Additions.

Gerolimatos, D.	Yunnan Fu.
Moore, J. H.	Shanghai.

No. 10778-W.-II.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS by Section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation:

And whereas by various Proclamations entitled Prohibition of Import Proclamations the importation of certain goods has been prohibited accordingly:

And whereas it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain other goods should be prohibited, and the existing prohibition imposed on the importation of certain goods removed :

Now, THEREFORE, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows :—

(1) As from and after the date hereof, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, *viz.*:—

Aluminium powder.

Birds, live, other than poultry and game.

Bone, horn, ivory and celluloid, manufactures of.

Cotton hosiery.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

(2) As from and after the date hereof the prohibition imposed by the Prohibition of Import (No. 8) Proclamation, 1916, on the importation of the following goods shall be removed, and the said Proclamation amended accordingly, *viz.* :—

Oranges.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 10) Proclamation 1916

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Place, this Third day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 10781-W.-II.—The following Order in Council is publbished for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL,

The 29th day of September, 1916.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :—

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

(c) Feathers and down, except wing and tail feathers of the ostrich ;

(A) Flax fabric, suitable for aircraft ;

Linen manufactures, the following :—

(C) Canvas ;

(C) Drills, woven ;

(B) Ducks, woven ;

(C) Linen piece goods woven from bleached yarns, but not bleached in the piece ;

(C) Union cloths containing cotton in the proportion of 25 per cent or upwards ;

Metals and ores, the following :—

(A) Iron and steel plates and sheets ;

(B) Steel, and steel articles containing chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium ;

(A) Steel flats, rounds, and squares (except carbon steel for tools and steel for mining purposes);

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—

(C) Fruit, fruit preserves, and nuts used as fruit ;

(C) Poultry and game ;

(B) Rubber, gutta-percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly of.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—

Chemicals, etc., the following :—

(B) Molybdic acid and its salts ;

(C) Feathers and down, except ornamental feathers ;

(B) Gauze manufactured of copper or its alloys ;

(C) Hemp braid ;

Linen manufactures, the following :—

(B) Cloth unbleached woven from bleached or unbleached flax yarns, whether the cloth or yarn is pure or mixed with any other material,

(i) being of a weight per square yard exceeding 8 ounces, or

(ii) if of a weight per square yard of 8 ounces or less, aggregating 96 threads or more per inch warp and weft combined ;

(C) Cloth woven from bleached or unbleached flax yarns not otherwise specifically prohibited whether the cloth or yarn is pure or mixed with any other material ;

(C) Matches ;

Metals and ores, the following :—

(B) Steel articles containing chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium ;

(A) Steel flats, rounds, and other sections, with the following exceptions :—

(i) When made from crucible cast steel ;

(ii) Carbon steel for tools not manufactured in the United Kingdom by the Siemens or Bessemer processes ;

provided such crucible or carbon steel does not contain more than 5 per cent. of chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium ;

(A) Iron and steel plates and sheets except when made from crucible cast steel or from carbon steel not manufactured in the United Kingdom by the Siemens or Bessemer processes ; provided such crucible or carbon steel does not contain more than 5 per cent of chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium ;

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—

(C) Fruit, fruit preserves (other than jam), and nuts used as fruit ;

(B) Jam ;

(c) Poultry and game (except venison);

(c) Sauces and condiments (except table salt) not otherwise prohibited;

(c) Vegetables, canned;

(B) Venison;

(B) Rubber, gutta-percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly of (except rubber hose covered with steel wire);

(A) Rubber hose covered with steel wire;

(A) Valves, gas, steam and water;

Woods, the following:—

(A) Rock elm;

(A) Wood-screws, made of brass, iron, or steel.

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

No. 10784-W.-II.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information:—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

MAKING CERTAIN ADDITIONS TO AND AMENDMENTS IN THE LIST OF ARTICLES TO BE TREATED AS CONTRABAND OF WAR.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS on the 14th day of October, 1915, We did issue Our Royal Proclamation specifying the articles which it was Our intention to treat as contraband during the continuance of hostilities, or until We did give further public notice;

And whereas on the 27th day of January, 1916, the 12th day of April, 1916, and the 27th day of June, 1916, We did, by Our Royal Proclamations of those dates, make certain additions to and modifications in the said list of articles to be treated as contraband;

And whereas it is expedient to make certain further additions to the said list:

Now, therefore, We do hereby declare, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, that during the continuance of the war or until We do give further public notice, the following articles will be treated as absolute contraband, in addition to those set out in Our Royal Proclamations aforementioned:—

Insulating materials, raw and manufactured.

Fatty acids.

Cadmium, cadmium alloys, and cadmium ore.

Albumen.

And We do hereby further declare that as from this date the following amendments shall be made in Schedule 1 of Our Royal Proclamation of the 14th day of October, 1915, aforementioned:—

For item 6, "parafin wax," there shall be substituted "waxes of all kinds."

And We do hereby further declare that the following article shall as from this date be treated as conditional contraband in addition to those set out in Our Royal Proclamations aforementioned:—

Yeast.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this Third day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

EMIGRATION.

The 4th November, 1916.

No. 10664.—In pursuance of Section 116-A., sub-section (4) of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901, as amended by the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1915, the Governor General in Council is pleased to approve of the election of Mr. N. M. Ross as a member of the Assam Labour Board, as representative of the Indian Tea Association, Calcutta, and of the Indian Tea Association, London, *vice* Mr. G. F. A. Denne, resigned.

POST OFFICE.

The 4th November, 1916.

No. 10749.—In pursuance of the proviso to Section 2 (*b*) of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), as amended by the Indian Post Office (Amendment) Act, 1903 (II of 1903), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following shall be added to the list of places specified in clause (1) of the note to Rule I of the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry No. 2883-45, dated the 26th April 1913, namely :—

(9) Abadan.

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Simla, the 31st October, 1916.

No. 389.—The Reverend G. R. M. Ellwood, Curate of Simla, is appointed to be a emporary Chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment. His services are placed at the lisposal of the Army Department.

No. 391.—The services of the Reverend D. H. Gillan, Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland on the Bengal Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Govern-nent of Madras.

The 1st November, 1916.

No 397.—The Reverend Francis Roebuck Gillespy, B.A., has been appointed to be Chaplain on probation on the Bengal (Lahore) Ecclesiastical Establishment to fill an existing acancy.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 3rd November 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1297.—The undermentioned gentlemen have been appointed permanently to the Indian Medical Service as Lieutenants by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, subject to His Majesty's approval. Their commissions will bear dates as specified :—

Ian Douglas Grant, M.B. Andrew Hunter Brown, M.B.	20th October 1915.
Edward Cotter, M.B. Herbert Edward Murray, M.B.	8th December 1915.

No. 1298—The undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

Madan Lal Rikhya	8th August 1916.
Ganesh Das Kapur	12th August 1916.
Syed Habib Ullah Shah	13th August 1916.
Kripal Singh Thapar	15th August 1916.
Mohamad Abdur Rashid	15th August 1916.
Santokh Singh	15th August 1916.
Gurdas Ram Oberai	19th August 1916.
Daya Ram Kumar	21st August 1916.
Jagdish Chandra	21st August 1916.
Abdul Hamid Butt	22nd August 191
Mohamed Abdulla	23rd August 1916.
Amar Singh Dogra	30th August 1916.
Parmeshwari Das	1st September 1916.
Madhava Krishna Pillai	4th September 1916.
Teja Singh Uberoi	5th September 1916.
Karam Chand Talwar	7th September 1916.
Pyare Lal Tandan	11th September 1916.
Amar Chand Mehra	16th September 1916.
Jagat Ram Kochhar	16th September 1916.
Girdharilal Nijhawan	17th September 1916.
Vasadeo Bhanrao Gupte	5th October 1916.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bombay Establishment.

No. 1299.—The undermentioned Indian Military Pupils having passed their final examination are admitted into the service as 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 17th July 1916 :—

No. 445 Dattatrya Keshaverao Chitnis.
No. 446 Ganpath Ramaya Guru.
No. 447 Shamaldas Dullabhji Desai.
No. 448 Fulchand Dalsukhram Mehta.
No. 449 Amritrao Chimanrao Malawde.
No. 450 Vinayek Krishna Altekar.
No. 451 Abdulmia Ahmedmia Bukhari.
No. 452 Erach Cursetji Dadabhai.

No. 453 Hiralal Ranchhodlal James.

No. 454 Ramniklal Karsanlal Joshipura.

No. 455 Michael Simon Judas DeSouza.

No. 456 Shivailal Trambaklal Oza.

No. 457 Gangadhar Krishna Kashikar.

No. 458 Verji Punja Thaker.

No. 459 Kuppaswami Panchanadham Pillai.

No. 460 Vishwanath Vasudeo Datye.

No. 461 Shriniwas Balasudram Mudliar.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 1300.—In Army Department Notification No. 1242, dated 19th October 1916, publishing a list of officers, non-commissioned officers and men brought to notice by Major-General C. V. F. Townshend, C.B., D.S.O., for distinguished service during the defence of Kut-al-Amarah from the 3rd December 1915 to the 29th April 1916 the following amendments are made :—

Under 1st Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry *for* "Stanton, Captain J., R.A.M.C." *read* "Startin, Captain J., R.A.M.C."

For Heading "27th Gurkha Rifles" *read* "2-7th Gurkha Rifles."

No. 1301.—In Army Department Notification No. 1241, dated 19th October 1916, publishing a list of officers, non-commissioned officers and men brought to notice by Lieutenant-General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., in connection with the operations of Indian Expeditionary Force "D" from the 19th January to the 30th April 1916, the following amendment is made :—

Under *Staff and Headquarters*; *for* "Harway, D., Captain, 31st Punjabis" *read* "Harvey, D., Captain, 31st Punjabis."

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1302.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Gerald Philip Danby.	Dated 21st July 1916 (but to rank from 23rd December 1915).
Edward Clement Danby.	Dated 25th August 1916 (but to rank from 11th August 1915).
Arthur Henry St. John Avery.	Dated 1st September 1916.

Infantry Branch.

Arthur William Strachan.	Dated 18th August 1915.
Clarence Brewin Fido. James Doig Malcolm.	Dated 1st September 1916.
Richard William O'Brien.	Dated 20th October 1916.
Ralph Currey Dawson.	Dated 27th October 1916.
Cecil Richard John Roberts. Charles Henry Trusler. Felix Lionel Edge. Frederick Charles Shaw. Percival James Bothwell.	Dated 28th October 1916.
John Buchanan Barclay. Cecil Herbert Bull.	Dated 1st November 1916.

No. 1303.—In Army Department Notification No. 1184, dated the 6th October 1916, *for* "Hugh Stanislaus" *read* "Hugh Stanislaus Crowley".

No. 1304.—Captain Arthur Mowbray Berkeley, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Major, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 21th October 1916.

No. 1305.—The date of appointment of James Walter Rowland as Second Lieutenant in the Indian Army Reserve of Officers is the 15th January 1915, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 355, dated the 16th April 1915 as amended by Army Department Notification No. 581, dated 18th June 1915.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1306.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Second Supplement dated the 27th September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 26th September 1916, pages 9449, 9451, 9454, 9455 and 9457.

War Office,
27th September 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned to be temp. Lt.-Cols.:—

Maj. D. Deane, 12th Cav., Ind. Army, Asst. Mil. Sec. and Interpreter to C.-in-C., India. 1st Apr. 1916.

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Training Reserve.

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Maj. B. A. Johnstone (ret., Ind. Army), from W. Rid. R., is apptd. to a Bn. 1 Sept. 1916.

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County of London Volunteer Regt., Group Commandants.—

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To be temp. Lt.-Col. North Group :—

Brig.-Gen. Henry Alexius Abbott, C B. (Indian Army).

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Fourth Supplement dated the 28th September 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 26th September 1916, pages 9462, 9463, 9465 and 9467.

War Office,
28th September 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

PERSONAL STAFF.

A. D. C.—2nd Lt. E. F. Batten, Ind. Army Res. of Off., *vice* Capt. G. T. Dennys, 31st Punjabis, Ind. Army. 27th Apr. 1916.

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A. G.'s AND Q. M. G.'s STAFF.

D. A. A. G.'s—Capt. (temp. Maj.) B. I. H. Adler, 113th Inf., Ind. Army, *vice* temp. Capt. J. G. W. Hime, 23rd July 1916.

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Capt.).—Capt. A. F. Hamilton, 61st Pioneers, Ind. Army. 1st Apr. 1916.

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

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Staff Capts.—

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Capt. A. F. Hamilton, 61st Pioneers, Ind. Army, *vice* Capt. (temp. Maj.) J. C. Philips, 28th Punjabis, Ind. Army. 28th July 1916.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

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Balloon Officers.

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Adjt.—Lt. (temp. Capt.) B. H. Bonham-Carter, 40th Pathans, Ind. Army. 1st Sept. 1916.

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

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Brig. Comdrs., and to be temp. Brig.-Gens. whilst so empld.

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Maj. E. A. Fagan, 36th Jacob's Horse, Ind. Army, from temp. Lt.-Col., attd. L'pool R., T. F., *vice* Col. H. D. Tuson, C.M.G. 27th Aug. 1916.

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Service Battalions.

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Col. C. W. Somerset, M.V.O, (Ind. Army) vacates comd. of a Bn. 19th Sept. 1916.

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Garrison Battalions—

R. Ir. Regt.

Lt.-Col. M. A. Tighe (ret, Ind. Army), from R. Dub. Fus., is apptd. to a Bn. in the rank of Maj. 15th May 1916.

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"London Gazette" dated the 29th September 1916, pages 9480 and 9481.

War Office,
29th September 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

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MACHINE GUN CORPS (CAVALRY).

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The undermentioned to be temp. Capts., whilst comdg. Squadrons :—

20th Sept. 1916.

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Temp. 2nd Lt. A. A. Mercer [Ind. Army (attd. Lrs.)]

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Second Supplement dated the 2nd October 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 29th September 1916, pages 9534, 9536 and 9537.

War Office,
2nd October 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) V. B. Fane, C.B., C.I.E., Ind. Army, to be temp. Maj.-Gen. 3rd Sept. 1916.

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REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

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Temp. Maj. A. N. G. Jones, (Capt., Ind. Army), from Midd'x R., to comd. a Bn., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. 11th July 1916.

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" London Gazette" dated the 3rd October 1916, pages 9558 and 9559.

War Office,
3rd October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

Staff Capt.—Capt. D. H. Acworth, 55th Rif., Ind. Army, *vice* Capt. C. A. Shute, 107th Pioneers, Ind Army. 28th May 1916.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Flying Officers—

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5th Sept. 1916.

Capt. H. A. Hill, Ind. Army.

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1307.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Captain to be temporary Major.

17th October 1916.

Leslie Gwatkin Williams, D.S.O., 5th Cavalry.

No. 1303.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

29th October 1916.

Harold Charles Hill, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry.

William Pitt Haydon, Supply and Transport Corps.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Leigh Tarver, D.S.O., 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

Torquil John McLeod, D.S.O., 7th Gurkha Rifles.

Arthur Ditmas Cox, 21st Punjabis

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Harry Leith Tomkins, D.S.O., 28th Punjabis.

30th August 1916.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Aylmer Maxwell, V.C., C.S.I., D.S.O., Commandant, 18th King George's Own Lancers.

No. 1309.—Major H. Barstow, 38th Dogras, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while holding the appointment of temporary Assistant Adjutant General, Army Headquarters. Dated 12th October 1916.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 1310.—Major R. H. Palin, Supernumerary List, is granted increased staff pay at the rate of Rs. 500 per mensem, with effect from the 29th October 1916.

No. 1311.—Captain H. F. W. Paterson, Indian Army, is granted increased staff pay at the rate of Rs 400 per mensem, with effect from the 30th October 1916.

Army Reserves.

No. 1312.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

Herbert Edwin Giles. Dated 25th October 1916.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1313.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Ernest Jennings, M.D., *vice* Colonel B. B. Grayfoot, C.B., M.D., Indian Medical Service, Bombay, deceased ; with effect from the 1st October 1916. Colonel Jennings' tenure of appointment will reckon from the 26th October 1916.

No. 1314.—The undermentioned officers have been granted the temporary rank of Colonel, with effect from the dates specified while holding the appointment of A.D.M.S., of a division :—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. N. C. Wimberley—18th July 1916.
Lieutenant-Colonel G. B. Irvine—6th June 1916.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bombay Establishment.

No. 1315.—The undermentioned 3rd Class Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 26th September 1916 :—

John Benedict Valentine Braganza.
Alexander Leslie Hudson.

No. 1316.—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the 2nd class, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Leonard Arnold Francis—16th September 1915.
Charles William Murray—29th April 1916.
Herbert Clement DePenning
William Ernest Cody } 26th September 1916.
James Berchmans D'Souza

Madras Establishment.

No. 1317.—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the 2nd class, with effect from the 31st March 1916 :—

Charles Netscher Stewart.
Clarence John Claudius.

Francis Joseph D'Rose.
Albert Edward Gomez.
Cecil Percival Voncoutre Shunker.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 1318.—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the second class, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Leslie Stuart Holmes Ralph Hope Gorman Thompson Henry Cecil Phillips Alexander Nicoll deGruyther Henry Alexander Fox	25th February 1916.
William George Henry Warner	6th June 1916.
George Vernon Aitkins	24th September 1916.
Harold Augustus Young Grant Routh Aitkins Clarence Archibald Wells Charles Patrick O'Brien Arthur William Hazle Louis Duckworth Routh Aitkins	26th September 1916.

SUB-ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Bombay Establishment.

No. 1319.—Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar, James Benjamin, to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 1st class, ranking as Subadar, and

No. 210 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Munisami Naidu, I.O.M., to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar;

vice 1st class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon ranking as Subadar, Tuka Ram Lakshman, invalided, with effect from the 15th September 1916.

No. 1320.—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the 1st class, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

No. 298 Magan Lal Dhanji Udani	15th September 1915.
No. 305 Robert Samuel Bell	4th April 1916.
No. 308 Wadilal Mohan Lal No. 307 Shaikh Lal Abdul Karim	17th April 1916.
No. 310 Aziz-ul-Hakk	17th July 1916.
No. 312 George Julian Ferris No. 313 Dattatraya Gangadhar Kale No. 314 Hormasji Manekji Limbuwalla No. 318 Shaikh Azimuddin Shaikh Ismail	15th September 1916.

No. 1321.—The undermentioned 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the 2nd class, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

No. 362 Bapalal Himmatlal Yagnik	26th January 1915.
No. 367 Kala Chaku Vaghela No. 371 Nilkhant Ramchandra Mauskar	14th September 1915.
No. 379 Ganpat Kanoji Rao Rane, I.O.M. No. 380 Ramchandra Bal Krishna Kusurkar No. 382 Kalathil Gopalan No. 383 Vasudev Ram Chandra Madheker No. 384 Shiv Ram Vithal Petekar No. 385 Sakharam Sonu Parab No. 386 Shankar Krishna Gole No. 387 Dattatraya Mohaniraja Makashir No. 388 Chunilal Himattram Bhatt No. 389 Gangaram Ramkrishna Nabar No. 390 Hirjeebhai Narbhoram Dave No. 392 Mahbubali Badulla Shaikh No. 393 Raghu Nath Balwant Limaye	14th September 1916.

Madras Establishment.

No. 1322.—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the 1st class, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

No 1383 P. P. V. Ramunni Nayar	31st March 1915.
No. 1387 Muhammad Abdur Rauf	17th October 1916.
No. 1389 Gandharapu Appalnarasimhulu Nayudu No. 1390 Culpankam Virasami Rajogopal Pillai	31st March 1916.

No. 1323.—The undermentioned 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the 2nd class, with effect from the dates noted against their names:—

No. 1421 T. V. Damodoram No. 1423 V. Swaminathan	12th March 1915.
No. 1426 Pottekat Kazhungil Kesava Menon	14th March 1916.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 1324.—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the 1st class, with effect from the dates noted against their names:—

No. 1136 Harkishan Dass (E.)	5th April 1915.
No. 1128 Shankar Lall (E.)	18th April 1915.
No. 1142 Acharmal (E.)	18th April 1915.
No. 1148 Natha Singh (E.)	1st May 1915.
No. 1155 Muhammad Yusuf Bhatti (E.) No. 1156 Parmanand (E.)	11th July 1915.
No. 1149 Narain Singh (E.)	21st November 1915.
No. 1159 Bhup Chand (E.) No. 1161 Jaswant Singh (E.) No. 1163 Abdul Karim (E.) No. 1165 Waryam Singh (E.) No. 1170 Shiv Ramdas (E.) No. 1171 Zafar Husain (E), I.O.M.	6th April 1916.
No. 1178 Zaladar Khan (E.) No. 1186 Dewan Singh (E.)	1st May 1916.
No. 1189 Kehar Singh Chandail (E), I.O.M.	1st October 1916.
No. 1185 Harnam Singh Gill (E.)	16th October 1916.
No. 1147 Sulaiman Khan (since retired)	1st May 1915.
No. 1152 Ghulam Husain (since retired)	11th July 1915.
No. 1180 Ganga Singh (since retired)	1st May 1916.

(E) Passed in English.

No. 1325.—The undermentioned 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the 2nd class, with effect from the dates noted against their names:—

No. 1291 Aswini Kumar Sarkar No. 1292 Muhammad Zainul Abedin	3rd April 1915.
No. 1295 Kali Mohan Chanda No. 1296 Safi Muhammad Faruqee	1st May 1915.
No 1303 Wilayat Shah No. 1304 Bhagat Ram	1[illegible]h June 1915.
No. 1306 Ganga Parshad	1st October 1915.
No. 1307 Bhupendra Nath Lahiri No. 1308 Jogendra Nath Khan	8th April 1916.
No. 1309 Zul-fikar Hyder	18th April 1916.
No. 1313 Abdul Karim No. 1314 Sansar Chand No. 1315 Gopi Nath Agarwal No. 1316 Shaib Singh	1st May 1916.
No. 1319 Murar Rao Khore No. 1323 Muhammad din No. 1324 Laddha Ram. No. 1325 Ata Muhammad No. 1327 Sardar Khan No. 1328 Bhag Singh No. 1330 Amar Nath	13th June 1916.
No. 1333 Upendra Kumar Ganguli	22nd July 1916.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Northern Army.

No. 1326.—Sub-Conductor Robert William Hughes, *seconded*, to be Conductor, *seconded*;
Sub-Conductor James Edwin Boswell to be Conductor;
Staff-Serjeant Thomas McCrea to be Sub-Conductor on the General List;
vice Henry Pargiter deceased; with effect from the 27th September 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1327.—The following promotions are made:—

13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).

Ressaidar Fazil Husain, I.O.M., to be Risaldar, with effect from the 17th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Kot-Dafadar Jamal-ud-din to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

29th Mountain Battery.

Jemadar Jiwan Khan to be Subadar and Havildar-Major Bahadur Ali to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.

Jemadar Ramasomi (II) to be Subadar, with effect from the 16th September 1916, Havildar-Major Kandasami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st August 1916, and Havildar Padaivittan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

Railway Battalion, Sappers and Miners.

Havildar Muhammad Din to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st August 1916; to complete the establishment.

17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).

Jemadar Hayat Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Mughli Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th June 1916; to complete the establishment.

28th Punjabis.

Quartermaster-Havildar Shad Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th July 1916, Havildar Raja to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd July 1916 and Havildar Dalip Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

32nd Sikh Pioneers.

Jemadar Sant Singh to be Subadar and Havildars Laihra Singh and Santokh Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 4th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

35th Sikhs.

Colour-Havildar Sahib Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 5th July 1916; and to be seconded.

1st Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.

Jemadar Darwan Sing Negi, V.C., to be Subadar, Colour-Havildar Pancham Sing Negi and Havildars Nain Sing Bhandari and Jit Singh Pundir to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

42nd Deoli Regiment.

Havildar Lachmana and Colour-Havildar Kalu to be Jemadars, with effect from the 18th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

46th Punjabis.

Colour-Havildar Fazal Ahmad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st September 1916; to complete the establishment.

48th Pioneers.

Jemadar Girdhara Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Tokha to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th April 1916, Colour-Havildar Udmi Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th July 1916, and Colour-Havildar Ramjilal [12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment)] to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd July 1916; to complete the establishment.

53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Havildar Hukam Dad [54th Sikhs (Frontier Force)] to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd September 1916; to complete the establishment.

58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Anar Gul [55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force)] to be Subadar and Havildar Ajun Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

64th Pioneers.

Havildar Dharmalingam to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th May 1916; to complete the establishment.

79th Carnatic Infantry.

Jemadar Krishnasami to be Subadar, Havildar Muttusami, Colour-Havildar Konayya, Havildars Narasimulu, Sayyid Abdur Rahim and Zainu'abdin to be Jemadars, with effect from the 21st September 1916; to complete the establishment.

86th Carnatic Infantry.

Jemadar Ponnusami to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Sunda Raju to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

Colour-Havildar Ali Raza and Havildar Narainsami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th September 1916; and to be seconded.

97th Deccan Infantry.

Havildar Kehri Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st August 1916, Havildars Nathu Ram and Rachpal Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 22nd August 1916 and Havildar Shams Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th September 1916, to complete the establishment.

98th Infantry.

Jemadar Muhammad Ghani Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 29th February 1916 and Jemadar Ranjit Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 17th July 1916; to complete the establishment.

102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

Havildar Ganga Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st August 1916; to complete the establishment.

107th Pioneers.

Colour-Havildar Ali Husain (106th Hazara Pioneers) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st July 1916 and Colour-Havildar Karim Dad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st August 1916; to complete the establishment.

124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

Jemadar Ram Singh (126th Baluchistan Infantry) and Havildar Allah Dad to be Subadars, Havildar Muhammad Din and Colour-Havildars Ghulam Husain and Ghulam Nabi to be Jemadars, with effect from the 11th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

126th Baluchistan Infantry.

Jemadar Ahmad Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 10th May 1916; to complete the establishment.

127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Tora Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Jemadars Karbir Gurung and Gangaram Khattri to be Subadars and Havildars Kabir Thapa, Narain Sing Thapa, Kalu Gurung and Kalbir Thapa to be Jemadars, with effect from the 27th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Havildar-Major Guman Sing Gurung to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadars Dalbahadur Thapa, I.O.M., and Kharak Bahadur Rana to be Subadars and Havildars Kharkabir Pun and Dalsur Rana to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

No. 1328.—In Army Department Notification No. 1190, dated the 6th October 1916, *for* the heading "26th Cavalry (Frontier Force)" *read* "25th Cavalry (Frontier Force)".

5th Cavalry.

No. 1329.—In Army Department Notification No. 1164, dated the 29th September 1916, *for* "Kot-Dafadar Chanda Singh" *read* "Kot-Dafadar Chandar Singh".

Governor's Body-guard, Bengal.

No. 1330.—In Army Department Notification No. 729, dated the 30th June 1916, *for* "Mehr Khan" *read* "Malik Mehr Khan".

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1331.—Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Postance Jackson, Supply and Transport Corps, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 12th November 1916.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1332.—Colonel Robert Joseph Macnamara, Indian Medical Service, is placed on the retired list, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 11th November 1916.

REWARDS.

No. 1333.—With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction, under the provisions of paragraph 470, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the special promotion of the undermentioned officers, warrant officers and non-commissioned officers of Indian Army Departments, in recognition of their services in India in connection with the war:—

With effect from the 3rd June 1915—

India Miscellaneous List.

Staff-Serjeant Hector Ian Macdonald, to be Sub-Conductor.

With effect from the 1st January 1916—

Ordnance Department, Northern Army.

Assistant Commissaries and Honorary Lieutenants William John Ramsey and Charles Digby, to be Deputy Commissaries, with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Ordnance Department, General List.

Sub-Conductor Heber Murdock Hill, to be Conductor.

Staff-Serjeant Thomas Calcott, to be Sub-Conductor.

Supply and Transport Corps, Bengal.

Assistant Commissary and honorary Lieutenant Thomas William Lloyd, to be Deputy Commissary, with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Supply and Transport Corps, 9th (Secunderabad) and Burma Divisions.

Conductors William Henry Penn and John Courtney, to be Assistant Commissaries, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Military Works Services.

Conductor Charles Edward Butler O'Connor, to be Assistant Commissary, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

3rd Class Assistant Surgeon Gerald Walter Dudley to be 2nd Class Assistant Surgeon.

India Miscellaneous List.

Deputy Commissary and honorary Captain William Davis to be Commissary.

Assistant Commissary and honorary Lieutenant John Christopher Swinnerton to be Deputy Commissary, with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Conductors Ronald Graham and Frederick Vousley to be Assistant Commissaries, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Sub-Conductors Thomas William Hill, Andrew Forde and Charles Thomas Morrow to be Conductors.

Staff-Serjeants George Philip O'Neill, Brian James McDermott and John Hubert to be Sub-Conductors.

With effect from the 1st July 1916—

Ordnance Department, Northern Army.

Assistant Commissaries and honorary Lieutenants Joseph Henry Allen and Andrew Wilson to be Deputy Commissaries, with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Barrack Department, Punjab-Bengal.

Assistant Commissary and honorary Lieutenant George William Boulter to be Deputy Commissary, with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

India Miscellaneous List.

Assistant Commissary and honorary Lieutenant Edgar Henry Martin to be Deputy Commissary, with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Conductors George Aytoun Somerville (seconded) and William Henry Edwards to be Assistant Commissaries, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Sub-Conductors Walter Smith and Lewis Bertrand Ginns to be Conductors.

Staff-Serjeant James Horton Watson to be Sub-Conductor.

Corps of Military Staff Clerks.

Colour-Serjeant Andrew Alexander Glover to be Quartermaster-Serjeant.

Serjeants Harold Payn, Walter John Frederick Bailey, Alexander Walford Woolfield and Frederick Hotten to be transferred to the India Miscellaneous List, supernumerary to the establishment.

Soldier Clerks.

Gunner F. F. Field, Bombay Brigade Office, to be appointed to the Corps of Military Staff Clerks, 3rd grade, supernumerary to the establishment.

Non-Departmental Warrant Officers.

Sergeant-Major Arthur Chapman, Imperial Cadet Corps (temporarily employed with the Nepalese Contingent) to be Conductor on the India Miscellaneous List.

No. 1334.—With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction, under the provisions of paragraph 470, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the special promotion of the undermentioned officers, warrant officers and non-commissioned officers of Indian Army Departments, in recognition of their services in the field during the present War :—

With effect from the 1st January 1916, except where otherwise stated—

Ordnance Department (Southern Army).

Assistant Commissary and honorary Lieutenant Walter John Kendall to be Deputy Commissary, with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Supply and Transport Corps (Bengal).

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Thomas Duthie to be Commissary.

Conductors James Joseph McGinn, Charles Payne, William Johnston Kee, Julius Ballin, Frederick Charles Sly, William Duncan Gordon, and Percy Hamilton Watson, to be Assistant Commissaries with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Sub-Conductors William Benjamin Hughes, Frank Holdaway and Bertram Edward Rossiter to be Conductors.

Supply and Transport Corps [9th (Secunderabad) and Burma Divisions].

Conductor Arthur Bartram to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Supply and Transport Corps (Bombay).

Conductor James Morris to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Sub-Conductors Harry Plumb and Robert Frank Cole to be Conductors.

Supply and Transport Corps (Amalgamated List).

Conductor William Alfred Darby to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Sub-Conductors Robert Graham, James Eagles and Ernest Bennett to be Conductors.

Staff-Serjeants Joseph Clarke, Charles Edward Terry, Ralph Jennings, Ernest Wilford Senior, Arnold Robinson Woledge, Booth Graingo and Maurice McNamara to be Sub-Conductors.

Military Works Services.

Conductor Albert Dorsey McDonough to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Staff-Serjeant William Kearsley to be Sub-Conductor.

Indian Telegraph Department.

Sub-Conductor William Henry Preston to be Conductor.

India Miscellaneous List.

Deputy Commissaries and honorary Captains Thomas Augustine Duffy and Edward Lawrence Bartlett to be Commissaries.

Assistant Commissary and honorary Lieutenant James Edward Clarke to be Deputy Commissary with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Conductors Angus James Cameron, Charles Hammond Baker, and Henry Richard Roffey to be Assistant Commissaries with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Sub-Conductors Thomas George Wilson, Mosdel Heriot Coombs, Robert Travers Waugh and Harry Walter Erswell to be Conductors.

Staff-Serjeants Saville Britain Jackson, James Lewis Sisley, William Robert Hewitt and Thomas Terry to be Sub-Conductors.

Miscellaneous List (Madras).

Conductor George William Twiddy to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

3rd Class Assistant Surgeon James Michael Rodrigues to be 2nd Class Assistant Surgeon.

Indian Subordinate Veterinary Department.

Farrier-Staff-Serjeant Robert Donnley to be Farrier Quarter-Master-Serjeant, supernumerary to establishment, with effect from the 28th February 1916.

Corps of Military Staff Clerks.

Serjeants Joseph Taylor, Thomas William Redmond, George Edward Meaking, Frank Parker, William Frederick North, William Wadsworth and William Prescott to be transferred to the India Miscellaneous List, supernumerary to establishment.

With effect from the 1st July 1916, except where otherwise stated—

Ordnance Department (Northern Army).

Conductors George Gardner and Edward James Todd to be Assistant Commissaries with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Staff-Serjeant John Cecil Russell Barrows to be Sub-Conductor.

Ordnance Department (Southern Army).

Sub-Conductor Frank Williams to be Conductor.

Supply and Transport Corps (Bengal).

Conductor William Gilbert King to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Supply and Transport Corps (Bombay).

Conductor Ernest George Bingham to be Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval.

Supply and Transport Corps (Amalgamated List).

Sub-Conductor Charles Such to be Conductor.

Staff-Serjeants Harry Alfred Clarke, Edward Thomas Walsh, Seth Helliwell and Donald Reid to be Sub-Conductors.

Military Works Services.

Sub-Conductor Richard Everard to be Conductor.

Barrack Department.

Staff-Serjeant John Bloor to be Sub-Conductor.

India Miscellaneous List.

Sub-Conductors Robert Mackie and George Evans to be Conductors.

Staff-Serjeant James Edward Walsh to be Sub-Conductor.

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

3rd Class Assistant Surgeon Elkins Austin Eates to be 2nd class Assistant Surgeon.

4th Class Assistant Surgeon George Tresham Wrafter to be 3rd class Assistant Surgeon.

Indian Subordinate Veterinary Department.

Farrier-Staff-Serjeant Richard Ford to be Farrier Serjeant-Major, supernumerary to establishment, with effect from the 1st December 1915.

Corps of Military Staff Clerks.

Serjeants Edward John Kelly, Frederick Bangs, Harry Cooke, David Summerfield, Alfred Hempstead and William Henry Fiddler, to be transferred to the India Miscellaneous List supernumerary to establishment.

Soldier Clerks.

Corporal W. J. Lark, Royal Field Artillery, to be appointed to the Corp of Military Staff. Clerks, 3rd Grade, supernumerary to establishment, and promoted to the rank of Serjeant.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

No. 1335.—Claude Willoughby Cole to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy Dated the 3rd October 1916.

Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1336.—Captain Charles Orchertoun Siddons Skeaf, V.D., resigns his commission and is, on retirement, granted the honorary rank of Major, with permission to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated the 18th July 1916.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1337.—Geoffrey Dennis Mainprice to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 22nd September 1916.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

No. 1338.—Second Lieutenant George Moore to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 27th November 1914.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1339.—Second Lieutenant Charles Edward Phillips to be Lieutenant, *vice* J. A. Barstow, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated the 13th October 1915.

Second Lieutenant Harold Kenneth Head, seconded, to be Lieutenant and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Walter Stanley Duke, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Kennedy Walker, seconded, to be Lieutenant and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Henry D'Arcy Cornelius Reilly to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Poona Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1340.—Second Lieutenant Edwin Merle Duggan to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st October 1916.

Bengal-Nagpur Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

No. 1341.—The date of appointment of William George Hornett as Second Lieutenant is the 28th September 1915 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1027, dated the 1st September 1916.

Alexander Duncan to be Second Lieutenant *vice* H. W. Arnott, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated the 15th July 1915.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 3rd November 1916.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the deaths of the officers named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there have been received by me as the surplus of their properties, the amounts set opposite their names in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the properties of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Date of death.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	
Captain Alfred Gwilym Jones, M.B.	Royal Army Medical Corps.	27th January 1916.	Intestate.	3,246 11 2	Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department.
Lieutenant John Allan Mackay Scobie.	Indian Army.	8th March 1916.	Not known.	2,285 14 0	Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 31st October, 1916.

No. 1215-2-E-16.—The undermentioned promotions and reversions in the Superintending Engineer classes, State Railways, are ordered :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Howard, W. H. K. ..	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	20th July 1916.
Stapleton, B. ...	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, *s. p. t.*, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Furnivall, F. ...	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, *s. p. t.*	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Lines, A. ...	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, officiating.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Stapleton, B. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, *s. p. t.*, Supernumerary.	1st October 1916.
Furnivall, F. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, *s. p. t.*	Ditto.
Heap, J. H. ...	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	4th October 1916.
Hearn, Major, C. R., R. E.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, *s. p. t.*, Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Barnardiston, Major E., R. E.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, *s. p. t.*, Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Lister, E. A. C.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, *s. p. t.*	Ditto.

The 3rd November, 1916.

No. 97-P.-16.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the Eastern Bengal Railway for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Raiganj, a station on the Katihar-Parbatipur section of the Eastern Bengal Railway, to Eklakhi, a station on the Katihar-Godagiri section of the same railway, a distance of about 28 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Raiganj-Eklakhi Railway reconnaissance survey.

No. 897-T.-16.—The following is published for general information :—

No. 897-T.-16, dated the 1st November 1916.

RESOLUTION—By the Railway Board.

Adoption on the Nushki Extension Railway of the General Rules for working railways under construction and certain amendments therein.

Resolution.—The Nushki Extension Railway having been sanctioned for construction, the Railway Board, in exercise of the powers conferred by the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, sanction, under section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption, on such portion or portions of that Railway as may be under construction, of the General Rules for working railways under construction and not used for the public carriage of passengers, animals or goods, which were promulgated with Railway Board's Resolution No. 1216 R. T., dated the 6th July 1912, and published in the *Gazette of India* under their Notification No. 114 of the same date, and certain amendments therein which were promulgated with Railway Board's Resolution No. 1023 T., dated the 23rd June 1914, and published in the *Gazette of India* under their Notification No. 619, dated the 26th June 1914.

ORDER.—Ordered that this Resolution be published under a Notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), and that the General Rules and the amendments, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India,* be further notified to the railway servants concerned, and to the public, by a copy thereof being kept open to inspection, free of charge, in the office of the Engineer-in-Chief in charge of the construction of the railway; also that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to the Engineer-in-Chief, Nushki Extension Railway, for information and guidance.

No. 1763-E.-16.—Mr. A. K. Homan, District Locomotive Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, is transferred to the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

Railway Board's Notification No. 313, dated the 11th November 1915, is hereby cancelled.

No. 1763-4-E.-16.—Mr. A. Cornish, officiating District Locomotive Superintendent, is retransferred from the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway to the North Western Railway.

No. 1830-E.-16.—Mr. F. E. Goodall, Storekeeper, State Railways, is transferred temporarily from the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway to the North Western Railway.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 3rd November, 1916.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 28th October 1916 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI...	...	......	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	16	10
		Ahmedabad City	1	1
		Kaira District	2	2
		Surat Town and Port	7	3
		Surat District	2	2
	Central	Ahmednagar District	679	513
		West Khandesh District	248	171
		East Khandesh District	46	40
		Poona Town	94	103
		Poona District	143	125
		Nasik District	84	50
		Satara District	179	121
		Sholapur Town	27	24
		Sholapur District	121	103
	Southern	Ratnagiri Port	...	2
		Hubli Town	82	32
		Dharwar District	210	130
		Kanara District	1	...
		Bijapur District	92	74
	Political Charges	Baroda State	8	7
		Mangrol Port	1	1
		Kathiawar Agency	66	50
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	191	147
		Akalkot State	1	3
		Bijapur Agency	4	2
		Satara Agency	12	12
		Savanur State	54	38
		Bhor State	3	2
		TOTAL	2,324	1,858

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	...	Anantapur District	2	...
		Bellary District	26	29
		Chittoor District	7 (a)	4 (a)
		Coimbatore Town	...	1 (a)
		Coimbatore District	287 (b)	227 (c)
		Salem District	45	33 (a)
		North Arcot District	9 (d)	5 (e)
		Nilgiris District	1	1
		Malabar District	...	1
		Mangalore Port	2	2
		TOTAL	379	303
BENGAL PRESIDENCY	...	......	...	...
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna District	7	5
		Shahabad District	11	6
	Tirhut	Saran District	54	26
		Darbhanga District	10	8
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	38	17
		TOTAL	120	62
UNITED PROVINCES	Rohilkhand	Moradabad District	1	1
	Meerut	Muzaffarnagar District	7	7
	Allahabad	Cawnpore District	1	1
		Allahabad District	5	5
	Benares	Benares District	4	2
		Jaunpur District	4	3
		Ghazipur District	12	4
	Gorakhpur	Ballia District	18	13
		Gorakhpur District	7	6
		Basti District	8	4
		Azamgarh District	6	4
	Lucknow	Unao District	7	3
		Rae Bareli District	2	1
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	1	1
		Gonda District	4	3
		Partabgarh District	4	3
		TOTAL	81	61

(a) One imported. (b) Nine imported. (c) Seven imported. (d) Five imported. (e) Four imported.

In the return for the week ending 21st October 1916, the following correction and additions should be made :—

Azamgarh District *read* 5 deaths *for* 1 death.
Unao District *add* 1 case, 1 death.
Rae Bareli District ,, 6 cases, 6 deaths.
Sitapur ,, 2 ,, 1 death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi	Rawalpindi District	81	62
		TOTAL	81	62
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	5	5
		Tharrawaddy District	10	10
		Prome District	8	8
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	1	1
		Henzada District	1	1
	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	5	4
		Amherst District	7	7
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	1	4
		TOTAL	38	40
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur Town	266	270
		Nagpur District	108	50
		Kamptee Cantt.	20	128
		Bhandara Town	1	...
		Bhandara District	1	1
		Wardha District	139	118
		Chanda District	12	11
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	78	62
	Berar	Amraoti District	25	16
		Yeotmal District	12	9
		Akola Town	1	1
		Akola District	155	89
		Buldana District	111	81
		TOTAL	929	834
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	46	42
		Bangalore City	39	25
		Bangalore District	116	98
		Mysore City	24	19
		Mysore District	43	36
		Hassan District	1	3
		Kadur District	7	7
		Shimoga District	30	21
		Chitaldroog District	35	28
		Kolar Gold Fields	21	12
		Kolar District	25	20
		TOTAL	387	311
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	250	212
		Bir District	155	102
		Parbhani District	300	284
		Nandor District	21	20
		Gulbarga District	55	27
		Raichur District	28	19
		Usmanabad District	35	19
		Atrafibalda Sarfikhas District	103	102
		Bidar District	14	8
		Medak District	21	25
		Nalgonda District	8	4
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	79	69
		TOTAL	1,071 (a)	891 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore City	141	96
		Indore Residency Bazars	2	2
		Dhar State	10	5
		Gwalior State	4	4
		TOTAL	157 (b)	107 (b)
RAJPUTANA	...	Marwar	1	1
		TOTAL	1	1
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	5,568	4,530

(a) From the 16th to the 22nd October 1916.
(b) For the week ending 21st October 1916.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 2nd November 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. The rainfall of the week was confined to the Peninsula, northeast India and Burma, and was produced chiefly by two storms from the Bay; the first crossed the Madras coast near Masulipatam and disappeared in the Bombay Deccan, while the second travelled northwards and passed into Upper Burma. With the exception of the divisions of Mysore and Madras Southeast, rainfall was largely above the average over the whole of the areas in which it occurred.

2. *Burma.*—Rainfall was nearly general in Lower Burma on the 28th and 31st October, and in Upper Burma on the 1st November.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Nearly general rain fell in Assam on the 30th October, in Bengal on the 29th and 30th October, in Orissa on the 28th, 29th, 30th and 31st October, in Chota Nagpur on the 26th, 30th and 31st October, and in Bihar on the 30th October.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was nearly general rain in the west of the Central Provinces on the 26th October.

Northwest India.—Weather was dry, except for light falls of rain at Surat on the 26th and 27th October.

The Peninsula.—Rain fell at nearly every station in the Konkan on the 31st October and 1st November, in north Hyderabad on the 28th and 30th October, in south Hyderabad from the 28th to the 31st October, in Mysore on the 26th October, in Malabar from the 26th to the 29th October, in the Madras Deccan from the 28th to the 31st October and on the north Madras coast on the 28th, 29th and 31st October.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows:—

October 26th. Table Island 1·33″, Victoria Point 1·25″, Diamond Island 1·47″, Burdwan 1·38″, Bogra 1·03″, Ranchi 2·27″, Naya Dumka 2·82″, Pachmarhi 2·02″, Akola 1·58″, Nizamabad 1·42″, Mercara 1·88″, Cochin 2·02″, Salem 1·63″ and Cuddalore 2·91″.

" 27th. Victoria Point 1·30″, Tavoy 2·45″, Shillong 1·15″, False Point 1·63″, Khandwa 1·26″, Pendra 1·21″, Ratnagiri 2·30″, Hyderabad (Deccan) 1·81″, Mercara 1·60″ and Cuddalore 1·12″.

" 28th. Mergui 2·37″, Akyab 2·20″, Minbu 2·28″, Saugor Island 1·02″, Balasore 1·43″, False Point 3·40″, Cuttack 1·08″, Sholapur 1·28″, Raichur 4·78″, Hyderabad (Deccan) 2·44″, Calicut 1·66″, Masulipatam 1·00″ and Cocanada 1·66″.

" 29th. Port Blair 1·70″, Victoria Point 1·30″, Mergui 1·89″, Tavoy 1·13″, Chittagong 1·12″, Jessore 1·08″, Mymensingh 3·31″, Balasore 1·22″, Cuttack 1·09″, Karwar 2·18″, Calicut 1·54″, Raichur 3·02″, Hyderabad (Deccan) 4·02″, Kurnool 2·45″, Masulipatam 1·30″, Cocanada 2·72″, Waltair 2·75″ and Gopalpur 2·50″.

October 30th. Table Island 1·46″, Tavoy 1·61″, Rangoon 1·11″, Diamond Island 1·27″, Gauhati 1·14″, Cherrapunji 2·80″, Calcutta 1·41″, Saugor Island 3·31″, Burdwan 1·21″, Berhampore 1·50″, Mymensingh 1·22″, Dinajpur 1·65″, Balasore 4·09″, Cuttack 1·11″, Chaibasa 1·68″, Ranchi 2·31″, Karwar 1·31″, Mangalore 1·27″, Bijapur 3·11″, Nizamabad 1·04″, Raichur 6·25″, Hyderabad (Deccan) 1·72″, Bellary 2·84″ and Kurnool 5·76″.

" 31st. Table Island 1·88″, Rangoon 2·27″, Bassein 1·77″, Diamond Island and Maymyo each 1·53″, Akyab 4·53″, Cuttack 1·26″, Chaibasa 1·03″, Marmagao 1·51″, Karwar 1·34″, Mangalore 1·06″, Bijapur 3·65″ and Belgaum 2·41″.

November 1st. Kyaukpyu 4·43″, Akyab 13·33″, Minbu 2·35″, Monywa 1·35″, Lashio 1·14″, Myitkyina 1·48″, Cox's Bazar 3·99″, Cuttack 1·13″, Ratnagiri 2·89″, Marmagao 1·54″, Karwar 3·13″, Belgaum 1·23″ and Mangalore 1·05″.

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in excess in the Bay Islands, Burma, Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, Gujarat, Berar, the Central Provinces, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Malabar, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. It was 20 per cent or more in defect in the United Provinces, Central India, Mysore and Madras-Southeast. No rain fell in the remaining divisions, but the absence of rain there is a normal feature of the weather at this time of year.

The rainfall from the 28th April to date is as much as 20 per cent in defect in Kashmir alone. It differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent in the Bay Islands, Burma, Assam, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, the Punjab Southwest, Gujarat, Central India East, the Central Provinces, Malabar and Madras Southeast, and is 20 per cent or more in excess in all the remaining divisions.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 2nd November 1916.			Rainfall data from 28th April to 2nd November 1916.			Percentage departure from normal.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	4·7	2·3	+2·4	102·1	97·5	+4·6	+5	+2
Lower Burma	6·7	1·3	+5·4	144·4	139·1	+5·3	+4	0
Upper Burma	2·0	1·3	+0·7	40·7	41·1	−0·4	−1	−3
Assam	0·7	0·4	+0·3	72·0	77·6	−5·6	−7	−8
Bengal	2·1	0·7	+1·4	83·1	69·4	+13·7	+20	+18
Orissa	4·8	0·8	+4·0	64·7	57·6	+7·1	+12	+5
Chota Nagpur	2·8	0·4	+2·4	47·4	49·3	−1·9	−4	−9
Bihar	0·9	0·1	+0·8	63·5	49·6	+13·9	+28	+26
United Provinces, East	0	0·1	−0·1	49·0	39·2	+9·8	+25	+25
United Provinces, West	0	0·1	−0·1	51·0	39·1	+11·9	+31	+31
Punjab, East and North	0	0	0	30·3	21·3	+9·0	+42	+42
Punjab, South-West	0	0	0	9·4	8·1	+1·3	+16	+16
Kashmir	0	0	0	6·9	8·7	−1·8	−21	−21
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0	0	11·0	5·8	+5·2	+90	+90
Baluchistan	0	0	0	4·2	2·3	+1·9	+83	+83
Sind	0	0	0	12·9	4·8	+8·1	+169	+169
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	23·1	11·3	+11·8	+104	+105
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	31·6	22·9	+8·7	+38	+38
Gujarat	0·1	0	+0·1	26·6	23·4	+3·2	+14	+13
Central India, West	0	0·1	−0·1	40·4	29·6	+10·8	+36	+37
Central India, East	0	0·1	−0·1	48·2	40·9	+7·3	+18	+18
Berar	0·9	0·1	+0·8	45·5	30·6	+14·9	+49	+46
Central Provinces, West	0·9	0·1	+0·8	51·7	44·6	+7·1	+16	+14
Central Provinces, East	0·9	0·3	+0·6	49·4	47·8	+1·6	+3	+2
Konkan	4·5	0·5	+4·0	124·4	96·4	+28·0	+29	+25
Bombay Deccan	2·6	0·4	+2·2	35·5	26·8	+8·7	+32	+25
Hyderabad, North	1·7	0·3	+1·4	41·2	32·6	+8·6	+26	+22
Hyderabad, South	7·4	0·6	+6·8	45·0	29·7	+15·3	+52	+29
Mysore	0·4	0·9	−0·5	34·5	26·1	+8·4	+32	+35
Malabar	3·3	2·1	+1·2	97·9	94·3	+3·6	+4	+3
Madras, South-East	0·8	2·4	−1·6	24·3	22·6	+1·7	+8	+16
Madras Deccan	4·4	0·9	+3·5	34·6	22·9	+11·7	+51	+37
Madras Coast, North	3·4	2·2	+1·2	39·5	31·1	+8·4	+27	+25

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SIMLA;
Dated the 2nd November 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 28th October 1916.

Burma.—Slight rain fell in Lower Burma except in the Tavoy and Mergui districts. In the dry zone the fall was light. Ploughing for miscellaneous crops has commenced in the upland *ya* tracts. Sowing of island crops is progressing. Reaping of autumn rice, gathering of groundnut and plucking of cotton are proceeding. The condition of standing crops is generally good. Livestock are healthy. The price of unhusked rice is easy at Rs. 121 per hundred baskets and is normal. The market for white rice is easy.

Assam.—The weather is seasonable and favourable to standing crops. Flood water has not completely subsided in lowlying tracts of Cachar. Agricultural loans and gratuitous relief are still being given in Nowgong and Cachar. Ploughing of land for and sowing of mustard have commenced. Manufacture of tea, harvesting of jute and sowing of pulses are still going on. Prospects of tea, winter rice, sugarcane and cotton are fair. Floods have caused some damage to winter rice in parts of Sylhet. Cattle disease and insufficiency of fodder are reported from three districts. The price of common rice has risen slightly in one district and fallen in two.

Bengal.—During the week rain fell almost throughout the Province. Sowings of spring crops have been somewhat retarded in parts of western Bengal owing to excessive rainfall. Steeping and washing of jute still continue. Weeding of winter rice is practically over. The condition and prospects of this crop are on the whole good. Fodder is insufficient in parts of Jessore, Dinajpur and Tippera. Cattle disease is reported from five districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by one per cent as compared with that of the previous week.

The weekly report on famine in Bankura is as follows :—The state of affairs in affected areas has improved. Prospects of standing crops are good. The condition of the people on relief works is good. Relief measures are adequate. Prices are stationary. The price of rice is 9 seers per rupee. The number of persons on relief works was 1,737 and on gratuitous relief to weavers 1,204, total 2,941. Only seven works remained open during the week.

Bihar and Orissa.—The rainfall during the week was general over the Province, the fall being very heavy in Orissa and light to moderate in the rest of the Province. Preparation of lands for and sowings of spring crops continue, but the operations are being retarded in some districts on account of rain. Standing crops are on the whole doing well. The average price of common rice has fallen as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder is generally sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from sixteen districts. The attendance of persons on test works in Singhbhum was 778. Gratuitous relief was given to 45 persons in this district. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—The week was practically rainless. Harvesting of autumn crops, picking of cotton, sowing of winter crops and preparation of land for poppy are in progress. Standing crops are doing well and their prospects are good. Agricultural stock is in good condition and less cattle disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient. Markets are well supplied. Prices remain practically stationary.

Punjab.—The weather remained dry. Picking of cotton and harvesting of rice, millets and maize are in progress with outturn normal to good. Standing cotton and sugarcane crops are in good condition. Sowings of wheat, barley, gram and oilseeds continue and are normal to above normal. Crops are germinating well. Cattle are healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Prices of wheat have risen slightly. Generally the prices range between normal and warning rates. Those of autumn food grains have in some cases fallen to below normal rates. Price of wheat :—Lahore 9¾, Lyallpur 10, Ferozepore and Rawalpindi 10¼ and Ambala 10¼ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—The week was rainless. Rain is required for autumn sowings on unirrigated areas in the Peshawar district. The weather is becoming cold. The condition of the standing irrigated and unirrigated crops is average in the Province. Sowings of spring and harvesting of autumn crops are proceeding. The outturn is reported to be average. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The Pabarpur canal is not running. The public health is generally good. Prices are high but stationary in Bannu. In Peshawar prices of wheat, barley and maize are rising and in Dera Ismail Khan those of *bajra* are falling.

Jammu.—No rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 14 and maize from 14 to 24 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. There is no cattle disease. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—There was no rain during the week. Agricultural operations for spring crops are in progress. Cattle are generally healthy. Prospects of autumn harvest are fair. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are normal.

Rajputana.—The weather is cool and clear. Standing crops are doing well. Harvesting of autumn and sowings for spring crops are in progress. Prospects are promising. The condition of agricultural stock is generally good. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are generally falling.

Central India.—The rainfall was general in Bhopal, Malwa and the Southern States, partial in Indore and Baghelkhand and sufficient everywhere. Land for spring crops is being prepared everywhere and sowings have commenced in Gwalior, Bundelkhand and Malwa. Standing crops and their probable outturn are good except in portions of Gwalior and Bhopal where crops have been damaged by excessive rain. Agricultural stock is in good condition except for some cattle disease. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are steady.

Central Provinces.—The weather continues to be warm and cloudy. Nearly all the districts received rain, ranging from 18 cents to 3¼ inches. Unseasonable rain has caused further damage to cotton and *juar* in Nagpur, Wardha and Berar and has retarded the harvesting of autumn and sowing of spring crops except for cotton and *juar*. Prospects are satisfactory. Fodder and water are sufficient and cattle are in good condition. Variations in prices are unimportant.

Feudatory States.—Light to moderate showers were received in the States. Standing crops are in good condition.

Bombay.—The rainfall during the week was general but harmful to standing crops in parts of Surat, Thana, Kolaba, Khandesh, Sholapur, five talukas of Poona and one taluka and one petha of the Panch Mahals. Harvesting of autumn crops generally continues. Plucking of cotton is progressing in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh and Ahmednagar. Sowing of spring crops generally continues. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of the Panch Mahals and Kaira. Prices of food grains have fallen slightly in the Karnatak, have risen in Sind and the Deccan and are generally steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—During the week rain fell throughout the dominions. The highest fall was 5 inches 30 cents in Manvi. The average fall was 1 inch 83 cents. Autumn crops are being harvested. They have been damaged somewhat by rain. Cotton crop also has suffered by rain. Autumn crops have been damaged by locusts in parts of the Raichur district. The early rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being harvested. It has suffered by rain and has been damaged by blight in parts of the Nalgonda district. Lands for spring crops are being sown. Cattle disease prevails in fifteen talukas, variations in prices of grains are insignificant. Coarse rice is selling at 9 and white *juar* at 15 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 10½ seers per rupee in Karimnagar and the lowest 25 seers per rupee in Mahbubnagar.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good in Bangalore, Kolar, Tumkur, Kadur and Chitaldrug and light elsewhere. The price of *ragi* has fallen in Kolar. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. *Ragi* and sugarcane are being harvested with outturn fair. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 3 inches 86 cents. Rice is in good condition. Picking of cardamoms continues. Reaping of dry crops in north Coorg has been completed. Prices of food grains are rising. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was *nil* or light in Coimbatore, Trichinopoly, Madura, Ramnad and Tinnevelly, fair in Tanjore, Pudukkottai and the Nilgiris, very heavy in Ganjam and Banganapalli, heavy in the Vizagapatam littoral, Kistna, Guntur, Kurnool, Nellore, Chingleput, South Canara and Cochin and good elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition but more rain is wanted in parts of one district. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowing of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water-supply is insufficient in parts of Anantapur, South Arcot, Chittoor, North Arcot and the southern parts except Tanjore and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is sufficient. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

Nepal.—*Report for the quarter ending 15th October 1916.*—The rainfall for the period was 25·25 inches against 30·56 inches for the corresponding period of last year.

July and August 1916.—Rice was transplanted in the Terai. Pears and apples were gathered in Nepal and the outturn was good.

September 1916.—Chillies, Indian corn and early rice were harvested in the hills and in the Nepal valley. The outturn was satisfactory.

October 1916.—Potatoes for the 1st crop, mustard and early winter vegetables commenced to be sown in Nepal. Millets and autumn rice are being harvested in the hills and valleys, and the sowing of garlic and onions is in progress. Lands are being prepared for the sowing of wheat, barley and peas for the spring crop. Market is well stocked but the prices of foodstuffs are high. The health of livestock is reported to be good.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts in which famine has been declared.

Name of Province or State.	Preceding week (revised).			Present week.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
British Provinces.							
(Bengal.)							
Bankura	3,449	1,204	4,653	1,737	1,204	2,941	—1,712

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

(FAMINE.)

ment showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in t. Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 21st October 1916.

Name of District or State.	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF.							TRACTS UNDER OBSE[RVATION AND TEST.]	
	Area affected in square miles.	Estimated population of area in column 3.	Number of persons employed on relief works.	NUMBER OF PERSONS ON GRATUITOUS AND SPECIAL RELIEF.			Grand total on relief.	Number of persons on test works.	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief
				Dependants of relief workers, relieved on works.	Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc.	Total.			
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
				BENGAL.					
Bankura	2,621	1,138,670	3,449	...	1,204	1,204	4,653	...	...
				BIHAR AND ORISSA.					
Singhbhum ...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	2,407	4

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

(TELEGRAPHS.)

RESOLUTION.

Simla, the 3rd November, 1916.

READ—

Letter from the Director General of Posts and Telegraphs, No. 991^{s}-B.P., dated the 26th October 1916, embodying the Administration Report of the Posts and Telegraphs of India for the year 1915-16.

Ordered that a copy of the letter be forwarded to His Majesty's Secretary of State for India and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India.*

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ANNUAL REPORT

ON

THE POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS OF INDIA

FOR THE YEAR

1915-16.

With a review of the progress of the Department for the quinquennial period 1911-12 to 1915-16.

No. 991^{s}-B.P., dated Simla, the 26th October 1916.

FROM—THE HON'BLE SIR WILLIAM MAXWELL, K.C.I.E., M.V.O., I.C.S., DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS,

TO—THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

I have the honour to submit the Annual Report on the Posts and Telegraphs of India for the year 1915-16. In accordance with the instructions of Government conveyed in the Finance and Commerce Department's letter No. 1830-S. R., dated the 11th April 1901, the report contains a review of the progress of the Department during the period from 1911-12 to 1915-16 and a comparison with the preceding quinquennial period.

2. The administration was in my hands up to the 26th June 1915 when I went on leave, and Mr. C. H. Harrison held charge for the rest of the year. Cha

POSTS—GENERAL REMARKS.

3. At the close of 1915-16 there were 95,746 postal officials, 19,328 post offices and 157,657 miles of mail lines. During the year 1,051 million articles, including 25½ million registered articles, were posted; stamps worth R 2 crores 91 lakhs were sold for postal purposes; over 32 million money orders of the total value of R 58½ crores were issued; a sum of nearly R 13 crores was collected for Gen

tradesmen and others on value-payable articles; more than 3 million insured articles valued at nearly R 7½ crores were handled; customs duty aggregating over R 10 lakhs was realised on parcels and letters from abroad; pensions amounting to nearly R 35 lakhs were paid to Indian military pensioners; 16,136 lbs. of quinine were sold to the public. On the 31st March 1916 there were 1,660,424 Savings Bank accounts with a total balance of nearly R 15⅓ crores and 25,808 Postal Life Insurance policies with an aggregate assurance of nearly R 3 crores 58 lakhs. The total revenue and expenditure for the year, after making the various administrative adjustments, amounted to R 3 crores 82 lakhs and R 3 crores 50 lakhs, respectively.

4. The whole internal administration of the Department was largely affected by the War but there was no dislocation of work. The services rendered to the public were not restricted to any extent despite the fact that a large postal staff was deputed to the various Expeditionary Forces nor was there any appreciable lessening of efficiency notwithstanding the exercise of strict economy in all directions.

The Savings Bank withdrawals which were so heavy at the beginning of the War have gradually decreased and, though there was a set back last winter, the deposits during the year as a whole exceeded the withdrawals and are now approaching normal conditions. For the first time the help of the Post Office was utilised by the Government of India in the floating of a loan and a sum of nearly R 50 lakhs was subscribed through the Post Office towards the 4 per cent. loan of 1915-16.

In consequence of the adoption of the new land-route *viâ* Talai-mannar for the transmission of mails between India and Ceylon from the 1st June 1915 the mail steamer service between Tuticorin and Colombo was abolished, resulting in a reduction of R 58,000 a year in the subsidy paid to the British India Steam Navigation Company.

Soon after the outbreak of hostilities, the overland route *viâ* Brindisi was closed, and all mails travelled by the all-sea route *viâ* Gibraltar. This arrangement continued until the beginning of June 1915, when the overland route *viâ* Marseilles was adopted for the exchange of letter mails with the United Kingdom and of both letter and parcel mails with France, the parcel mails for and from the United Kingdom continuing to travel *viâ* Gibraltar.

Two of the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's mail steamers, *viz.*, the "Persia" and the "Maloja," were sunk on their way to India. The "Persia" had on board the letter mails of the 24th December 1915 as well as the parcel mails of the 17th December 1915 from London, and the mail matter lost consisted of 8,464 ordinary parcels, 1,173 insured parcels and 2,338 letter bags. The "Maloja," which went down in the English Channel on the 27th February 1916, carried 763 bags of letters, 4,415 ordinary parcels and 1,071 insured parcels, all of which were lost. On the 24th March 1916, the cross channel steamer "Sussex" conveying mails from London for India was torpedoed but a considerable portion of the mails was subsequently recovered.

The Cunard liner "Lusitania" which was torpedoed and sunk off the south coast of Ireland on the 7th May 1915 had on board two mail bags containing letters for India which were lost.

Although a large number of the best steamers of the British India Steam Navigation Company were taken over by Government, that Company carried on the following services with regularity:—

1. Calcutta-Rangoon, weekly service ... ... (16 knots).
2. Calcutta-Rangoon " " ... ... (14 ").
3. Bombay-Karachi " " ... ... (15 ").
4. Karachi-Busra " " ... ... (13 ").
5. Rangoon-Mergui " " ... ... (10 ").
6. Bombay-Karachi " " ... ... (10 ").
7. Bombay-Durban, service once in 4 weeks ... ... (10 ").

Of these the first four are the most important. The less important lines were necessarily dislocated owing to the shortage of steamers, the sailings of vessels being fewer and at more or less irregular intervals on those mentioned below :—

1. Calcutta-Rangoon, weekly service	...	...	(12 knots).
2. Chittagong-Rangoon „ „	...	...	(12 „).
3. Madras-Rangoon „ „	...	...	(14 „).
4. Rangoon-Penang „ „	...	...	(12 „).

Owing to the same cause, the sailings of steamers on the remaining contract lines, as noted below, were discontinued from different dates :—

1. Karachi-Busra, weekly service ...	...	...	(10 knots).
2. Rangoon-Maliwun, fortnightly service	...	...	(9 „).
3. Moulmein-Penang „ „	...	...	(9 „).
4. Chittagong-Rangoon, weekly „	...	...	(12 „).

The subsidiary Persian Gulf service between Karachi and Busra was entirely suspended from the 15th November 1915. It was arranged, however, that the few ports on the Gulf which were thus deprived of a regular service should receive their mails by Government transports and private steamers. The Rangoon-Maliwun and Moulmein-Penang services were discontinued from the middle and end of August 1915, respectively, but in these cases also arrangements were made to serve the ports affected as often as possible by private vessels. One of the two weekly contract services between Chittagong and Rangoon was practically suspended throughout the year, there being only 5 sailings on the inward trip.

During the whole of the year the sorting of the inward and outward foreign mails was carried out in the Bombay General Post Office. That office also performed an enormous amount of work in connection with mails to and from the various Expeditionary Forces with which troops from this country were employed.

In consequence of the outbreak of War with Bulgaria all mail communication between India and that country was suspended. The letter mail service with the Bismarck Archipelago, Samoa (Apia), and the territory formerly known as German South-West Africa which had been under suspension was resumed after their conquest by our Forces. The insured letter, parcel and money order services to several countries had to be suspended, while other such services which had been under suspension were resumed.

The number of Postal officials on field service rose during the year from 539 to 787.

When the Indian Army Corps was in France the work of the Indian Field post offices attached to it was very heavy and for many months of 1915 about 23,000 letters and 2,000 parcels were conveyed daily to the troops. Arrangements were made to ensure prompt delivery and newspapers reached the soldiers at the front on the day of publication in England. On my way home in July 1915 I had an opportunity of seeing the working of these offices and on all sides there was nothing but praise for their efficiency. I regret to record that Mr. E. G. Bullard, Assistant Director, Postal Services, a very popular and capable officer, was killed by shell fire on the 1st August 1915, a few days after he had accompanied me to the Field offices.

Detailed information has not reached me regarding the operations of the Field post offices in East Africa. From the fact, however, that Mr. K. A. Appleby, Deputy Director, Postal Services, Indian Expeditionary Force "B," has been placed in charge of the postal arrangements of all the forces, British, South African and Indian, in that region there is every reason to believe that the work of the staff there has been satisfactory. I must here acknowledge the cordial assistance which has been readily given by Mr. Gosling, Postmaster-General, British East Africa.

The Postal Service in Mesopotamia was maintained with efficiency in spite of the great difficulties which had to be encountered. The length of the line to be served, the prevalence of sickness among the staff and the enormous bulk of the mails were factors which rendered the task of the Post Office more complicated but on the whole the arrangements were adequate.

The Indian Post Office served the units of the Indian Army in Egypt and for a great part of the year they also worked for other forces including units from Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom and even for a time the Egyptian Camel Corps. Mr. Hughes, Deputy Director, Postal Services, in charge of Force "E" has brought to my notice the great help he invariably received from H. E. Borton Pasha, Postmaster-General, Egypt.

During the Dardanelles operations Indian Field post offices were opened at Mudros Bay, Cape Helles, Suvla Bay and Anzac. The General Officer Commanding the 29th Infantry Brigade wrote with warm appreciation of the work of our men in Gallipoli, carried on as it frequently was under shell fire and in circumstances of great discomfort.

Field offices were also supplied to Aden, Salonika, etc., and for the operations on the North-West Frontier last summer.

The officer in charge of the postal arrangements of each of the Indian Expeditionary Forces has been mentioned in despatches and it is beyond doubt that the prestige of the Department has been greatly enhanced by the good work done in the different spheres of operations.

Special comforts, provided almost entirely from subscriptions within the Department to the "Post and Telegraph Comforts Fund," were sent to the members of the staff on service and were greatly appreciated.

pay. 5. Increases of pay were granted during the year to 4 head postmasters, 5 deputy postmasters, 139 sub-postmasters, 399 branch postmasters, 451 clerks and sorters, 2,388 postmen and village postmen 1,[illegible]87 runners and 646 other inferior servants.

The following table shows the number of officials of the classes noted above whose pay was raised during the last five years:—

Head postmasters	61
Deputy and assistant postmasters	35
Sub-postmasters and deputy sub-postmasters	1,957
Branch postmasters	2,308
Clerks and sorters	2,646
Postmen and village postmen	10,910
Runners	7,627
Other inferior servants	3,858

the ct. 6. The War necessarily affected the Peninsular and Oriental Company's mail service in many ways, but considering the difficulties of the situation India has every reason to be satisfied with the manner in which the contract was carried out as 103 out of 104 scheduled sailings were actually accomplished. All of the nine mails despatched from the United Kingdom during April and May and the three preceding mails were conveyed by the all-sea route and were due to arrive in Bombay early on Friday. Of these, 10 arrived up to time, one was a day in advance and one a day late.

The overland route *via* Marseilles was adopted for the letter mails in June 1915, Saturday being the due day of arrival of the mail steamer at Bombay. The first mail steamer which brought mails despatched by this route sailed from London on the 5th June and arrived at Bombay on the 26th June. Of the 40 mails due at Bombay under this arrangement, 5 arrived on the due date and 34 after some delay, while those sent by the "Persia" were lost with that steamer in the Mediterranean. In consequence of the sinking of the "Maloja" which left London on the 26th February 1916, a supplementary despatch of mails was made from London by the "Arabia" on the 3rd March 1916 and reached Bombay on the 24th idem. Thus during the whole year out of 53 mails for India only 2 were lost and 16 of the remainder were received at the appointed time. The regular arrival of the weekly foreign mail during a period when the Germans were making their utmost endeavours to sink British ships has brought home to the people of this country as nothing else could the real meaning of England's supremacy at sea.

As regards the sailings from Bombay, Saturday was the due date of departure until the end of June 1915 and 13 mails were despatched on that day From the beginning of July 1915 the sailings of the Homeward mail steamers were fixed for Sunday and of the 39 mails which were despatched under that arrangement 25 left on the due day, 12 a day late and 2 mails two days late.

The following table has been compiled from the particulars available as to the time occupied in the transit of the mail between England and Bombay in both directions :—

		London to Bombay.			Bombay to London.		
		Days.	Hours.	Minutes.	Days.	Hours.	Minutes.
By the all-sea route ...	Shortest time ...	18	13	41	20	22	32
	Average time ...	20	4	58	21	20	20
By the overland route *viâ* Marseilles ...	Shortest time ...	14	23	28	15	22	12
	Average time ...	17	11	18	17	7	56

POST OFFICES AND POSTAL COMMUNICATIONS.

7. There were 19,328 post offices and 49,684 letter-boxes at the close of the year, or 170 post offices and 380 letter-boxes more than on the 31st March 1915. The number of offices in charge of school-masters and other extra-departmental agents rose from 12,532 to 12,654. Post offices a[nd] letter-boxes. (*Appendix I, p[age] 32.*)

8. The total number of post offices was 16,775 in 1905-06 and 18,813 in 1910-11, while at the end of 1915-16 it was 19,328. The number in charge of extra-departmental agents such as school-masters and petty shopkeepers was 10,556 in 1905-06, 12,307 in 1910-11 and 12,654 at the close of the year under report. Growth of offices and facili[ties] for rural deliv[ery] since 1905-06.

There were 37,107 letter-boxes in 1905-06, 46,884 in 1910-11 and 49,684 in 1915-16.

The number of village postmen fell from 8,376 in 1905-06 and 8,380 in 1910-11 to 8,225 in 1915-16 but the decline is due to the substitution of postmen for village postmen. The total number of postmen and village postmen taken together was 23,279 in 1905-06, 25,651 in 1910-11 and 26,921 in 1915-16.

9. The length of all mail lines by road, rail, river or sea was 157,657 miles, representing a net increase of 984 miles, as detailed below :— Postal commu[ni]cations. (*Appendix I, 32.*)

	Runners and boats.	Railway.	Mail carts, horses, camels, etc.	Steamers.	Motor cars.	Total.
Mileage at close of 1915-16 ...	90,465	34,577	11,797	20,232	586	157,657
Increase (+) or decrease (—) ...	—514	+564	+307	+397	+230	+984

10. The length of postal lines of all classes taken together was 151,871 miles in 1905-06 and 157,657 miles in 1915-16. The greatest development was in respect of railway mail lines which rose from 27,683 to 34,577 miles or by about 25 per cent. As might have been expected, the expansion of Growth of postal communications since 1905-06.

the railway system and the substitution of mail cart and motor services have caused a reduction in the total length of runner and boat lines from 95,891 miles in 1905-06 to 90,465 miles in 1915-16. Mail cart lines, which include horse and camel posts, have increased from 8,845 miles in 1905-06 to 11,797 miles in the year under report. The figure 586 represents an annual travel of about six hundred thousand miles by motor car.

POSTAL ARTICLES AND POSTAGE STAMPS.

Statistics of postal articles.

(Appendix II, page 88.)

11. The total number of postal articles of all kinds, excluding money orders, transmitted during the year is estimated at 1,051 millions, being 8 millions more than in the preceding year, as detailed below:—

Classes of postal articles.	1915-16.	Increase (+) or decrease (—).	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—).
Articles of the letter mail.			
Paid unregistered letters	403,217,757	+2,226,125	+ ·56
Unpaid letters	25,702,585	—828,457	—3·12
Registered letters and packets (including insured and value-payable)	19,483,944	+534,289	+2·82
Postcards	478,456,743	+12,997,038	+2·79
"Registered" newspapers	59,581,349	—4,338,652	—6·79
Ordinary unregistered packets	52,094,573	—2,590,495	—4·74
Total ...	1038,537,251	+7,999,848	+ ·78
Articles of the parcel mail.			
Registered parcels	6,048,985	+467,290	+8·37
Unregistered parcels (including value-payable unregistered packets)	6,841,924	—121,228	—1·74
Total ...	12,890,909	+346,062	+2·76
Grand Total ...	1,051,428,160	+8,345,910	+ ·80

The diagram on the adjoining leaf shows graphically the growth of postal traffic in its principal branches since 1879-80.

Growth of inland correspondence since 1905-06.

12. It will be seen from the figures given in the statement on the next page that the estimated number of letters dealt with which was 320,866,443 in 1905-06 and 413,677,573 in 1910-11 rose to 448,404,286 in 1915-16. The number of postcards which was 324,260,499 in 1905-06 and 418,437,773 in 1910-11 reached 478,456,743 in 1915-16, while the number of "registered" newspapers which was 40,200,838 in 1905-06 and 49,252,161 in 1910-11 increased to 59,581,349 in the year under review. Altogether the Indian Post Office handled 1,051 millions of articles, excluding money orders, during 1915-16 which means that more than $3\frac{1}{2}$ million articles were carried on each working day.

Growth of inland parcel traffic since 1905-06.

13. The figures relating to parcels in the statement referred to in the preceding paragraph, which are not mere estimates but actuals, show that the number of inland parcels, which was 4,955,379 in 1905-06 and 6,861,927 in 1910-11, has now risen to 12,890,909. This latter figure, however, includes value-payable unregistered packets, which are treated as value-payable unregistered parcels for the purpose of the returns, as they are dealt with in the Parcel branch.

Delivery work.

14. It is computed that out of the total of 1,083 million articles and money orders which were posted 99·78 per cent. were actually delivered or paid as compared with 99·80 per cent. out of a total of 1,078 millions in the preceding year and 95·09 per cent. out of a total of about 754 millions ten years ago.

DIAGRAM SHOWING THE GROWTH OF
DIFFERENT CLASSES OF
POSTAL ARTICLES.
REFERENCES
Letters in 20 Millions
Newspapers in 2 Millions
Packets in 2 Millions
Money Orders in 2 Millions
Parcels in Millions
Total in 20 Millions
1082,709,391
925,328,387
59,501,349
57,585,761
31,261,231
8,908,713
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Classes of postal articles.	1905—06.	1910—11.	1911—12.	1912—13.	1913—14.	1914—15.	1915—16.	Increase (+) or decrease (—) during 1915-16 as compared with 1905—06.	Increase (+) or decrease (—) during 1915-16 as compared with 1910—11.
...tters { Paid	272,095,430	356,844,883	373,223,612	403,190,056	414,803,285	400,991,632	403,217,757	+131,122,327	+46,372,874
...tters { Unpaid	33,517,246	36,539,420	35,799,583	36,043,619	32,861,914	26,531,042	25,702,585	—7,814,661	—10,836,835
...tters { Registered (a)	15,253,767	20,293,270	17,175,338	16,930,256	19,405,923	18,949,655	19,483,944	+4,230,177	—809,326
...stcards	324,260,499	418,437,773	424,691,054	435,786,354	455,945,016	465,459,705	478,456,743	+154,196,244	+60,018,970
...tal letters and postcards	645,126,942	832,115,346	850,889,587	891,950,285	923,016,143	911,932,034	926,861,029	+281,734,087	+94,145,683
Registered" newspapers	40,200,838	49,252,161	52,612,161	54,956,826	56,422,275	68,920,001	59,581,349	+19,380,511	+10,329,188
...ok and pattern packets (b)	43,719,064	56,918,178	51,292,914	56,287,771	57,816,390	54,685,368	52,094,873	+8,375,809	—4,823,305
...tal articles of the letter mail	729,046,844	938,285,685	954,794,662	1,003,194,882	1,037,254,808	1,030,537,403	1,038,537,251	+309,490,407	+100,251,566
...rcels { Registered	3,308,014	4,587,354	4,821,451	5,216,177	5,820,328	5,581,695	6,048,985	+2,740,971	+1,461,631
...rcels { Unregistered (c)	1,647,365	2,274,573	5,776,617	6,377,386	6,846,844	6,963,152	6,841,924	+5,194,559	+4,567,351
...rcels { Total	4,955,379	6,861,927	10,598,068	11,593,563	12,667,172	12,544,847	12,890,909	+7,935,530	+6,028,982
...rand total (all postal articles except money orders)	734,002,223	945,147,612	965,392,730	1,014,788,445	1,049,921,980	1,043,082,250	1,051,428,160	+317,425,937	+106,280,548

(a) The figures under this head include registered packets (ordinary, insured and value-payable) since 1911-12.
(b) Only ordinary unregistered packets are shown under this head since 1911-12.
(c) The figures under this head include value-payable unregistered packets since 1911-12.

ead Letter
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15. The following details show the work done by Dead Letter Offices :—

	1914-15.	1915-16.
Postal articles received in Dead Letter Offices-total number	9,838,119	10,134,834
Redirected to addressees	40 per cent.	40 per cent.
Redirected to senders	39 per cent.	39 per cent.
Finally treated as undeliverable	2,190,840	2,319,718

In Bengal, Madras and Bombay alone 132 articles without address, many containing money or valuables, were posted every day on an average. In articles opened by the five larger Dead Letter Offices, cheques, hundis, currency notes, bills of exchange, coins and other property of the nominal value of about 11 lakhs of rupees were found and the great majority of these were successfully redirected to the addressees or the senders.

f Dead Letter since 1905-

16. A comparison of the results of the year under report with those of 1910-11 and 1905-06 shows that the percentage of the number of articles consigned to the Dead Letter Offices on the total number given out for delivery by post offices was ·96 in 1915-16, ·94 in 1910-11 and ·87 in 1905-06. In the matter of the number of articles disposed of by Dead Letter Offices by redirection to the addressees, the percentage on the total number received in the Dead Letter Offices was 39·98 in 1915-16 as compared with 33·47 in 1910-11 and 26·13 in 1905-06 which is satisfactory. As a further indication of progress, it may be observed that the percentage of the number of articles returned to the Dead Letter Offices as finally undeliverable on the total number issued by them for delivery to the addressees or senders, which was 7·31 in 1905-06 and 7·07 in 1910-11, fell to 2·53 in 1915-16.

eign correspondence.

17. As the entire foreign mail service was dislocated on account of the War, statistics of correspondence sent to and received from foreign countries during the year would have been of little value and were, therefore, not kept.

eign parcels.

18. The total number of parcels despatched by the foreign post from this country was 440,709 as compared with 356,161 during the previous year, and the total number of parcels received was 570,513 as compared with 437,572 in 1914-15. There was thus an increase of 23·74 per cent. in the number of export parcels and of 30·38 per cent. in the number imported.

The parcels sent to and received from the United Kingdom numbered 164,989 and 436,893 as compared with 118,056 and 314,838, respectively, during 1914-15. Besides 1,248 parcels were sent and 166 were received through the medium of the P. and O. Company.

rowth of foreign parcel post since 1905-06.

19. During the last ten years there has been a steady development of the foreign parcel post. The total number of foreign parcels received in India from all parts of the world rose from 289,070 in 1905-06 and 430,109 in 1910-11 to 570,513 in 1915-16, while the total number despatched increased from 235,408 in 1905-06 and 315,731 in 1910-11 to 440,709 in 1915-16.

(1) With the United Kingdom.

The parcel post with the United Kingdom occupies, as usual, by far the most important position, and the traffic in both directions for 1915-16 in

comparison with that for the years 1905-06 and 1910-11 is shown in the following statement:—

	1905-06.	1910-11.	1915-16.	Increase in 1915-16 over 1905-06.	Increase in 1915-16 over 1910-11.
Sent from India	118,865	125,392	164,989	46,124 or 38·80 per cent.	39,597 or 31·58 per cent.
Received in India	214,884	304,399	436,893	222,009 or 103·32 per cent.	132,494 or 43·53 per cent.

The growth of the parcel post between India and countries other than the United Kingdom during the past ten years will be seen from the statement below:— (2) With other countries.

	1905-06.	1910-11.	1915-16.	Increase in 1915-16 over 1905-06.	Increase in 1915-16 over 1910-11.
Sent from India	115,101	189,027	274,472	159,371 or 138·46 per cent	85,445 or 45·20 per cent.
Received in India	73,490	125,291	133,454	59,964 or 81·60 per cent.	8,163 or 6·51 per cent.

20. The aggregate value of stamps issued for sale was— Postage stamps. (*Appendix page 35.*)

Ordinary postage stamps and postal stationery ... R 4 crores 8 lakhs—increase R 20 lakhs.

Service postage stamps and postal stationery ... R 61¾ lakhs—decrease about R 1¼ lakhs.

The varieties of ordinary postage stamps and postal stationery which commanded specially high sales were as follow:—

	Number issued for sale in— 1914-15. (in millions.)	1915-16.
¼ anna single postcard ...	189	197
½ anna adhesive stamp ...	140	146
¼ anna adhesive stamp ...	141	126
1 anna adhesive stamp ...	78	81
Inland reply postcard ...	68	75
Small ½ anna envelope ...	66	69

The total number of stamp booklets sold was 2,719,986 as compared with 2,499,993 in 1914-15, the increase being 8·8 per cent. Trade advertisements are now printed on the covers and interleaves of these booklets.

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In addition to postage stamps, non-judicial and court-fee stamps are sold in many post offices, but except in Burma, postmasters act as private vendors of these stamps, which do not form part of the Post Office balance. In Burma where such stamps are kept by postmasters in the same way as postage stamps, the sales during the year amounted to R90,955 as against R79,016 in 1914-15.

Growth in sale of postage stamps since 1905-06.

21. The subjoined table shows the growth in the sale of postage stamps, etc., since 1905-06:—

	1905-06.	1910-11.	1915-16.	Percentage of increase in 1915-16 over 1905-06.	Percentage of increase in 1915-16 over 1910-11.
	R	R	R		
Ordinary postage stamps, etc. ...	2,00,89,227	3,24,89,132	4,08,33,657	103·26	25·68
Service postage stamps, etc. ...	33,10,886	50,81,420	61,70,166	86·36	21·43

The following figures may be of interest:—

	Number sold (in millions). 1905-06.	1910-11.	1915-16.
¼ anna single postcard	136	117	197
¼ anna ordinary adhesive stamp	114	201	126
½ anna ordinary adhesive stamp	95	118	146
1 anna ordinary adhesive stamp	41	71	81
Small ½ anna envelope	77	68	69
Inland reply postcard	29	35	75
Six anna adhesive stamp	·87	7	11

INSURED AND VALUE-PAYABLE POST.

Insurance business.

22. The number of insured letters and parcels posted was 3,086,354 of the aggregate declared value of nearly 74 crores of rupees, being an increase of 116,391 in number and a decrease of about half a crore in value. The insurance fees realised amounted to over 9¼ lakhs of rupees.

Growth of insurance business since 1905-06.

23. In no branch of the Department has there been such an expansion of business as in the case of insured letters and parcels and this steady development indicates, among other things, the confidence with which the Post Office is regarded by the people.

The total number of insured letters and parcels was 550,770 in 1905-06, 1,169,428 in 1910-11 and 3,086,354 in the year under review.

The number of insured letters was 199,679 in 1905-06, 621,416 in 1910-11 and 2,377,448 in 1915-16. The average amount for which each letter was insured was R 232 in 1905-06, R 216 in 1910-11 and R 246 in 1915-16.

The number of parcels insured was 351,091 in 1905-06, 548,012 in 1910-11 and 708,906 in 1915-16, representing a percentage of 7·09 in 1905-06, of 8·00 in 1910-11 and of 5·97 in 1915-16 on the total number of parcels of all kinds posted. The average amount for which each parcel was insured fell from R 283 in 1905-06 and R 245 in 1910-11 to R 216 in 1915-16.

Claims for compensation.

24. The number of claims for compensation received in respect of insured articles was 335 of which 140 were admitted as well-grounded. The total amount paid as compensation was R 32,835 as against R 27,251 in 1914-15. Recoveries to the extent of R 13,924 were, however, made, so that the net loss to the Department was R 18,911 as compared with R 11,697 in the preceding year.

Value payable bus ness.

25. The total number of value-payable articles posted advanced from 9,632,787 to 9,653,213 or by ·21 per cent. and the aggregate amount specified for recovery rose from ₨ 12,54,09,275 to ₨ 12,92,58,531.

Progress of valu payable busine since 1905-06.

26. There has been a steady increase in value-payable work during the last ten years. The number of articles sent by the value-payable post was 5,716,000 in 1905-06, 7,355,000 in 1910-11 and 9,653,000 in 1915-16. The amount declared for recovery was approximately six crores in 1905-06, eight and three quarter crores in 1910-11 and thirteen crores or well over eight and a half million pounds sterling in 1915-16. The number of value-payable articles posted in the City of Calcutta was 1,472,393 in 1905-06, 2,144,145 in 1910-11 and 2,494,448 in 1915-16, and the amount realised was a crore and 79 lakhs in 1905-06, over 2½ crores in 1910-11 and a little more than 3 crores in 1915-16. 174 lakhs were collected during 1915-16 for the tradesmen of Bombay.

The average value of a value-payable article was ₨ 10-9 in 1905-06, ₨ 11-4 in 1910-11 and ₨ 13-6 in 1915-16.

Progress of value payable busines with Ceylon sin 1905-06.

27. The number of value-payable articles sent from India to Ceylon was 54,232 in 1905-06, 59,522 in 1910-11 and 150,098 in 1915-16. The number of such articles sent from Ceylon to India was 2,056 in 1905-06, 3,561 in 1910-11 and 3,524 in 1915-16.

MONEY ORDERS.

Money order bus ness generally. (Appendix V (a page 36).

28. The total number of money orders of all kinds, inland and foreign, issued was over 32 millions of the aggregate value of ₨ 58½ crores as compared with 30 million money orders for ₨ 56 crores in the preceding year.

Inland money order (Appendices (b) and V (pages 37 and 38

29. More than 31 million inland money orders, ordinary and telegraphic, for a total sum of nearly 54 crores of rupees were issued on which well over 61½ lakhs of rupees were realised as commission. There was an increase over the previous year of 6·70 per cent. in number and of 4·61 per cent. in value. These figures afford the most eloquent tribute of the people's confidence in our triumph over our enemies.

Telegraphic mon orders. (Appendix V (b) page 37).

30. The number of telegraphic money orders issued rose from 773,777 to 866,970, while their total value increased from ₨ 5 crores 64 lakhs to ₨ 5 crores 76 lakhs. The commission realised was ₨ 5,95,726 as compared with ₨ 5,82,956 in the preceding year.

Growth of inlan money order busi ness since 1905-06

31. Statistics of the inland money order transactions of 1915-16 in comparison with those of the years 1905-06 and 1910-11 will be found in the statement below :—

		1905-06.	1910-11.	1915-16.	INCREASE IN 1915-16 OVER	
					1905-06.	1910-11.
Number (issues)	Ordinary ...	19,405,840	24,372,017	30,414,261	11,008,421	6,042,244
	Telegraphic ...	216,597	409,830	866,970	650,373	457,140
	Total ...	19,622,437	24,781,847	31,281,231	11,658,794	3,499,384
		₨	₨	₨	₨	₨
Amount (issues)	Ordinary ...	30,91,41,776	38,46,66,733	48,15,82,856	17,24,41,080	9,69,16,123
	Telegraphic ...	2,22,95,027	3,38,46,711	5,76,34,650	3,53,39,623	2,37 87,939
	Total ...	33,14,36,803	41,85,13,444	53,92,17,506	20,77,80,703	12,07,04,062
Commission	Ordinary ...	35,90,690	45,24,822	55,73,120	19,82,430	10,49,298
	Telegraphic ...	2,34,283	3,45,377	5,95,726	3,61,443	2,50,349
	Total ...	38,24,973	48,70,199	61,68,846	23,43,873	12,98,647

The total number of inland orders issued was about 19½ millions in 1905-06, about 24¾ millions in 1910-11 and is now over 31¼ millions.

The number of money orders sent by telegraph rose from 216,597 in 1905-06 and 409,830 in 1910-11 to 866,970 in 1915-16. The increase for the five years ending with 1915-16 was 457,140 as compared with 193,233 for the preceding quinquennial period. The advantages afforded by this system for remitting money expeditiously have always been more fully appreciated in Burma than elsewhere. In 1905-06 the number of telegraphic money orders issued from that province was 95,520 or 44·10 per cent. of the total number of such orders. For 1910-11 the corresponding figures were 180,006 and 43·92, while for 1915-16 they were 393,838 and 45·43, respectively.

The average amount of an inland money order was R16-14 both in 1905-06 and in 1910-11 and now stands at R 17-3.

reign money orders
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32. In the sterling exchanges which are in force with the United Kingdom and British Dominions and with foreign countries generally, the total number of money orders sent and received was 170,765 of the aggregate value of £1,170,444 as against 170,940 orders for £1,148,258 in the preceding year.

Foreign rupee money orders which are exchanged with Ceylon, the Portuguese Settlements in India and countries and places in East Africa and the Far East rose from 452,324 to 507,672 in number and from R 2 crores 8 lakhs to R 2 crores 19 lakhs in amount.

Remittances to India exceeded those from this country, the balance in India's favour being about £327,000 on sterling money orders and R 1,86,00,000 on foreign rupee orders. In the case of the sterling money order exchanges the largest amounts were received from the United Kingdom (£215,4[illegible]6), Union of South Africa (£205,439), Italy (£134,311), Egypt (£72,360) and New South Wales (£2[illegible],272), and in the case of the rupee exchanges from Ceylon (R 106 lakhs), the Federated Malay States (R37 lakhs), the Straits Settlements (R 27 lakhs) and British East Africa (R15 lakhs).

owth of foreign money order business since 1905-06.

33. The comparative statement below shows the growth of the foreign money order business during the last ten years :—

			1905-06.	1910-11.	1915-16.	Increase in 1915-16 over	
						1905-06.	1910-11.
Issues	Number	...	234,058	251,945	274,667	39,709	22,722
	Amount	R	91,73,362	1,02,69,104	1,14,48,807	22,75,445	11,79,703
Payments	Number	...	439,023	599,836	766,696	327,673	166,860
	Amount	R	2,20,23,810	3,12,35,541	3,59,69,893	1,39,46,083	47,34,352

In 1905-06 direct money order exchanges were in existence with 34 countries and money could be remitted by post to 112 other countries. In spite of the War, there are now direct exchanges with 33 countries and money orders can also be sent to 98 other countries or places.

) With the United Kingdom.

The most important exchange has always been that with the United Kingdom. The number of money orders issued by India for payment in the United Kingdom was 104,001 in 1905-06, 106,149 in 1910-11 and 91,237 in 1915-16, the amounts being £339,886, £360,812 and £382,386, respectively. The number of money orders received from the United Kingdom for payment in India was 27,414 in 1905-06, 40,536 in 1910-11 and 35,745 in 1915-16 and the sums remitted amounted to £110,152, £344,178 and £215,496, respectively. These issues and payments were supplemented by the sale and payment of British postal orders, particulars of which are given in a separate paragraph. The decrease in the number of money orders issued by this country for payment in the United Kingdom and in the number and value of money orders received

from the United Kingdom for payment in this country is due to the popularity of British postal orders for small remittances.

(2) With other countries.

Excluding the United Kingdom, the countries on which the greatest numbers of money orders are now drawn in India are Portuguese India and Ceylon, while in the matter of remittances to India the lead is taken by Ceylon, the Federated Malay States and the Straits Settlements. Details of the money orders exchanged between India and these countries during the years 1905-06, 1910-11 and 1915-16 are given in the following statement :—

	1905-06.		1910-11.		1915-16.	
	Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.
			Issued by India.			
		R		R		R
Portuguese India	15,106	5,75,971	18,626	7,54,396	18,477	7,07,097
Ceylon ...	12,247	3,99,261	13,939	4,97,180	14,955	5,77,573
			Paid in India.			
Ceylon ...	136,967	39,27,070	228,716	67,34,914	331,673	1,06,57,276
Federated Malay States	18,083	11,29,893	45,594	29,69,745	49,679	37,12,467
Straits Settlements	36,123	18,70,269	38,308	21,74,223	42,546	27,81,848

Growth of British postal order business since 1905-06.

34. The following statement shows the growth of the British postal order business since 1905-06 :—

		1905-06.	1910-11.	1915-16.	Percentage of increase in 1915-16 over 1905-06.	Percentage of increase in 1915-16 over 1910-11.
British postal orders sold in India.	Number ...	178,385	360,084	408,074	128·76	13·33
	Value including poundage £	120,616	240,376	279,853	132·02	16·42
Net commission realised by the Indian Post Office on British postal orders issued and paid R		9,374	13,425	17,862	90·55	33·05
British postal orders paid in India.	Number ...	4,785	87,404	187,335	3,815·05	114·33
	Value £	*3,002	57,948	97,791	3,157·69	68·77
British postal orders sold in India for payment in India.	Number ...	*1,339	11,202	17,036	1,117·73	52·08
	Value £	*887	5,068	10,401	1,072·60	83·50

*Represents figure for six months only, as the system of paying British postal orders in India came into operation on the 1st October 1905.

POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK.

General results. (Appendix VI, page [illegible].)

35. The number of active accounts was 1,660,424 representing an increase of ·99 per cent. The total balance at the credit of depositors rose from over R14¾ crores to nearly R15⅛ crores, or by 2·88 per cent. The average balance at the credit of a depositor was R92 as compared with R90 in 1914-15.

Transactions in Government securities.

36. Investments in Government securities through the Post Office are shown in the following statement:—

	GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES (Nominal value).			INVESTMENT CERTIFICATES FOR FRACTIONAL AMOUNTS OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES (Nominal value).	
	Purchased	Sold	Held in custody of Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs, on behalf of depositors.	Purchased.	Sold.
	R	R	R	R	R
	21 72,200	8,96,100	1,69,70,600†	3,70,671	3,08,678
Increase (+) or decrease (—) ..	—17,84,000	—6,25,600	+ 44,97,800	—1,46,323	—1,97,208
Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—)	—45·09	—41·11	+ 36·06	—28·30	—38·98

†Inclusive of R37,00,100 of the Terminable Loan of 1915-16.

Financial result of working the Post Office Savings Bank.

37. An estimate of the financial result of working the Savings Bank is subjoined in accordance with Resolution No. 2428, dated the 13th May 1902, of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department:—

Receipts.	Amount.	Expenditure.	Amount.
	R		R
Interest at 3¼ per cent. per annum on total balance at credit of depositors.	52,90,366	Interest actually paid to depositors ...	43,20,211
		Estimated cost of managing the Bank	5,38,150
Total ...	52,90,366	Total ...	48,58,361

38. The statement below shows the Saving Bank transactions of 1915-16 as compared with those of the years 1905-06 and 1910-11:— Growth of [illegible] Bank business [illegible] 1905-06.

		1905-06.	1910-11.	1915-16.	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) during 1915-16 as compared with 1905-06.	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) during 1915-16 as compared with 1910-11.
Number of Head Banks	...	293	260	255	—12·96	— 1·92
Number of Sub-Banks	...	7,778	8,669	10,131	+30·25	+16·86
Number of accounts.	Opening balance ...	1,058,813	1,378,916	1,644,074	+55·27	+19·22
	Opened during the year ...	317,584	287,144	177,297	—44·16	—38·25
	Closed during the year ...	260,589	235,609	160,947	—38·23	—31·63
	Closing balance ...	1,115,758	1,430,451	1,660,424	+48·82	+16·08
		R	R	R		
Opening balance	...	13,40,70,130	15,86,71,786	14,89,36,828	+11·08	— 6·14
		(a)	(b)	(c)		
Transactions.	Deposits	6,72,24,393	8,20,70,810	9,45,29,262	+40·61	+15·18
	Interest	39,51,135	46,22,858	43,20,211	+ 9·34	— 6·54
	Total	20,52,45,658	24,53,65,454	24,77,75,796	+20·72	+ ·98
	Withdrawals	(a) 6,53,19,399	(b) 7,61,77,230	(c) 9,45,63,279	+44·77	+24·13
Closing balance	...	13,99,26,259	16,91,88,224	15,32,12,517	+ 9·49	— 9·44
Average balance at credit of each depositor.		130·88	118·28	92·27	—29·47	— 21·9

(a) Inclusive of R 1,61,69,738-9-6 }
(b) „ „ R 2,16,50,134-8-3 } representing the balance of accounts transferred from one post office to another.
(c) „ „ R 1,72,17,302-0-3 }

39. The following statement furnishes details of the purchase and sale of Government promissory notes through the agency of the Post Office for the year 1915-16 in comparison with those for the years 1910-11 and 1905-06. The nominal value of Government promissory notes held in the custody of the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs, was R1,69,70,600 at the close of 1915-16, R70,92,900 at the close of 1910-11 and R28,22,300 at the close of 1905-06. Transactions in [illegible] ernment secur[illegible] since 1905-06.

	1905-06.	1910-11.	1915-16.	Increase (+) or decrease (—) during 1915-16 as compared with	
				1905-06.	1910-11.
Number of investments ...	2,894	2,841	2,162	—732	—679
Nominal value of investments R	16,77,300	16,63,000	21,72,200	+4,94,900	+5,09,200
Number of sales	289	800	864	+575	+64
Nominal value of securities held in custody of Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs R	28,22,300	70,99,900	1,69,70,600	+1,41,48,300	+98,70,700

MISCELLANEOUS POST OFFICE MATTERS.

Office Guarantee Fund. (...ndix VII, ...ge 41.)

40. The surplus of receipts over charges against the Guarantee Fund was R18,933 as compared with R4,223 in 1914-15. The amount decreed against the Fund was R15,099 as compared with R19,556 in the previous year. A sum of R3,729 was paid in compassionate gratuities to deserving postal officials and their families as compared with R13,731 in 1914-15.

The balance of the fund was R11,48,772.

...plaints by the ...blic.

41. The total number of complaints made by the public was 72,929 as against 71,184 in 1914-15. Of the complaints received 38 per cent. were found to be justified as compared with 37 per cent. in 1914-15, while 32,413 or 44 per cent. proved to be groundless. In the remaining cases, either no definite conclusion could be arrived at or the investigation had not been completed by the end of the year.

...pensation for un...ured registered ...icles.

42. Compensation amounting to R1,861 was paid during the year in respect of inland uninsured registered letters, packets and parcels lost or damaged in course of transmission by post.

...ces by postal ...cials. (...endix VIII, ...ge 42.)

43. The number of postal officials dealt with for criminal offences was 491, of whom 288 were convicted in court and the remainder punished departmentally as against 476 offenders and 264 convictions in the preceding year. The defalcations and losses amounted to R93,288 as compared with R1,21,244 in 1914-15. The heaviest amount stolen was a sum of R39,000 taken from a safe in the Bombay General Post Office but the offender was speedily detected and the stolen money recovered in full. By the end of the year adjustments had been effected to the extent of R80,371 of which only R2,729 was written off.

...ces by other ...sons.

44. The offences against the Post Office committed by persons not belonging to the Department, included 14 cases of money order fraud, involving a sum of R826 and 6 cases of fraudulent withdrawal from the Savings Bank of sums amounting to R1,488. There were 121 cases of theft of Government money from mails and post offices, in addition to highway robberies which are dealt with in the next paragraph. The total amount stolen was R9,060 of which R3,812 was recovered and R1,562 written off as finally lost, R3,686 remaining unadjusted at the close of the year.

...way robberies of ...ils.

45. There were 28 cases of highway robbery, three of which were attended with the murder of the mail carriers.

A runner in the Malabar district was done to death while in charge of the mails. The mail bag was cut open and a remittance of R150 which it contained carried off. The robbers were not traced.

A runner carrying mails on the Murree to Kehror line in the Rawalpindi district was murdered and the contents of the mail including R518 in cash and stamps taken away. The Police succeeded in recovering everything except R500 in cash but no trace of the criminals could be found. An extraordinary pension of R3 a month was granted to the eldest son of the deceased runner.

A runner carrying mails from Khajuri Kach to Murtaza in the Wano Agency was shot dead by outlaws who removed the whole mail which, however, contained nothing of value.

In two other cases which occurred in the Chagai district of the Baluchistan Agency the raiders carried off not only the mails but also the sowars who were conveying them together with their camels. The sowars were subsequently released unhurt.

Of the total number of attacks 23 occurred in British Territory and 5 in Native States. The mail was entirely recovered in 4 and partly in 16 cases, the ultimate loss to Government amounting to R2,734. Convictions were obtained in four out of the eight cases in which prosecutions were instituted.

46. There were several accidents to mail runners in Kashmir. One fell over a precipice on the Kargil-Skardu line and was killed, another was buried in an avalanche on the Zojila, while a third was severely injured by an avalanche on the Gilgit line. Of other postal servants who met their death on duty one was drowned, one was bitten by a snake, one died from the effects of a carriage accident and one was run over by a train at a level crossing. *Other casualties.*

47. On the 31st March 1916 the total number of postal officials was 95,746 as compared with 95,433 at the close of 1914-15 and 93,062 at the close of 1910-11. The figure includes 266 pensioned soldiers of the Indian Army and 109 women of whom 96 were Europeans or Eurasians. *Post Office staff.*

The number of officials dismissed was 518 against 471 in the previous year. Of this number 261 were postmen or village postmen.

48. The most important building completed during the year was the Administrative Office at Lucknow, and among other projects finished were the post offices at Chittagong, Bhagalpur, Delhi Cantonment and Bareilly and quarters for the postal staff at Aden. *Buildings.*

49. The revenue obtained from post offices situated in the Kashmir and Jammu State was R2,47,919 as compared with R2,40,773 in 1914-15 and R2,51,278 in 1913-14, while the expenditure amounted to R2,80,124 as against R2,59,689 in 1914-15 and R2,41,406 in 1913-14, the actual deficit during the year being R32,205. The growth in expenditure was chiefly owing to the increase in the subsidy for the Murree-Srinagar tonga line. *Financial results working the pо in Kashmir.*

The average annual deficit for the five years ending with 1915-16 was R15,092.

NON-POSTAL BRANCHES OF THE POST OFFICE.

50. There were 1,676 new Life Insurance and Endowment Assurance policies of the aggregate value of R20,86,352 as against 1,864 for R26,15,393 in 1914-15. The number taken by pure Asiatics was 1,556, and one was obtained by a woman making 29 female policy holders in all. *Post Office Insurance Fund. (Appendices IX (a), IX (b) and X, pa 43, 44 and 45.)*

Three new contracts for monthly allowances were entered into, the amount secured being R15-8-0.

One Life Annuity was also purchased from the Post Office under Article 807 of the Civil Service Regulations.

The total sum realised on account of premia on old and new policies taken together amounted to R14,37,346 as compared with R14,17,975 representing the revised figure for the previous year. Claims to the extent of R9,43,312 were discharged as compared with R9,22,216 in 1914-15, while 786 policies for a gross sum of R7,55,942 lapsed or were surrendered or cancelled.

The statement below shows the progress of the Post Office Insurance Fund since 1905-06 :—

		Up to 31st March 1906.	Up to 31st March 1911.	Up to 31st March 1916.
Number of lives insured ...	...	13,409	24,663	34,745
Amount received in premia ...	R	44,70,875	93,60,700	1,60,95,776
Amount of insurance ...	R	1,95,36,841	3,37,89,699	4,69,25,552
Amount of claims met ...	R	14,03,981	34,09,883	71,95,556

The number of active policies and contracts in existence at the end of the three quinquennial periods, and the aggregate amounts of insurance and allowances represented by them, are detailed in the following statement :—

	On 31st March 1906.	On 31st March 1911.	On 31st March 1916.
Number of active policies in existence	11,483	20,247	25,808
(a) held by Post Office servants	4,506	8,606	10,458
(b) held by servants of other Departments	6,977	11,641	15,350
Aggregate amount of insurance ... R	1,69,20,817	2,81,25,099	3,57,75,594
Number of monthly allowance contracts in existence	107	103	78
	R A. P.	R A. P.	R A. P.
Amount of allowances contracted for	1,060 3 8	1,009 10 1	802 7 6

…ceipt of salt revenue.

51. The Post Office acted as an agent for the receipt of salt revenue at certain selected offices in the Punjab and North-West Frontier, United Provinces, Bihar and Orissa, Bengal and Assam, and Central Circles. As shown by the following figures, there has been a marked increase in this class of business during the last five years :—

		1915-16.	1914-15.	1910-11.
Post offices authorised to receive salt revenue	No.	291	277	301
Indents received ...	"	4,028	3,522	1,739
Quantity of salt indented for	Mds.	1,202,749	1,072,128	524,455½
Value of salt indented for	R	14,85,548	12,55,054	5,97,508
Postal commission realised ...	R	2,8[illegible]	2,301	1,090

52. The Post Office obtained 16,136 lbs. of quinine for sale to the public during 1915-16 as compared with 5,885 lbs. in 1905-06 and 9,488 lbs. in 1910-11. This business has thus nearly trebled during the past decade. Sale of quinine

53. The number of men of the Indian Army whose pensions were paid through the agency of the Post Office in the Punjab and North-West Frontier Province was 54,965 as compared with 43,000 in 1914-15, the amount disbursed being R34,78,496 against R31,65,381 in the previous year. The Post Office received R26,089 as commission for this special service. As the following figures will show there has been an appreciable increase in this business during the last ten years. Payment of I[ndian] military pensions

	1905-06.			1910-11.			1915-16.		
Number of pensioners paid ...	30,774			37,324			54,965		
	R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.
Amount paid	22,02,910	0	0	26,41,685	0	1	34,78,495	10	1
Commission to Post Office ...	16,521	13	0	19,812	4	2	26,088	11	6

FINANCIAL RESULTS OF THE POST OFFICE.

54. The Post Office Accounts show the following results :— Financial position of the Post Office. (*Appendix page 46.*)

	Receipts.	Charges.	Surplus.
	R	R	R
1914-15	3,52,14,962	3,10,00,069	42,14,893
1915-16	3,67,63,238	3,16,53,791	51,09,447

After allowing for the sum of R6,81,325 charged against the Post Office in the Finance and Revenue Accounts of the Government of India and after making the usual adjustments, notably in connection with free services rendered by or to the Department, the net surplus was R32,11,264 as compared with R29,73,847 representing the revised figure for the previous year. This amount is exclusive of any credit for the maintenance of unremunerative post offices and lines required for military or political purposes.

55. In 1905-06, the receipts, as shown in the Post Office Accounts, amounted to 2 crores and 47½ lakhs of rupees. By 1910-11, they had risen to 2 crores and 99½ lakhs and for the year that ended on the 31st March 1916 they amounted to 3 crores and 67½ lakhs. There was thus a total increase in revenue of 52 lakhs during the period ending with 1910-11 and of 68 lakhs during the last five years. Review of the financial position for last ten years.

The expenditure of the Department, as shown in the Post Office Accounts, was 2 crores and 7½ lakhs in 1905-06, 2 crores and 84 lakhs in 1910-11 and 3 crores and 16½ lakhs in 1915-16.

TELEGRAPHS—GENERAL REMARKS.

56. At the close of the year under review the total number of telegraph officials was 10,756 of whom 150 were women. There were 10,482 telegraph General survey.

offices including 8,592 which were open to the public. The latter comprised 196 departmental offices, 3,288 combined post and telegraph offices, 5,084 railway and 24 canal offices. The number of departmental offices fell from 280 in 1905-06 to 279 in 1910-11 and 196 in 1915-16. This gradual reduction is principally due to conversions to combined post and telegraph offices with a view to the reduction of working expenses.

The total number of telegrams transmitted over the lines of the Department rose from 11,578,870 in 1905-06 to 13,335,058 in 1910-11 and to 18,129,748 in 1915-16.

The number of signalling operations entailed in the despatch of all telegrams from the office of origin to the office of destination was 56,048,978 in 1905-06, 67,031,378 in 1910-11 and 88,983,206 in 1915-16.

The telegraph system was extended by 1,943 miles of line and 7,687 miles of wire and cable, these figures representing increases of 2·31 and 2·33 per cent., respectively, on the totals of the preceding year.

On the 31st March 1906 the system consisted of 64,730 miles of line and 243,840 miles of wire. During the quinquennial period ending with 1910-11 there was an increase of 10,098 miles of line and 48,161 miles of wire, while the last five years showed increases of 11,239 and 45,719 miles, respectively. This development is largely due to the growth of the telephone system.

The number of instruments of all kinds rented from the Department was 29,877 of which 6,693 were on railways, 1,512 on canals and 21,672 on private lines, including telephones. The numbers rented at the end of 1905-06 and 1910-11 were 13,048 and 20,690, respectively. The increase during the quinquennial period ending with 31st March 1911 was thus 7,642 and during the past five years 9,187.

The total receipts of the Telegraph Department were ₨1 crore 86 lakhs against working charges amounting to ₨1 crore 42 lakhs. The chief items of revenue were fees on telegrams ₨ 1,36,68,000, claims from railways and canals ₨ 29,85,000; claims from guarantors ₨1,00,000, rent for telephone connections ₨10,28,000 and royalties from telephone companies ₨ 1,01,000.

Statistics maintained by 75 of the principal offices showed that 33 per cent. of the telegrams handed in were transmitted within 10 minutes of acceptance and 52 per cent. within 20 minutes, also that 69 per cent. of the telegrams received for delivery were sent out to the addressees within 10 minutes of receipt.

57. The amalgamation of the Post Office and the Telegraph Department referred to in paragraph 42 of the Report for 1914-15 has worked satisfactorily on the whole and there is no doubt that the complete separation of the Engineering and Traffic duties has resulted in greater efficiency. The fact that both services are under a common head and that the departmental telegraphists as well as the postal signallers are all under the orders of the Postmasters-General has undoubtedly facilitated the temporary transfer of postal officials to telegraph offices, thus rendering it possible to comply with the heavy demands from the field for experienced telegraph operators with the minimum amount of inconvenience to the general public and without the delay which would necessarily have been caused by the inter departmental references incidental to transfers of staff between two separate administrations. No reorganisation could have been subjected to a more severe test than that imposed by the War on the scheme for amalgamating the postal and telegraph services and, although a number of minor points relating to the exact degree of responsibility and control to be exercised by the telegraph engineers still remain to be settled, it is certain that the amalgamation will prove a success from an administrative point of view. The different branches of the service now co-operate in a manner which would be impossible with two separate administrations and no serious difficulties have arisen with regard to the general system of organisation. The subordinate staff of the Telegraph service have just begun to realise that the new system affords greatly improved prospects of promotion to the more capable men both in the Traffic and in the Engineering branch and

that the number of higher appointments which can be filled from their ranks will increase gradually as the scheme comes into fuller operation.

With effect from the 1st December 1915 a reduction of twelve annas a word was made in the rate for both State and Private telegrams exchanged between India and Mesopotamia and of two annas a word in the rates for similar telegrams between India on the one side and Persia and the Persian Gulf on the other. From the 15th idem a new rate of three annas a word was introduced for the exchange of Press telegrams between India and Mesopotamia.

Certificates in telegraphy were granted to 42 soldiers and 483 post office clerks.

The Central Telegraph Office at Bombay was moved into the old General Post Office building in March without any dislocation of traffic.

The Co-operative Credit Societies at various Central Telegraph Offices have as a whole continued to do useful work and show steady progress. A Society was started at Karachi in November 1915 which has also progressed well. The formation of a junior Co-operative Society in the Bombay Telegraph Office for the benefit of the delivery peons and line staff is under contemplation.

The sum of R60,864 was disbursed to the members of the signalling establishment as overtime allowance for disposal of work outside the ordinary hours of duty, as compared with R 33,017 in the preceding year. The increase was caused by the expansion of traffic and the shortage of staff. It is interesting to note that the telegraphists of the Ootacamund telegraph office refused to claim the overtime allowance to which they were entitled, and asked that this might be taken as their contribution to the need of the country during this time of war.

The sum of R 1,55,156 was earned by telegraphists as "pie-money" or remuneration for messages disposed of in excess of certain standards as compared with R 1,34,598 in the preceding year and R 1,26,526 in 1910-11.

The Telegraph Branch of the Department had additional work thrown upon it in nearly every section in consequence of the War. In effect its main activities related to War work, either directly in supplying personnel and material for employment in connection with the various Expeditionary Forces that have been despatched from this country, or indirectly, in dealing with the very large amount of State traffic, both foreign and inland, or in providing additional lines and telephones. The numbers of telegraph officials who were on field service in Mesopotamia and British East Africa at the end of the year are shown below :—

Superior officers	10
Deputy superintendents, telegraph masters, inspecting telegraphists, telegraphists, clerks and telephone operators. ...	320
Sub-inspectors, linemen and workmen	1,750

All of these with the exception of the workmen are permanent employees of the Department and it will be easily realised that the deputation of such large numbers from cadres which are just sufficient for peace time requirements resulted in a heavy strain being thrown upon the rest. It may be mentioned, however, that every single demand from the Field was complied with. In addition, a number of men were lent to the Indo-European Telegraph Department.

The total value of telegraph stores issued during the year was R12,18,000 and this included large quantities supplied for military telegraph purposes. Mr. Thompson, Superintendent of the Telegraph Workshops, who undertook the manufacture of munitions, etc., on a considerable scale, has reported that over 40 gentlemen gave their help in running machines at night until workmen could be obtained in sufficient numbers to keep the machines going continuously

night and day. At this juncture it is not possible to enter into details regarding the actual work performed in the various fields of military operations but I am satisfied that everywhere our staff rose to the occasion and efficiently met all demands made on them. Both in Mesopotamia and East Africa climatic conditions were extremely severe and there was necessarily a great deal of sickness among the working parties. The officials of all ranks, however, displayed great devotion to duty and the excellence of their work is shown by the fact that a considerable number of them have been mentioned in despatches from the General Officers Commanding. I cannot speak too highly of the way in which the staff, both traffic and engineering, in this country have carried out their duties. The shortage of telegraphists and the volume of work which had to be dealt with rendered it necessary to resort to overtime and it was not possible to grant leave freely yet there was little or no grumbling and all the staff did their utmost to keep the service efficient.

INLAND TELEGRAMS.

[I]nland telegrams. ([Ap]pendix XV (1), [page] 54.)

58. The inland telegrams dealt with show an increase over the preceding year of 1,158,289 or about 8 per cent. in number and of 5,89,473 or about 6 per cent. in value.

[G]rowth of inland [tele]grams since [1905]-06.

59. During the last ten years there has been a steady expansion in the number of these telegrams although the deferred telegram was abolished with effect from the 1st January 1909. The number rose from 9,354,283 in 1905-06 to 11,673,131 in 1910-11 and to 16,077,308 in 1915-16, while the value fell from R 69,30,551 in 1905-06 to R 67,52,194 in 1910-11 but rose to R 1,05,32,295 in 1915-16 partly as the result of the abnormal increase in the value of State telegrams owing to the War.

State telegrams increased by 5 per cent. in number but their value decreased by 1 per cent. during 1915-16. During 1905-06 the number of such telegrams dealt with was 857,606 with a value of R 16,01,954 as against 989,459 and R 8,78,675 in 1910-11 and 1,737,901 and R 23,39,430 during the year under review. The abnormal increase over the figures of 1910-11 is mainly due to the large number of lengthy messages necessitated by the War.

The number of private telegrams increased by 7 per cent. during 1915-16 and their total value by 8 per cent. During 1905-06 the number of such telegrams dealt with was 8,452,806 with a value of R 52,11,797 as against 10,541,418 and R 57,19,954 in 1910-11 and 13,996,050 and R 79,25,254 during 1915-16. The outbreak of War checked the normal growth of this class of traffic, but the check was only temporary, and the total number of inland private telegrams is not appreciably less now than it would have been in ordinary circumstances.

The number of press telegrams showed an increase of 4 per cent. during 1915-16 and their value rose by 3 per cent. During 1905-06 the number of such telegrams was 43,871 with a value of R 1,16,799 as against 142,257 and R 1,53,565 in 1910-11 and 343,357 and R 2,67,612 during 1915-16. The growth is due partly to the War and partly to the normal expansion of newspaper activities.

The average value of a state telegram was R 1·877 in 1905-06, R 0·888 in 1910-11 and R 1·346 in 1915-16; of a private telegram R 0·616 in 1905-06, R 0·542 in 1910-11 and R 0·566 in 1915-16; and of a press telegram R 2·662 in 1905-06, R 1·079 in 1910-11 and R 0·778 in 1915-16.

Inland telegraphic money orders. (Appendix XV (2), page 54.)

60. There has been a rapid growth in inland telegraphic money order business. The number of such orders increased from 214,004 in 1905-06 and 370,885 in 1910-11 to 880,483 in 1915-16, while the telegraph charges realised

on them amounted to R 2,00,232 in 1905-06, R 1,91,288 in 1910-11 and R 4,04,033 in 1915-16.

61. Steady progress has been made in mechanical high speed Telegraph systems during the past five years. There has been a considerable expansion of the Baudot system and Duplexed Baudot has been successfully worked. In the Wheatstone system keyboard perforators have been introduced and their use has been extended whenever possible. Creed Receivers and Creed Printers, which mechanically transcribe the received Wheatstone signals, have also been installed in some of the important offices and have proved very successful. Apparatus.

62. The total number of combined post and telegraph offices open on the 31st March 1916 was 3,288 with a staff of 4,833 signallers as compared with 3,199 offices and 4,815 signallers at the close of the previous year. The net increase in the number of combined offices was 89 as against 52 in 1914-15. Combined po[st and] telegraph offices.

Excluding free messages, the number of telegrams sent from combined offices increased from 9,775,672 to 10,619,964 or by 8 per cent. The revenue rose from R 56,10,106 to R 59,34,410 or by 5 per cent., while the working charges were R 16,04,602 as against R 15,66,180 in 1914-15 or an increase of 2 per cent. The number of telegrams delivered by such offices was 8,923,738 as against 8,215,825 in the preceding year.

63. The statement below shows the development of the combined office system during the last ten years. There was an increase of 1,259 in the number of such offices accompanied by an increase of more than 11 millions in the number of telegrams dealt with by them. The cost of maintenance increased by R 7,28,120, while the revenue collected rose from R 29,20,347 in 1905-06 to R 35,24,830 in 1910-11 and R 59,34,410 in 1915-16. Development [of] the combined system since 190[5].

Year.	Number of combined offices open on 31st March.	Number of messages (sent, received and transit) dealt with by combined offices.	Total approximate cost of working combined offices.	Revenue realised.
			R	R
1905-06	2,029	10,823,667	8,76,482	29,20,347
1910-11	2,577	13,354,418	12,11,159	35,24,830
1915-16	3,288	21,914,142	16,04,602	59,34,410

64. In addition to the messages sent and received from combined post and telegraph offices, 79,011 telegrams were accepted by other post offices for transmission by post to telegraph offices and the revenue realised on them was R 41,444. The corresponding figures for 1914-15 were 77,625 and R 43,771. Postal rec[eiving] offices.

The total number of telegrams received at post offices in the Persian Gulf for the Indo-European Telegraph Department was 495 as against 320 during 1914-15 and fees to the amount of R 6,678 were levied as compared with R 2,821 in the previous year.

FOREIGN TELEGRAMS.

65. The total number of foreign telegrams dealt with rose from 1,271,347 containing 19,219,818 words in 1914-15 to 1,465,580 containing 25,838,649 words in 1915-16, there being an increase of 15 per cent. in the number of telegrams and of 34 per cent. in the number of words. The total value was R 30,52,939 as compared with R 25,81,245, an increase of 18 per cent. Foreign tele[grams] generally. (Appendix X, page 55.)

State foreign telegrams advanced by 74 per cent. in number, 96 per cent. in words and 84 per cent. in value.

Private foreign telegrams paid *at full rates* showed an increase of 2 per cent. in number, 17 per cent. in words and 2 per cent. in value. The slight increase was mainly due to the tendency of trade to return to normal conditions.

Private foreign telegrams at deferred (half) rates increased by 180 per cent. in number, 200 per cent. in words and 192 per cent. in value. The abnormal increase is mainly due to the more extensive use by the mercantile community of this cheaper class of telegrams owing to the restrictions imposed on the use of private commercial codes.

Week-end telegrams at one-fourth rates exchanged with soldiers, sailors and nurses serving with the Allied forces numbered 10,872, contained 158,628 words and represented a value of R 6,352.

Press foreign telegrams showed an expansion of 4 per cent. in number, 7 per cent. in words and ·68 per cent. in value.

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66. During the past ten years there has been a marked development in the foreign telegraph traffic. In 1905-06 the number of foreign telegrams was 1,106,834 containing 11,965,675 words and the receipts amounted to R 23,15,802. In 1910-11 there were 1,417,094 telegrams with 13,726,563 words and a value of R 25,01,601 while in 1915-16 the number was 1,465,580 comprising 25,838,649 words and representing a value of R 30,52,939. The increase during the last ten years was confined almost entirely to state foreign telegrams which increased from 15,963 containing 393,951 words with a value of R 73,426 in 1905-06 to 16,986 telegrams containing 469,370 words with a value of R 63,529 in 1910-11 and to 62,307 telegrams containing 2,961,778 words with a value of R 4,98,560 during 1915-16.

In the case of private foreign telegrams there has been practically no increase in the receipts since 1913-14, but there was a remarkable expansion prior to the outbreak of War and the number of such telegrams rose from 1,082,937 containing 5,863,176 words with a value of R 22,00,853 in 1905-06 to 1,385,363 telegrams containing 7,339,228 words with a value of R 24,02,704 in 1910-11. In 1915-16 the number of telegrams declined to 1,381,182 but the number of words rose to 21,302,305 and the value increased to R 25,24,380. The growth, which would undoubtedly have been greater if there had been no War, is mainly attributable to the various reductions in the charges for foreign telegrams effected during the past ten years. The most important of these were :—

(1) The reduction, from the 1st August 1905, in the rate for private foreign telegrams between India and Europe from R 1-14 to R 1-8 a word.

(2) Reductions of from 7 annas to 13 annas a word in the charges for telegrams between India and China from the 1st June 1905.

(3) The introduction of deferred foreign telegrams at half the rates for private foreign telegrams from the 1st January 1911.

(4) The reduction, from the 1st September 1912, in the rate for private telegrams between India and Ceylon from 8 annas a word to the rate for Indian inland express telegrams.

(5) The reduction in the rate for private telegrams between India and the United Kingdom from R 1-8 to R 1-4 a word, from the 1st May 1914.

(6) The introduction of week-end telegrams from the 1st May 1914. This service has been temporarily suspended except in the case of telegrams sent to or by soldiers, sailors and nurses.

The total number of press foreign telegrams increased from 7,931 containing 589,437 words with a value of R 41,523 in 1905-06 to 14,745 of 1,261,153 words and a value of R 35,368 in 1910-11 and 22,091 telegrams comprising 1,574,566 words and representing a value of R 30,000 in 1915-16. The gradual decrease in value is explained by the following reductions in foreign press telegram charges during the ten years:—

(1) The reduction in the rate between India and the United Kingdom from 12 annas to 9 annas a word from the 1st August 1909.

(2) The reduction in the rate between India and the United Kingdom *viâ* the Eastern Telegraph Company's lines from 9 to 4 annas a word from the 1st October 1912.

(3) The reduction of 2 annas a word in the rates between India and the United States of America from the 1st May 1914.

(4) The reduction of 4 annas a word in the rates between India and Australia, Tasmania and New Zealand from the 16th March 1915.

Telegrams and telegraphic money order advices exchanged with Ceylon.

67. The number of telegrams originating in India for delivery in Ceylon and *vice versâ* was 243,339, an increase of 7 per cent. over the previous year.

The number of telegraphic money order advices exchanged with Ceylon was 42,661 as compared with 36,421 in the preceding year, an increase of 17 per cent. The advices exchanged during 1905-06 and 1910-11 numbered 20,854 and 18,455, respectively.

Mixed postal and telegraph service with the United Kingdom.

68. The mixed postal and telegraph service between India and the United Kingdom was temporarily discontinued in January 1916.

Interruptions to telegraphic communication with foreign countries.

69. The cable communication with Europe *viâ* Suez was maintained without any interruption throughout the year. The routes to Europe *viâ* Teheran and *viâ* Turkey have remained interrupted since the 31st July 1914 and the 2nd November 1914, respectively.

Communication with Siam over the Moulmein-Bangkok line *viâ* Kanburi was interrupted beyond the Indian frontier for 395 hours as compared with 104 hours in the previous year, and within the Indian frontier for 434 hours as against 208 hours in 1914-15. The route *viâ* Raheng was interrupted for 816 hours beyond India and 146 hours within India as against 381 and 8 hours, respectively, in the foregoing year.

The Bhamo route to China was interrupted beyond India for 619 hours as against 1,201 hours in the preceding year, and within India for 47 hours as against *nil* in 1914-15.

There was no interruption of communication with Australia *viâ* Madras.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

Progress in wireless system.

70. The number of wireless stations in India and Burma has increased from 9 in 1910-11 to 19 in 1915-16.

The number of messages dealt with by the nine coast stations rose from 54,123 in 1910-11 to 83,719 in 1915-16.

Working of wireless stations.

71. There were no serious breakdowns and all stations continued to work satisfactorily except during periods of atmospheric disturbance.

TELEPHONES.

Progress in provision of telephonic communication.

72. The expansion of the telephone business has been maintained in spite of the War.

New public exchanges were opened at Asansol and Amritsar; and non-departmental systems were installed at Bilaspur, Dewan, Dhubri and Mirzapur. Refitting and overhauling were carried out at Cuttack, Loyabad, Ootacamund, Ranchi and Rangoon. A new Central Battery switchboard of the latest type was installed at Madras, and the Darjeeling system was also improved.

One hundred extra lines were provided for in the Simla automatic exchange, which has developed very rapidly and a further extension is already required urgently.

Telephone statistics.

73. The gross rental of all telephones provided by this Department, excluding those supplied to railways and canals, was R 9,75,983 in the calendar year 1915, against R 8,54,435 during the preceding year and R 5,37,045 in the year 1910, an increase of over 81 per cent. in five years. There are now 226 telephone exchanges owned and maintained by Government of which 61 are worked by this Department, and the number of connections at the end of 1915 was 4,556. The total number of telephones owned by Government and rented to various departments and to the public was 8,115 at the end of 1915, representing an increase of 11 per cent. over the previous year and of 93 per cent. over 1910.

Telephone exchanges established by companies.

74. The systems managed by licensed companies have also progressed greatly. There are now 13 main exchanges with 10,766 connections, the corresponding figures at the end of 1914 being 11 and 9,710, respectively. The increase for the year was 9·2 per cent. and for the last five years 105 per cent. The rental of these systems rose from R 11·1 lakhs in 1910 to R 19·5 lakhs in 1915.

CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.

Line construction and maintenance.

75. The only important new works carried out during the year were the erection of lines for train control purposes between Allahabad and Tundla and between Bandel and Burdwan for the East Indian Railway and from Sara to Santahar for the Eastern Bengal Railway.

Considerable inconvenience was caused in the Aligarh district of the United Provinces and in the vicinity of Calcutta by frequent thefts of copper wire.

The chief feature in connection with telegraph and telephone line work during the past five years has been the substitution of underground cable for overhead wires. The cable wire mileage which was 628 in 1905-06 and 4,062 in 1910-11 rose to 10,354 in 1915-16.

TELEGRAPH STORES AND WORKSHOPS.

Telegraph stores.

76. The value of the stock at the beginning of the year was R 48,01,436 and stores to the value of R 43,20,889 were received, of which R 13,79,031 represented the value of stores imported from England ready for issue, R 12,02,366 the value of stores transferred from the Telegraph Workshops and R 2,60,923 the cost of stores purchased in India. The issues during the year represented R 46,70,767, of which R 13,61,233 appertained to stores transferred to other Government Departments or sold to the public. The value of the stock in hand on 31st March 1916 was R 44,51,558.

Close attention has been paid to contingent expenditure in recent years and the cost of handling is now only two-thirds of what it was five years ago. This result is due chiefly to the reorganisation of the stores branch in 1911, and to the improved arrangements and methods of handling adopted since that time.

77. During the last five years the Telegraph Workshops have made not-ble progress with regard not only to output but also to the adoption of econo-nical methods of work. Te'eg shops.

The value of the outturn rose from ₨ 9,32,000 in 1910-11 and 12,77,000 in 1914-15 to ₨ 14,73,0C0 in 1915-16, the highest figure yet tained.

The total annual output of castings of all kinds rose from 1,800 tons in)10-11 to 2,400 tons in 1915-16 and it has been found necessary to enlarge id rearrange the tube-making and galvanising shops and to erect a new undry of nearly double the capacity of the old one. By a reorganisation of bour and by improvements in design the expenditure on casting has been duced by about ₨ 15 per ton, resulting in a saving of ₨ 30,000 per inum.

58 steel masts of 264 feet in length and over 30 masts of smaller size have en made since 1910-11 for wireless stations, 14 of the former and seven of ie latter having been turned out during 1915-16. A new pattern of lattice ast designed in the Workshops has also been constructed in large numbers.

In the instrument branch there has been great development, the number the principal instruments manufactured having risen from 3,400 in 1910-11 8,000 in 1915-16. There has been a steady expansion of wireless telegraphy nce 1910 and from that year the Workshops have been engaged constantly in aking wireless apparatus of all kinds. Five complete sets of wireless nding and receiving apparatus were manufactured during 1915-16. Two sets apparatus were manufactured for the Pilot Brigs and four permanent 5-K.W." sets, four smaller permanent sets, and four mobile sets besides rge quantities of auxiliary apparatus were designed and manufactured during ie year.

The number of instruments repaired has also increased in proportion. The ost remarkable expansion in this branch has been in connection with tele-hones and the new and intricate types of Automatic telegraph apparatus.

In 1913-14, the Post Office started a Motor mail service in Calcutta and ie fleet consisting of 8 cars and lorries is maintained and repaired by the Tele-aph Workshops.

The value of raw materials and stores consumed for all purposes was 6,45,500 in 1910-11 and ₨ 11,26,000 in 1915-16, the increase in respect local purchases being from ₨ 2,15,000 to ₨ 3,54,000.

FINANCIAL RESULTS OF THE TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

78. The Telegraph Accounts for the last three years show the following sults :— Finai of the Depart

	Receipts.	Revenue charges.	Surplus.
	₨	₨	₨
13-14	1,55,50,430	1,37,01,971	18,48,459
914-15	1,70,59,934	1,40,66,947	29,92,987
15-16	1,85,77,748	1,42,26,782	43,50,966

* Revised figures.

Revenue charges include gratuities, leave allowances paid out of India and the average capitalised value of pensions paid to telegraph officials, while the receipts include the *pro formâ* value of news-free and concessional traffic. No credit is, however, taken for the services rendered by the Department in the care and maintenance of large quantities of mobilisation telegraph stores which are kept at the disposal of the military authorities at various centres; nor is any allowance made for the very heavy expenditure, both initial and recurring, that has been incurred in connection with the erection and upkeep of the various wireless stations for which there is practically no monetary return.

The capital account of the Department was increased by R 17,95,925 during 1915-16 and stood at R 12,72,47,181 by the end of the year.

PERSONAL MATTERS, ETC.

etc. 79. The following officials of the Post Office and Telegraph Department have been mentioned in despatches for meritorious service in the Field :—

POSTAL.

Mr. H. S. H. Pilkington, M.V.O. ...	Director, Postal Services, Indian Expeditionary Force " A."
Mr. A. J. Hughes ...	... Deputy Director, Postal Services, Indian Expeditionary Force " E."
Mr. C. J. E. Clerici, C.I.E. ...	... Assistant Director, Postal Services, Indian Expeditionary Force " D " (twice).
Mr. C. H. McMinn ...	... Deputy Director, Postal Services, Indian Expeditionary Force " G ."
Mr. K. A. Appleby ...	... Deputy Director, Postal Services, Indian Expeditionary Force " B."
Mr. J. H. E. Cook ...	... Assistant Director, Postal Services, Indian Expeditionary Force " A. "
Mr. E. G. Bullard ...	... Assistant Director, Postal Services, Indian Expeditionary Force " A " (since killed).
Mr. W. B. Roderick ...	... Base Postmaster, Indian Expeditionary Force " A. "
L. Kanshi Ram ...	... Deputy Base Postmaster, Indian Expeditionary Force " A. "
Mr. Jainti Pershad ...	... Field Postmaster, Indian Expeditionary Force " A. "

TELEGRAPHS.

Mr. E. L. Bagshawe, C.I.E. ...	... Director of Telegraphs, Indian Expeditionary Force " D. "
Mr. G. B. Power ...	... Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs, Indian Expeditionary Force " D. "
Mr. A. P. Manning ...	... Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs, Indian Expeditionary Force " B. "
Mr. F. Rowland ...	... Deputy Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, Indian Expeditionary Force " D. "
Mr. W. E. Johnson ...	... Deputy Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering Indian Expeditionary Force " D. "

Mr. I. Packwood	... ...	Unattached List Telegraphist, Indian Expeditionary Force "B."
Mr. W. C. Hanvey	... ...	Telegraphist, Indian Expeditionary Force "D."
Sher Khan	... ...	Sub-Inspector, Telegraphs, Indian Expeditionary Force "D."
Bagwan Singh	... ...	Sub-Inspector, Telegraphs, Indian Expeditionary Force "D."
Narayan Singh	... ...	Lineman, Telegraphs, Indian Expeditionary Force "D."
Mabub	... ...	Workman, Telegraphs, Indian Expeditionary Force "D."

Mr. E. V. Arklie, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, was severely burnt during the fire which occurred in the Telegraph storeyard at Busra on the 1st January 1916 in a gallant attempt to rescue Mr. Sherratt, Telephone Inspector, who was inside the godowns and lost his life.

Among many others who have performed brave acts, I may mention the case of Jaga Haja, sweeper, who was drowned in an attempt to save a packer who had fallen into the river near Busra. Mr. Shujath Ali was highly commended for the help he rendered to the Medical authorities in conveying wounded men down the river Tigris.

Notwithstanding the heavy demands for men for the various fields of military operations and the extra responsibilities imposed on the Department on account of Censorship and other exigencies of war as well as the abnormal expansion of Government and Press telegraph traffic, the business of the Department proceeded just as smoothly and efficiently as in normal times. To this result the staff of every rank contributed, and it affords me the greatest gratification to record that their loyalty, zeal, and devotion to duty were never more conspicuous than in this year of stress.

It is satisfactory to note that the net surplus of the Department as a whole was the largest on record, the amount being over R 75 lakhs as compared with only about R 60 lakhs for each of the last two years.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

APPENDICES.

…es of Circles.	Number on 31st March 1915.			Number on 31st March 1916.			Railway.		Mail carts, Horses, Camels, etc.		Runners and Boats.		Steamer Services—Sea and River.		Motor services.		Total.	
	Post offices.	Letter-boxes.	Village postmen.	Post offices.	Letter-boxes.	Village postmen.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1914-15	1915-16.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1914-15.	1915-16.
							Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
…sam	3,556	10,142	489	3,608	10,286	473	20	20	276	241	16,391	16,157	2,421	2,626	85	113	19,193	19,157
... ...	3,008	9,709	1,355	3,028	9,726	1,368	37	37	1,739	1,848	14,221	13,793	6,256	6,256	10	61	22,263	21,995
... ...	3,531	8,678	1,513	3,553	8,576	1,496	...	...	1,667	1,750	17,365	17,196	2,077	1,949	165	178	21,214	21,073
…ces	2,318	6,760	1,966	2,345	6,809	1,979	...	...	1,013	1,013	8,984	9,075	...	...	...	...	9,997	10,068
…orth-West Frontier ...	3,238	6,031	1,538	3,251	6,069	1,534	...	...	4,505	4,754	11,635	11,706	...	...	...	...	16,140	16,460
…ma	1,263	3,425	291	1,271	3,394	294	...	...	10	10	8,320	8,291	44	24	42	42	8,416	8,367
... ...	435	2,316	332	432	2,395	337	1,585	1,592	1,041	1,020	1,789	1,778	8,230	8,215	114	160	12,759	12,765
... ...	1,809	1,961*	729	1,840	2,143	744	...	...	1,239	1,161	12,274	12,469	...	...	...	32	13,513	13,662
Service	...	282	...	...	286	...	32,371	32,928	...	...	...	...	807	1,162	..	...	33,178	34,090
Total ...	19,158	49,304*	8,213	19,328	49,684	8,225	34,013	34,577	11,490	11,797	90,979	90,465	19,835	20,232	356	586	156,673	157,657
…+) or decrease (—) ...	...	...	...	+170	+380	+12	...	+564	...	+307	...	—514	...	+397	...	+230	...	+984

* Revised figure.

…f post offices and letter-boxes *(including the letter-boxes at post offices) in relation to area and population and number of postal articles (excluding money orders) in relation to population.*

Names of Circles.	Area in square miles.	Census of 1911.		One post office serves—			One Letter-box serves—			Total number of postal articles (excluding money orders).	Number of postal articles per head of—	
		Population.	Literate population.	Square miles.	Population.	Literate population.	Square miles.	Population.	Literate population.		Population.	Literate population.
…sam	148,381	53,453,419	3,912,534	41	14,815	1,084	11	3,838	281	206,333,949	3·86	52·74
... ...	203,125	28,117,115	2,099,198	67	9,616	693	16	2,275	164	†213,224,309	7·32	101·57
... ...	182,111	69,920,175	4,515,546	51	19,679	1,271	15	5,741	371	191,277,558	2·74	42·36
…ces	161,896	48,014,080	1,659,107	69	20,475	707	18	5,211	180	115,670,566	2·41	69·72
…orth-West Frontier	295,160	31,975,747	1,123,052	91	9,836	345	31	3,407	120	153,109,027	4·79	136·33
…ma	111,829	38,435,293	1,477,799	88	30,240	1,163	24	8,193	315	55,711,277	1·45	37·70
... ...	236,738	12,141,676	2,670,678	548	28,106	6,183	84	4,295	945	37,840,981	3·12	14·17
... ...	282,614	36,422,117	1,030,424	154	19,795	560	71	9,133	258	68,547,508	1·88	66·52

	Assam.			Provinces.	Frontier.	Orissa.			Service.	1915-16.	1914-15.
ter mail—											
ered letters	76,940,285	81,413,484	82,221,534	40,678,312	51,180,186	21,666,181	22,705,568	25,410,570	1,001,637	403,217,757	400,991,632
s	5,131,921	2,688,636	2,539,570	4,872,375	2,579,986	2,089,860	3,835,758	1,964,479	...	25,702,585	26,531,042
ters and packets { Ordinary	2,677,928	2,020,323	3,168,876	2,149,205	2,425,952	845,499	776,815	1,051,315	152,958	15,268,871	14,930,571
Value-payable ...	517,770	390,861	250,032	265,567	223,139	48,238	88,113	56,198	...	1,839,918	1,796,056
rs	526,951	218,083	782,030	239,809	282,747	172,467	57,889	95,179	...	2,375,155	2,223,028
... ...	94,749,975	110,380,345	79,441,765	53,843,097	78,553,718	25,138,788	3,361,972	32,625,449	361,634	478,456,743	465,459,705
" newspapers	12,309,861	10,544,774	10,851,978	6,368,426	8,942,260	2,949,568	3,061,146	3,945,584	607,743	59,581,349	63,920,001
egistered packets	9,968,193	10,358,637	9,908,352	5,773,362	6,942,602	2,550,471	3,394,127	3,038,559	160,570	52,094,87[illegible]	54,685,368
Total ...	202,822,884	218,015,143	189,164,137	114,190,153	151,130,599	55,461,072	37,281,388	68,187,333	2,284,542	1,038,537,251	1,030,537,403
arcel mail—											
istered parcels	767,667	685,766	524,592	416,140	701,685	121,026	288,651	196,821	...	3,702,348	3,277,068
els	114,487	172,590	106,909	57,762	86,128	18,482	58,558	51,622	...	666,538	716,191
e registered parcels	590,249	307,314	297,984	186,273	156,206	11,543	110,899	19,631	...	1,680,099	1,588,436
egistered parcels	147,364	188,575	167,101	96,835	60,468	13,219	7,438	27,728	...	708,728	714,857
e unregistered parcels and packets ...	1,891,298	1,283,414	1,016,835	723,403	973,941	85,935	93,997	64,373	...	6,133,196	6,248,295
Total ...	3,511,065	2,637,659	2,113,421	1,480,413	1,978,428	250,205	559,543	360,175	...	12,890,909	12,544,847
GRAND TOTAL ...	206,333,949	220,652,802	191,277,558	115,670,566	153,109,027	55,711,277	37,840,931	68,547,508	2,284,542	1,051,428,160	1,043,082,250
r of articles deposited as "dead," *i.e.*, as undeliverable to either the addressees or the senders ...	1,121,468	178,184	198,416	115,692	394,849	...	134,056	177,053	...	2,319,718	2,190,840

APPENDIX III.

Number of articles dealt with by Dead Letter Offices.

of Dead Letter Offices.	RECEIVED FOR DISPOSAL.*					Total for 1915-16.
	Unregistered letters and postcards.	"Registered" newspapers.	Unregistered packets.	Registered letters, post-cards and packets.	Parcels.	
... ...	1,029,355	21,957	84,512	28,483	13,979	1,178,286
... ...	2,817,499	100,144	197,223	32,300	42,086	3,189,252
... ...	1,791,670	22,493	26,906	9,632	8,331	1,859,032
... ...	1,348,727	9,573	20,627	13,738	10,054	1,402,719
... ...	1,078,732	23,830	47,709	92,983	34,939	1,278,193
... ...	399,795	2,345	3,098	4,667	1,732	411,632
... ...	784,356	4,797	11,680	9,308	5,579	815,720
Total (a) ...	9,250,134	185,139	391,750	191,111	116,700	10,134,834
delivery to addressees ...	3,905,257	42,980	78,386	11,144	14,083	4,051,850
on total (a)	42·22	23·21	20·01	5·83	12·07	39·98
delivery to senders ...	3,305,726	130,372	266,881	166,880	96,335	3,966,194
on total (a)	35·74	70·42	68·13	87·32	82·55	39·13
) and (2)	7,210,983	173,352	345,267	178,024	110,418	8,018,044
on total (a)	77·96	93·63	88·14	93·15	94·62	79·11
elivered to addressees or senders	7,016,952	173,071	344,381	171,946	108,766	7,815,116
f (4) on (3)]	97·31	99·84	99·74	96·59	98·50	97·47
s undeliverable ...	194,031	281	886	6,078	1,652	202,928
f (5) on (3)	2·69	·16	·26	3·41	1·50	2·53
originally as "dead," i.e., as s to either the addressees or	2,039,151	11,787	46,483	13,087	6,282	2,116,790
f (6) on total (a) ...	22·04	6·3	11·86	6·85	5·38	20·89
ited as "dead" ...	2,233,182	12,068	47,369	19,165	7,934	2,319,718
f (7) on total (a) ...	24·14	6·52	12·09	10·03	6·80	22·89

very denomination issued from treasuries.

ps.

2½-anna Stamps.	3-anna Stamps.	4-anna Stamps.	6-anna Stamps.	8-anna Stamps.	12 anna Stamps.	1-rupee Stamps.	2 rupee Stamps.	3-rupee Stamps.	5-rupee Stamps.	10-rupee Stamps.	15-rupee Stamps.	25-rupee Stamps.	*½ anna Booklets.	*1-anna Booklets.	*½ and 1-anna combined Booklets.	POSTAL SERVICE STAMPS. Total of all kinds.
2,7·7,888	6,013,650	6,553,310	9,508,159	4,062,[illegible]89	1,314,727	2,528,400	413,019	119,5[illegible]	337,770	137,012	69,417	36,465	36,113,184	16,451,472	8,237,736	124,927
4,23,358	11,27,550	16,35,327	36,75 060	20,31,544	9,56,085	25,2[illegible] 4[illegible]0	9,[illegible],638	3,55,530	11,0[illegible],850	13,70,420	10,41,255	9,11,625	11,28,537	10,28,217	3,48,239	16,777
1·11	2·90	4·22	9·47	5·23	2·54	0·51	2·28	·92	3·0[illegible]	3·54	2·08	2·35	2·91	2·65	·88	·05
2,795,752	6,247,210	6,720,780	10,642,063	4,410,727	1,478,607	2,952,[illegible]57	576,341	34,035	273,418	155,536	70,505	33,500	38,903,144	18,146,176	8,883,792	64,798
4,36,835	11,71,353	16,61,697	39,90,774	22,05,364	11,09,029	28,52,057	11,32,682	1,04,956	13,67,063	15,55,410	11,52,075	8,37,500	12,15,692	11,34,136	3,70,158	23,768
1·07	2·87	4·12	9·77	5·40	2·72	6·98	2·77	·26	3·35	3·81	2·82	2·05	2·98	2·78	·91	·06

nt their number. R

... ... 4,08,33,657

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Number and gross value of ordinary and serv

(1) Or

	¼-anna Inland Postcards.	½-anna Inland Reply Postcards.	1-anna Foreign Postcards.	2-anna Foreign Reply Postcards	¼-anna Wrappers.	1-anna Wrappers.	½-anna Envelopes.	½-anna Commercial Envelopes.
Number of stamps issued	1[illegible]5,[illegible]46,018	67,924,621	65,243	1,732	241,450	3,58[illegible]	65,593,9[illegible]6	635,370
Value of stamps issued R	29,58,531	21,22,614	4,078	216	8,803	2[illegible]2	2[illegible],50,153	23,904
Percentage of value on gross value of stamps of all kinds issued ...	7·62	5·47	·01	...	·02	...	5·3[illegible]	·06
umber of stamps issued	197,295,303	75,334,800	56,470	2,553	272,150	5,368	68,665,208	815,126
alue of stamps issued R	30,82,739	23,54,213	3,529	319	9,023	363	21,45,788	28,020
ercentage of value on gross value of stamps of all kinds issued ...	7·65	5·77	·01	...	·02	...	5·25	·07

	¼-anna Newspaper Envelopes (Thick).	¼-anna Square Envelopes (Thin)	1-anna Envelopes square.	1-anna Envelopes converted.	2-anna Small Registration Envelopes.	2-anna Large Registration Envelopes.	2½-anna Envelopes	3-pie Stamps.	½-anna Stamps
Number of stamps issued	1,152,440	80	69	336	1,762,310	369,205	1,452	141,026,061	93,17
Value of stamps issued R	43,216	3	5	25	2,91,505	72,325	342	22,03,533	30,9
Percentage of value on gross value of stamps of all kinds issued ...	·11	...	...	...	·75	·19	...	5·67	
umber of stamps issued	1,253,340	48	8	240	1,853,434	380,088	12	125,547,963	101,29
alue of stamps issued R	47,000	2	...	17	3,07,145	74,685	2	19,61,657	31,6
ercentage of value on gross value of stamps of all kinds issued ...	·12	...	...	...	·75	·18	...	4·90	

*As each booklet is worth R 1, the figures representing th

Gross value of ordinary stamps shown in this statement ... ...

Ditto ditto ditto Appendix XI. Part I ... ...

					Envelopes.	Envelopes.			
1914-15 ...	Number of stamps issued ...	2,944,729	24	24	...	1,760	3,167,811	32,342,694	3
	Value of stamps issued R	46,011	1	2	...	292	49,497	10,10,709	
	Percentage of value on gross value of stamps of all kinds issued ...	·73	...	...	...	...	·79	16·06	
1915-16 ...	Number of stamps issued ...	2,840,346	24	32	64	2,908	3,048,288	33,710,685	3
	Value of stamps issued R	44,380	1	2	4	483	47,630	10,53,459	
	Percentage of value on gross value of stamps of all kinds issued ...	·72	...	...	...	·01	·77	17·07	

Gross value of service stamps shown in this statement ...

Ditto ditto ditto Appendix XI, Part I

Adjustment on account of excess credit in Civil A

2,598,231	889,270	1,042,927	496,164	74,183	22,081	5,612	3,594	3,936	...
6,49,558	3,33,476	5,21,463	4,96,164	1,48,966	1,10,405	56,120	53,910	98,400	62,93,057
10·32	5·30	8·29	7·88	2·37	1·75	·89	·86	1·56	100
2,568,975	877,746	1,035,288	497,669	59,314	16,422	3,337	1,427	1,224	...
6,42,244	3,29,154	5,17,644	4,97,009	1,18,628	82,110	33,370	21,405	30,600	61,70,166
10·41	5·33	8·39	8·07	1·92	1·33	·54	·35	·50	100

B

... ... 61,70,166

... ... 61,85,038

Difference 14,872

... ... 14,872

M

Money order business in the last ten years.

Year.		Inland Orders.				Foreign Orders.				Grand Total.			
		Number.	Amount.	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) in number.	Percentage of increase in amount.	Number.	Amount.	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) in number.	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) in amount.	Number.	Amount.	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) in number.	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) in amount.
			R				R				R		
1906-07	...	20,923,383	35,25,97,091	+6·63	6·38	697,430	3,45,80,384	+3·48	+10·84	21,620,813	38,71,77,475	+6·52	+6·77
1907-08	...	22,109,666	37,97,08,358	+5·67	7·69	737,016	3,82,49,203	+5·68	+10·61	22,846,682	41,79,57,561	+5·67	+7·95
1908-09	...	23,132,115	39,19,26,114	+4·62	3·22	745,522	3,58,68,601	+1·15	—6·22	23,877,637	42,77,94,715	+4·51	+2·35
1909-10	...	23,888,149	39,96,74,848	+3·27	1·98	781,012	3,60,53,890	+4·76	+·52	24,669,161	43,57,28,738	+3·31	+1·85
1910-11	...	24,781,847	41,85,13,444	+3·74	4·71	851,781	4,15,04,645	+9·06	+15·12	25,633,628	46,00,18,089	+3·91	+5·57
1911-12	...	26,322,257	44,29,23,702	+6·22	5·83	921,152	4,42,15,288	+8·14	+6·53	27,243,409	48,71,38,990	+6·28	+5·90
1912-13	...	28,624,470	47,39,38,492	+8·75	7·00	994,114	4,88,76,411	+7·92	+10·54	29,618,584	52,28,14,903	+8·72	+7·32
1913-14	...	29,940,631	51,18,35,732	+4·30	8·00	1,045,742	5,28,78,944	+5·19	+8·19	30,986,373	56,47,14,676	+4·62	+8·01
1914-15	...	29,317,377	51,54,81,941	—2·08	·71	935,005	4,52,78,475	—10·59	—14·37	30,252,382	56,07,60,416	—2·37	—·70
1915-16	...	31,281,231	53,92,17,506	+6·70	4·61	1,041,363	4,74,18,701	+11·39	+4·73	32,322,594	58,66,36,207	+6·84	+4·61

of Circles.	ORDINARY MONEY ORDERS.				TELEGRAPHIC MONEY ORDERS.				TOTAL.				
	Issues.		Payments.		Issues.		Payments.		Issues.		Payments.		Commission.
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	
		R		R		R		R		R		R	R
Assam ...	8,950,587	12,58,56,344	7,595,769	11,01,50,693	125,239	89,58,292	185,724	1,11,74,103	9,075,826	13,48,14,686	7,781,493	12,13,24,796	15,86,958
inces ...	3,981,361	5,63,31,886	5,440,674	8,16,39,512	39,944	21,71,916	115,699	57,48,261	4,021,305	5,85,03,802	5,556,373	8,73,87,773	7,17,988
... ...	4,461,924	6,41,63,833	4,552,880	6,30,72,014	119,936	72,93,794	284,404	1,75,30,365	4,581,860	7,14,57,627	4,837,284	8,06,02,379	8,51,990
... ...	3,729,593	6,90,82,044	4,201,487	6,82,99,964	68,924	48,50,665	79,293	56,28,293	3,798,517	7,39,32,709	4,280,780	7,39,28,257	7,50,671
orth-West Fron-	3,278,011	5,38,21,053	3,394,179	6,39,17,535	45,731	31,59,147	52,322	44,73,687	3,323,742	5,69,80,200	3,446,501	6,83,91,222	6,77,135
... ...	1,450,135	3,51,79,624	639,145	1,93,15,257	393,888	2,65,14,351	87,380	1,03,15,489	1,844,023	6,16,93,995	726,525	2,96,30,746	6,58,397
rissa ...	2,417,954	3,61,18,515	3,225,425	4,48,04,025	29,480	17,28,255	44,186	24,76,583	2,447,434	3,78,46,770	3,269,611	4,72,80,608	4,46,289
... ...	2,144,696	4,10,29,557	1,246,561	2,69,52,780	43,828	29,58,230	31,378	23,53,007	2,188,524	4,39,87,787	1,277,939	2,93,05,787	4,79,493
15-16 ...	30,414,261	48,15,82,856	30,296,120	47,81,51,780	866,970	5,76,34,650	880,386	5,96,99,788	31,281,231	53,92,17,506	31,176,506	53,78,51,568	61,68,846

Special classes of money order business.

[*N.B.*—These figures are included in those given in Appendix V (*b*).]

Names of Circles.	Revenue money orders.				Rent money orders.				Official money orders.			
	Number.		Amount.		Number.		Amount.		Number.		Amount.	
	1914-15.	1915-16.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1914-15.	1915-16.
			R	R			R	R			R	R
gal and Assam	297,771	240,148	18,13,102	19,76,052	61,429	61,022	10,20,202	11,37,229	149,186	148,900	34,61,551	34,82,273
ar and Orissa	164,481	165,780	12,46,875	12,23,441	35,552	30,794	5,37,443	4,67,221	88,365	105,229	33,36,636	41,87,609
ited Provinces	330,145	349,703	58,98,285	64,22,486	146,998	166,154	16,56,491	19,78,315	151,216	192,471	16,61,383	19,67,441
ntral	34,092	42,908	14,67,777	16,77,884	3,489	3,697	96,932	90,644	...	...	...	...
njab and North-West Frontier	17,718	17,731	16,95,055	18,01,672	...	...	...	...	2,984	6,840	97,209	1,63,662
dras	8,409	9,909	93,933	1,16,277	...	...	...	...	5,252	4,672	90,860	79,294
mbay...	10,619	18,563	2,17,398	4,50,651	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
rma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	228	344	6,299	10,267
Total ...	863,235	844,742	1,24,31,425	1,36,70,463	247,468	261,667	33,11,068	36,73,409	397,231	458,456	86,53,938	98,90,546

		B.—Foreign Rupee Orders.						B.—Foreign Rupee Orders.			
		R A.		R A.				R A.		R A.	
t Africa	224	19,887 7	373	20,790 10			17,383	14,95,298 3	18,343	15,70,356 15	
... ...	14,862	5,76,767 1	14,955	5,77,573 12			285,791	95,92,912 8	331,673	1,06,57,276 7	
Malay States	879	41,660 13	672	31,361 14			43,265	33,81,769 5	49,679	37,12,467 7	
t Africa	8	629 12	...	......			2,876	4,03,441 0	...	......	
... ...	1,844	1,68,800 1	2,273	2,22,334 1			6,960	5,32,476 5	5,192	4,18,440 12	
... ...	308	22,368 2	301	23,321 4			1,908	1,31,554 6	2,507	1,50,616 9	
eo	7	211 2	12	1,231 2			364	29,519 8	422	36,502 13	
Settlements in India	16,956	6,81,945 4	18,477	7,07,097 5			7,895	1,27,971 7	8,333	1,53,569 1	
... ...	3	85 3	2	112 2			478	30,841 10	613	37,438 3	
... ...	46	1,390 10	77	3,436 6			474	48,675 4	340	32,927 11	
(Br. Protectorate)	143	5,326 0	159	10,438 15			1,877	81,919 11	1,899	88,358 7	
lements	1,050	60,960 12	895	57,144 9			39,974	29,04,206 9	42,546	27,81,848 6	
r. Protectorate)	126	12,986 15	116	30,168 11			5,111	4,55,940 12	5,670	4,93,531 11	
... ...	52	2,761 0	51	5,195 6			1,370	95,669 15	2,093	1,67,071 6	
Total (B) ...	36,578	15,52,780 2	38,362	16,90,201 1	+ 4·88	+ 8·85	415,746	1,93,62,196 7	469,310	2,03,00,405 12	12·88
		C.—Native State Rupee Orders.						C.—Native State Rupee Orders.			
		R A.		R A.				R A.		R A.	
... ...	1,370	31,870 4	1,429	35,482 6			4,003	79,999 13	3,988	86,092 8	
... ...	47,092	11,17,782 13	51,740	12,05,023 4			12,367	23,61,996 8	124,867	23,87,935 9	
... ...	10,408	2,61,695 12	15,614	3,75,934 2			15,554	3,56,239 11	18,414	4,07,013 12	
... ...	8,536	2,03,443 12	12,536	3,97,471 9			11,549	2,57,923 10	12,222	2,71,626 12	
... ...	39,835	11,82,700 8	56,453	14,20,345 4			61,027	12,85,969 0	65,643	12,83,958 6	

…f Foreign countries and Native …ates with which direct exchanges exist.	1914-15. Number.	1914-15. Amount. £ s. d.	1915-16. Number.	1915-16. Amount. £ s. d.	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) in number.	Percentage of increase (+) or decrease (—) in amount.	1914-15. Number.	1914-15. Amount. £ s. d.	1915-16. Number.	1915-16. Amount. £ s. d.	Percentage of increase in number.	Perce… of inc… in am…
	A.—Foreign Sterling Orders.						A.—Foreign Sterling Orders.					
…lom	91,860	388,457 9 10	91,237	382,386 2 8			31,080	213,209 11 4	35,745	215,496 10 9		
... ...	290	1,094 12 9	...	......			174	961 16 6	...	......		
…a	25	80 11 2	29	127 18 2			668	2,267 8 6	472	1,905 18 9		
…otectorate	1	14 0 0	1	7 7 0			416	5,233 0 8	647	6,450 8 2		
... ...	83	181 13 6	32	94 12 9			102	1,051 15 6	85	541 0 6		
... ...	514	3,208 5 3	786	5,159 18 7			1,615	28,764 4 9	4,922	72,3[illegible]0 14 8		
... ...	5,351	11,257 0 10	2,168	8,582 3 7			1,099	5,174 14 6	1,244	8,967 16 5		
... ...	2,328	8,287 14 6	...	......			1,192	7,253 3 7	...	......		
... ...	1,041	5,618 6 3	946	6,493 6 10			4,965	162,822 14 9	3,984	134,311 6 4		
... ...	71	307 3 4	90	637 2 7			245	6,343 3 8	273	6,245 10 9		
…ales	544	1,983 13 1	612	2,696 18 5			2,008	25,225 2 6	1,968	29,272 5 9		
... ...	322	980 15 5	227	976 8 2			1,505	9,683 12 0	1,627	10,975 2 5		
... ...	50	221 18 5	45	91 2 5			50	436 3 9	64	469 2 2		
... ...	121	471 16 4	151	593 2 11			655	7,938 19 6	1,025	19,090 7 8		
…Union of—Provinces of Cape of Good …nge Free State, Natal and Transvaal ...	265	1,542 3 2	331	2,575 4 7			14,956	200,761 7 10	15,608	205,439 17 4		
…ia	125	630 16 11	131	559 11 6			382	1,680 13 0	452	2,534 16 9		
... ...	1,484	4,068 12 11	687	4,[illegible]57 14 7			229	899 4 6	204	1,313 10 0		
... ...	172	1,514 5 10	168	1,416 18 4			190	590 15 5	201	647 1 7		
... ...	6	22 14 0	8	46 6 4			867	5,075 6 3	665	3,819 0 11		
... ...	734	2,667 16 2	663	3,138 4 0			1,499	14,423 2 7	1,400	12,163 14 1		
…alia	219	1,050 16 3	213	1,368 5 11			540	4,491 19 9	529	4,184 6 2		
... ...	7	35 2 1	8	91 11 0			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		

Business of the Post Office Savings Bank.

…es of Circles.	Number of Head Banks.	Number of Sub-Banks.	Number of accounts. Balance of the preceding year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	Balance.	Opening balance.	Deposits.	Interest.	Total.	Withdrawals.	Balance.	Average number of depositors per bank.	Average balance in each bank.	Average balance at credit of each depositor.
							R A. P.	R A. P.	R A. P.	R A. P.	R A. P.	R A. P.		R	R
Assam …	38	2,278	441,765	30,099	28,552	443,312	3,80,68,619 12 10	1,92,75,771 0 9	10,73,681 1 7	5,84,18,071 15 2	2,13,73,215 11 0	3,70,44,856 4 2	191·83	16,029 79	83·56
…rissa … …	30	851	105,540	11,614	11,222	105,932	1,00,94,087 13 10	50,17,056 5 2	2,77,258 7 3	1,53,88,402 10 3	59,20,969 9 8	94,67,433 0 7	121·62	10,669·61	89·37
… …	30	1,513	336,820	28,102	27,788	337,134	3,94,94,958 5 3	2,06,29,284 4 3	11,56,366 3 0	6,11,90,608 12 6	2,10,76,291 13 10	4,01,14,316 14 8	218·49	25,997·61	118·99
… …	22	301	73,540	10,590	9,309	74,821	51,95,263 12 4	42,35,788 12 8	1,45,741 2 1	95,76,793 11 1	42,23,486 7 9	53,53,307 3 4	231·64	16,573·71	71·55
… …	21	928	83,433	9,162	8,230	84,365	81,89,597 5 7	55,12,774 1 1	2,38,262 2 1	1,39,40,633 8 9	52,85,285 12 3	86,55,347 12 6	89·37	9,168·80	102·59
… …	39	1,748	222,432	27,369	22,091	227,700	1,15,09,990 9 1	90,60,191 9 6	3,13,029 4 5	2,08,83,211 7 0	99,24,628 5 2	1,09,58,583 1 10	127·42	6,132·39	48·13
North-West Front-	39	921	187,009	34,581	31,122	190,468	1,93,13,089 7 5	1,70,34,588 8 8	5,86,961 11 10	3,69,34,639 11 11	1,50,88,173 0 10	2,18,46,466 11 1	193·40	22,756 74	114·69
…inces …	46	1,601	193,545	25,780	22,633	196,692	1,71,50,716 2 3	1,37,63,807 3 3	5,28,911 6 1	3,14,43,434 11 7	1,16,71,228 8 8	1,97,72,206 2 11	119·42	12,004·98	100·52
…l for 1915-16 …	255	10,131	1,644,074	177,297	160,947	1,660,424	14,89,26,323 4 7	(a) 9,45,29,261 13 4	43,20,211 6 4	24,77,75,796 8 3	(a) 9,45,63,279 5 2	15,32,12,517 3 1	159·87	14,751·83	92·27
…l for 1914-15 …	253	9,908	1,638,725	242,441	237,092	1,644,074	23,16,75,308 4 5	11,62,03,231 2 2	53,93,666 11 6	35,32,72,206 2 1	20,43,45,832 1 6	14,89,26,323 4 7	161·80	14,656·66	90·58
…or decrease (—)	+2	+223	+5,349	—65,144	—76,145	+16,350	—8,27,48,984 15 10	—2,16,73,969 4 10	—10,73,455 5 2	—10,54,96,409 9 10	—10,97,82,603 8 4	[illegible]	—1·93	[illegible]	[illegible]

APPENDIX VII.

Transactions of the Post Office Guarantee Fund.

		Government securities (nominal value).
		R
Balance of 1914-15		8,08,300
Government promissory notes purchased... ...		+16,800
Cost of purchase of Government promissory notes ...		...
		8,25,100
pts—	R	
Interest given by Government on R 3,00,000 at 4 per cent. from April 1915 to March 1916	12,000	
Interest on Government securities on 3½ per cent. loans	28,385	
Recoveries against awards made in previous year	1,087	
Recoveries of travelling expenses for medical examination for Post Office Life Insurance	32	
Total ...	41,504	
tes—		
Sums decreed against the Fund	15,099	
Refund to subscribers on account of returnable subscriptions ...	96	
Rewards for information in Post Office robbery cases	3,297	
Compensation to postal servants for loss of private property ...	253	
Compassionate gratuities	3,729	
Travelling expenses for medical examination for Post Office Life Insurance	97	
Total ...	22,571	
Surplus for the year	18,933	...
Balance on 31st March 1916		8,25,100(*b*)

Names of Circles.	Convictions in Courts of Law.		Departmental Punishments.		Total.	
	Number of cases.	Number of offenders.	Number of cases.	Number of offenders.	Number of cases.	Number of offenders.
Assam	69	53	38	38	97	91
... ...	44	44	29	29	73	73
... ...	68	50	24	24	92	74
inces	34	35	13	13	47	48
North-West Frontier	32	32	35	37	67	69
... ...	23	23	6	7	29	30
rissa	25	20	30	25	55	45
... ...	22	20	7	7	29	27
f Service	11	11	19	23	30	34
Total for 1915-16 ...	318	288	201	203	519	491
Total for 1914-15 ...	302	264	201	212	512	476

	Life Insurance.				Endowment Assurance.				Grand Total.				Monthly Allowances.			
	Number of lives insured.	Amount insured.	Amount received in premia, including fines and medical fees.	Amount of claims met, including cost of establishment maintained for the work.	Number of lives insured.	Amount insured.	Amount received in premia, including fines and medical fees.	Amount of claims met, including cost of establishment maintained for the work.	Number of lives insured.	Amount insured.	Amount received in premia, including fines and medical fees.	Amount of claims met, including cost of establishment maintained for the work.	Number of subscribers.	Amount of monthly allowances secured.	Amount of subscriptions received.	Amount of claims met, including cost of establishment maintained for the work.
		R	R A. P.	R A. P.		R	R A. P.	R A. P.		R	R A. P.	R A. P.		R A. P.	R A. P.	R A. P.
... ...	84	1,14,139	64,129 12 1	83,377 9 5	421	3,47,052	2,87,062 10 5	2,08,511 2 6	505	4,61,191	3,51,192 6 6	2,91,888 11 11	...	...	189 12 0	19 0 0
partment ...	15	24,500	23,044 13 1	22,452 10 1	64	1,29,000	76,672 11 3	33,492 8 4	79	1,53,500	99,717 8 4	55,945 2 5	...	...	...	602 4 0
Department	8	4,000	4,262 7 8	10,187 13 4	13	28,000	25,863 9 10	66,808 4 5	21	32,000	30,126 1 4	76,996 1 9	1	10 0 0	184 6 0	206 4 0
... ...	5	10,000	3,171 1 7	3,289 4 3	12	15,250	22,480 3 2	8,629 6 6	17	25,250	25,651 4 9	11,918 10 9	...	...	46 14 0	6,042 8 1
Departments...	137	2,61,513	1,48,391 11 6	64,102 15 6	870	10,60,398	7,34,401 4 1	3,88,817 1 4	1,007	13,21,911	8,82,792 15 7	4,52,920 0 10	2	5 8 0	1,377 7 10	1,024 0 0
artment ...	18	37,500	12,780 15 10	4,876 6 11	29	55,000	35,084 12 4	48,768 6 1	47	92,500	47,865 12 2	53,642 13 0	...	...	...	46 0 0
1915-16 ...	(a) 267	4,51,652	2,55,780 13 7	1,88,286 11 6	(b) 1,409	16,34,700	11,81,565 3 1	7,55,024 13 2	1,676	20,86,352	14,37,346 0 8	9,43,311 8 8	(c) 3	15 8 0	1,798 7 10	7,940 0 1
1914-15 ...	355	5,92,604	2,53,298 11 1*	2,01,309 10 2	1,509	20,22,789	11,64,676 10 2*	7,20,906 10 8	1,864	26,15,393	14,17,975 5 3*	9,22,216 4 10	6	100 3 8	5,580 11 2	7,974 8 7
.. ...	...	...	2,482 2 6	...	...	...	16,888 8 11	34,118 2 6	...	...	19,370 11 5	21,095 3 10	...	...	...	...
.. ...	88	1,40,952	...	18,022 14 8	100	3,88,089	...	...	188	5,29,041	...	...	3	84 11 8	3,782 3 4	34 8 6

	Life Insurance Policies issued.		Endowment Assurance Policies issued.		Monthly Allowance Contracts issued.	
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
		R A. P.		R A. P.		R A. P.
lance of 1914-15	5,441	81,45,240 0 0	19,907	2,69,03,962 0 0§	79	831 8 7
ned during the year	267	4,51,652 0 0	1,409	16,34,700 0 0	3	15 8 0
Total ...	5,708	85,96,892 0 0	21,316	2,85,38,662 0 0	82	847 0 7
ischarged during the year. By death	82	*1,09,350 0 0	185	†2,27,800 0 0	4	44 9 1
" maturity	...	...	163	†2,66,868 0 0	...	...
" surrender	87	93,765 0 0	491	4,76,527 0 0	...	...
" lapse	10	4,200 0 0	104	76,800 0 0	...	...
" cancellation	21	35,600 0 0	73	69,050 0 0	...	...
Total ...	200	2,42,915 0 0	1,016	11,17,045 0 0	4	44 9 1
Balance on 31st March 1916 ...	5,508	83,53,977 0 0	20,300	2,74,21,617 0 0	78	802 7 6

Life Insurance.	R A. P.	R A. P.
s—		
lance on 1st April 1915 ...	...	29,49,790 13 1
mia realised on Life Insurance Policies	2,55,498 13 1	...
nes realised	202 0 6	...
dical fees realised	80 0 0	...
TOTAL ...	...	2,55,780 13 7
nts—		
fe Insurance Policies paid ...	1,39,449 13 5	...
rrender values paid ...	84,178 0 0	...
dical fees paid ...	2,128 0 0	...
funds of medical fees ...	4 0 0	...
her refunds	546 14 1	...
st of postal establishment, including printing, etc. ...	11,980 0 0	...
e for actuarial report ...	...	...
TOTAL ...	...	1,88,286 11 6

Endowment Assurance.	R A. P	R A. P.
Receipts—		
Balance on 1st April 1915 ...	...	83,83,152 3 9
Premia realised on Endowment Assurance Policies	11,80,7[illegible]3 2 3	...
Fines realised	5[illegible]2 0 10	...
Medical fees realised	300 0 0	...
TOTAL ...	...	11,91,565 3 1
Payments—		
Endowment Assurance Policies paid	5,38,462 0 0	...
Surrender values paid... ...	1,65,236 0 0	...
Medical fees paid	4,256 0 0	...
Refunds of medical fees ...	24 0 0	...
Other refunds	2,316 13 2	...
Cost of postal establishment, including printing, etc. ...	44,730 0 0	...
Fee for actuarial report ...	...	...
TOTAL ...	...	7,55,024 13 2

Monthly Allowances.	R A. P.	R A. P.
Receipts—		
Balance on 1st April 1915 ..	...	84,079 9 3
Subscriptions realised	680 1 8	...
Amount paid in lump for purchase of immediate monthly allowances	1,118 6 2	...
Fines realised	...	...
TOTAL ...	...	1 798 7 10
Payments—		
Allowances paid	7,766 0 1	...
Surrender values paid	...	...
Refunds of subscription ...	...	...
Cost of postal establishment, including printing, etc. ...	174 0 0	...
Fee for actuarial report ...		
... ..	...	...
......	...	...
TOTAL ...	...	7,940 0 1

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Receipts, charges and general fi

Part I.—Rece

Receipts.	Amount.	
	R	
in cash	10,87,868	
Refunds of postage	5,196	
		1
linary postage stamps	3,98,45,857	
Civil Department share	19,00,800	
Net payments made by India in respect of correspondence and parcels exchanged with other countries	—83,236	
	18,17,564	
and Telegraph Department share of sale of ordinary postage stamps ...	3,80,28,293	
vice postage stamps	61,85,039	
e and Telegraph Department share of sale of postage stamps ...	4,42,13,332	
Telegraph Department share	1,50,56,415	
share of sale of postage stamps	...	2,9
unt of money orders and British postal orders	...	6
receipts—		
ndow delivery tickets	30,088	
ns from private individuals and Native States	30,325	
overprinted stamps to Native States	17,465	
ipts	1,1[illegible]7	

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	Charges.	Amoun
	(A)—Charges shown in the Post Office Accounts.	R
...	Salaries	5,65,428
	Establishment	10,08,350
	Other charges	7,76,799
	Grain compensation allowance	8,583
	Other special items	149
of Account Audit.	Salaries	94,431
	Establishment	7,28,082
	Other charges	54,588
	Grain compensation allowance	4,801
	Other special items	—112
ncy and ict Offi-	Salaries	10,38,769
	Establishment	1,48,99,189
	Other charges	25,04,881
	Grain compensation allowance	3,94,069
	Other special items	9,320
		...
ance of s.	Subsidies	21,93,110
	Road establishment and charges	19,98,916
	Ferry and boat establishment and charges	36,029
	Gratuities to masters of ships	3,104
	Special train hire	2,15,059
	Construction of vans	13,035
	Other payments to railways	25,93,034
	Grain compensation allowance	1,52,690
ery and ing.	Stationery supplied by Superintendents, Government Printing	6,29,865
	Stationery supplied from Central Stores	2,87,657
	Stationery purchased or manufactured in the country	869
	Printing at Government presses	2,38,265
	Printing at jail and private presses	7,971
	Printing at departmental presses. — Establishment	52,077
	Printing at departmental presses. — Other charges	35,152
	Printing at departmental presses. — Grain compensation allowance	4,142
nd Work- Establish-	Aligarh Work-shop. — Salaries	9,427
	Aligarh Work-shop. — Establishment	11,032
	Aligarh Work-shop. — Other charges	2,093
	Aligarh Work-shop. — Grain compensation allowance	240
aneous	Cost of ordinary and service stamps	9,68,241
	Compensation for lost or damaged insured and other articles	43,475
	Receptacles for foreign mails and cost of repairs	7,048
	Other miscellaneous charges	33,933

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Part I.—Receipts and Ch

RECEIPTS.	AMOUNT.	
	R	R
—Refunds of window delivery fees	17	
Refunds of other receipts	13,200	
	13,217	
Net fees and other receipts ...	...	1,78,;
RECEIPTS AS PER POST OFFICE ACCOUNTS ... For 1915-16		3,67,63,
For 1914-15		3,52,14,

Part II.—General Finan

	Credit items.	
	1914-15.	1915-16.
	R	R
RECEIPTS.		
nts	3,52,14,962	3,67,63,
nue Accounts	*4,50,000	...
ADJUSTMENTS.		
ne subsidies strictly chargeable to other Departments ...	4,55,128	4,43,7
t of managing the Post Office Savings Bank	8,58,000	5,33,1
ire on unremunerative establishments formerly paid from District s.	1,20,523	1,15,8
lue of free services rendered to Native States	4,08,402	4,21,3
Total ...	3,75,07,015	3,82,76,7
Less debit-total ...	—3,45,33,168	—3,50,65,8

Charges.	Amount.	
	R	
ɜes not shown in the Post Office Accounts but debited to the Post ɪce in the Finance and Revenue Accounts.		
England	27,250	
ıder postal arrangements with the Lords of the Treasury	6,40,695	
ɔwances and contingent expenses	13,380	
Grand Total ... For 1915-16 ...	...	3
Grand Total ... For 1914-15 ...	...	3

	Debit items. 1914-15.	1
	R	
Charges.		
Accounts	3,10,00,069	3
l Revenue Accounts	9,00,525	
Adjustments.		
ɜed railway free services....	26,922	
Government buildings	7,88,784	
.es	8,927	
ɜ (average of 5 years capitalised at 10·165 years' purchase)	18,07,941	

APPENDIX XII.

PRINCIPAL STEAMER SERVICES.

By the British India Steam Navigation Company.

Service	Terms
(1) Direct communication three times a week between Calcutta and Rangoon. (2) Weekly communication between Chittagong, Akyab, Kyaukpyu, Sandoway (during fair season only) and Rangoon. (3) Weekly communication (during fair season only) between Chittagong, Akyab and Rangoon. (4) Weekly direct communication between Madras and Rangoon. (5) Weekly communication between Rangoon, Tavoy and Mergui. (6) Fortnightly communication between Moulmein, Yeh, Tavoy, Mergui, Victoria Point and Penang. (7) Fortnightly communication between Rangoon, Tavoy, Palaw, Mergui, Kamaw, Bokpyin, Karathuri, Victoria Point and Maliwun. (8) Weekly direct communication between Bombay and Karachi. (9) Weekly communication between Bombay and Karachi *viâ* the Coast ports. (10) Weekly communication between Karachi and Busra *viâ* the *principal* Persian Gulf ports. (11) Fortnightly communication between Karachi and Busra *viâ* the Persian Gulf ports. (12) Fortnightly communication between Karachi and Bushire *viâ* the Persian Gulf ports. (13) Weekly communication from Negapatam to the Straits. (14) Direct weekly communication between Rangoon and Penang. (15) Fortnightly communication between Bombay, Mombasa, Zanzibar, Beira, Delagoa Bay, and Durban with calls on the outward voyage every four weeks at the Seychelles, Lamu, Mozambique and Dar-es-Salaam. (16) Additional services between any of the ports served by the above-mentioned lines and between any of the ports on the Coromandel Coast and Rangoon.	Under contract with the Post Office from 1st February 1918 on an annual subsidy of R 10,12,000.

By the Asiatic Steam Navigation Company.

Service	Terms
(17) Six-weekly communication between Calcutta and Port Blair, with extensions to Madras and Rangoon.	The consideration is not in the form of a money subsid but of guaranteed rates for the transport of Gc ernment stores. The contract which was original for five years from 1st July 1900 is terminable six months' notice.

APPENDIX XII—*contd.*

PRINCIPAL STEAMER SERVICES—*contd.*

By the Irrawaddy Flotilla Company, Limited.

(18) Communication three times a week between Rangoon and Bassein.

(19) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Bassein and Myaungmya.

(20) Daily communication (Saturdays excepted on the up trip and Sundays excepted on the down trip) between Prome and Thayetmyo and Minbu.

(21) Communication twice a week between Thayetmyo and Pakokku.

(22) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Magwe and Sale.

(23) Daily communication (Fridays excepted), between Sale and Pakokku.

(24) Daily communication (Fridays excepted) between Myingyan and Pakokku.

(25) Weekly communication between Pakokku and Kindat.

(26) Weekly communication (provided the depth of the water permits) between Kindat and Homalin.

(27) Daily communication between Katha and Bhamo.

(28) Daily communication between Rangoon and Kyauktan.

(29) Daily communication between Kyauktan and Thongwa.

(30) Daily communication between Rangoon and Pyapon.

(31) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Yandoon and Pyapon.

(32) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Wakema and Myaungmya.

(33) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Myaungmya and Moulmeingyun.

(34) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Wakema and Moulmeingyun.

(35) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Wakema and Kyonmangne.

(36) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Yandoon and Moulmeingyun.

(37) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Myaungmya and Eime.

(38) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Kyaiklat and Kyawzan.

(39) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Henzada and Yandoon, *viâ* Zalun, Apyauk and Danubyu.

(40) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Prome and Henzada.

(41) Daily communication (Sundays excepted) between Moulmein and Kaya-in.

(42) Daily communication (Sundays excepted on the up trip and Mondays excepted on the down trip) between Moulmein and Kyondo.

(43) Daily communication between Moulmein and Kado.

(44) Daily communication between Moulmein and Natmaw.

Under contract with the Burma Government period of five years from 1st January 1914 annual subsidy is R 1,81,640, of which R is paid by the Post Office.

APPENDIX XII—*contd.*

PRINCIPAL STEAMER SERVICES—*contd.*

By the Arracan Company, Limited.

Communication three times a week between Akyab and Buthidaung.	Under contract with the Burma Government for five years from 1st April 1915. The subsidy, which is R 1,05,200 a year, is paid by the Burma Government.
Communication twice a week between Akyab and Paletwa.	
Communication twice a week between Akyab and Kyauktaw.	
Communication once a week between Akyab and Myaungbwe.	
Weekly communication between Akyab and Sakanmaw *viâ* Myebon and Kyaukpyu.	
Weekly communication between Akyab and Kyaukpyu.	
Weekly communication between Kyaukpyu and Cheduba *viâ* Ramree.	
Weekly communication between Sandoway and Kyaukpyu *viâ* Ramree and Taungup.	
Weekly communication between Kyaukpyu and Sandoway *viâ* Ramree.	

By the Euphrates and Tigris Steam Navigation Company.

Weekly communication on the river Tigris between Busra and Baghdad.	Was under contract with His Majesty's Secretary of State for India for ten years from 1st May 1904. Subsidy R 24,000 per annum: steamers ran in connection with line No. (10). The contract expired on the 30th April 1914 but was extended up to the 31st July 1914. Owing to the War it has not been renewed

By the British India Steam Navigation Company and the Indo-China Steam Navigation Company.

Communication at irregular intervals between Calcutta and the Straits Settlements and Hong Kong.	The consideration is not in the form of a money subsidy but of a guarantee of certain concessions.

By the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company.

Fortnightly communication between Calcutta and Colombo, touching occasionally at Madras.	Non-contract lines maintained by the company in connection with the China and Australian mail services. Under Article 20 of the contract between the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company and His Majesty's Postmaster-General relating to the conveyance of the East India, China and Australia mails, mails sent by these non-contract steamers are conveyed without payment other than the subsidy specified in that contract.
Fortnightly communication between Bombay and Colombo.	

By other Agencies.

By the Bombay Steam Navigation Company—Daily communication between Bombay and Goa.	Under annual contract with the Post Office from 1st October to 31st May. The monthly subsidy paid by the Post Office is R 3,000, towards which the Government of Portuguese India contributes R 200.
By Messrs. Cowasjee, Dinshaw and Brothers—Weekly communication between Aden, Berbera and Zeyla.	Under contract with the Government of the Somaliland Protectorate for 18 months from 1st October 1914 to 31st March 1916. The monthly subsidy is R 1,050, of which R 300 is at the sole charge of the Protectorate Government and the balance R 750 is paid in equal shares by that Government and the Indian Post Office.
By the Retriever Flotilla Company—Communi-	

APPENDIX XIII.

Total number of sent telegrams, total number of signalling operations entailed in their despatch from the office of origin to destination with the necessary repetition at intermediate offices, and average number of signalling operations per sent telegram, for the last five years.

Year.	Total number of sent telegrams, paid and free.	Total number of signalling operations.	Average number of signalling operations per sent telegram.
1911-12	14,899,875	75,451,192	5·06
1912-13	15,764,265	78,200,879	4·96
1913-14	16,864,178	85,730,358	5·08
1914-15	16,541,659	85,976,138	5·19
1915-16	18,129,748	88,983,206	4·98

APPENDIX XIV.

News-free and concessional message traffic during 1915-1916.

Particulars.	Number.	*Pro formâ* value.
		R
Mail Steamer reports	16,328	16,328
Reuter's, Government and Press	494,850	2,75,300
French Government Service	2,165	5,582
Portuguese Government Service	4,440	16,610
Kalat State	26	15
Kashmir State	8,861	9,384
British, Indian and Colonial Governments	*25,083	*1,78,890
On His Majesty's Service (Free State Messages) ...	35,107	1,13,078
Total ...	586,860	6,15,187
Total of 1914-15 ...	351,293	4,86,578

	Express.		Ordinary		Express.		Ordinary.		Express.		Ordinary.		Grand Total.	
	Number.	Receipts.	Number.	Receipts.	Number.	Receipts.	Number.	Receipts.	Number.	Receipts.	Number.	Receipts.	Number.	Receipts.
		R A. P.		R A. P.		R A. P.		R A. P.		R A. P.		R A. P.		R A. P.
	254,458	10,80,659 12 0	1,483,443	12,58,769 10 0	1,209,718	18,13,535 12 0	12,786,332	61,11,718 1 0	172,235	1,04,608 6 0	171,122	1,63,003 11 0	16,077,306	1,05,32,295 4 0*
	395,454	14,18,323 4 0	1,256,476	9,61,337 12 0	1,071,191	16,51,099 4 0	11,963,124	57,08,852 10 0	85,842	55,426 0 0	146,932	1,47,784 7 0	14,919,019	99,42,822 5 0§
...	...	...	226,967	2,97,431 14 0	188,527	1,02,436 8 0	823,208	4,02,865 7 0	86,393	49,182 6 0	24,190	15,219 4 0	1,158,289	5,89,472 15 0
...	140,996	3,37,662 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
in-	...	...	18·06	30·93	12·93	9·83	6·88	7·05	100·64	88·73	16·46	10·29	7·76	5·92
le-	35·65	23·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
on ch -16	14·64	46·19	85·36	53·81	8·64	22·88	91·36	77·12	50·16	39·09	49·84	60·91	...	...
on ch -15	23·94	59·60	76·06	40·40	8·22	22·43	91·78	77·57	36·83	27·28	63·12	72·72	...	...

...usive of Rs. 1,06,742 3 0 on account of abbreviated addresses and exclusive of Rs. 63,157 6 0 on account of debit adjustments.
...usive of Rs. 1,09,490 13 0 on account of abbreviated addresses and exclusive of Rs. 52,747 0 0 on account of debit adjustments.

(2) *Indian Telegraphic Money Orders.*

Particulars.	Express.		Ordinary.		Grand Total.	
	Number.	Telegraph charges.	Number.	Telegraph charges.	Number.	Telegraph-charges.
		R A. P.		R A. P.		R A. P.
... ...	50,982	57,749 6 0	829,501	3,46,283 8 0	880,483	4,04,032 14 0

(3) *Foreign Telegrams.*

STATE.			PRIVATE.									PRESS.			GRAND TOTAL.		
			ORDINARY.			DEFERRED.			WEEK-END.								
Number.	Words.	Indian share of value.	Number.	Words.	Indian share of value.	Number.	Words.	Indian share of value.	Number	Words.	Indian Share of value.	Number	Words.	Indian share of value.	Number.	Words.	Indian share of value.
		R A. P.			R A. P.			R A. P.			R A. P.			R A. P.			R A. P.
62,307	2,961,778	4,98,559 9 0	1,167,067	17,882,633	23,43,694 3 0	203,243	3,261,044	2,74,333 1 0	10,872	158,628	6,352 6 0	22,091	1,574.556	29,999 10 0	1,465,580	25,838,649	30,52,938 12 0
35,688	1,304,865	2,69,515 1 0	1,141,906	15,167,124	21,58,060 10 0	72,594	1,086,432	93,873 9 0	...	...	...	21,159	1,460,897	29,795 11 0	1,271,347	19,219,318	25,81,244 15 0
26,619	1,456,913	2,29,044 8 0	25,161	2,715,509	55,633 8 0	130,649	2,174,612	1,80,459 8 0	10,872	158,628	6,352 6 0	932	113,669	208 15 0	194,233	6,619,331	4,71,693 13 0
74·58	96·81	84·98	2·20	17·90	2·54	179·97	200·16	192·33	...	...	...	4·40	7·78	·68	15·27	34·44	18·27

[illegible]he number and value of Deferred, Week-end and Press telegrams shown above relate only to telegrams from and to India. The number and value of all *Transit* telegrams are included under the head "Private Ordinary."

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Growth of Telegraph Depa

	Miles of		Number of offices.			Number of paid telegrams.								
						Foreign.			Inland.					
	Line, including cable.	Wire, including cable.	Departmental.	Combined post and telegraph.	Total.	State.	Private.	Press.	State.	Private.	Press.	Total State.	Total Private.	Total Press.
	3,255	3,314	48	...	48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10,580	10,914	131	...	131	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13,259	14,137	174	..	174	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	13,703	21,376	190	...	190	...	43,291	...	39,403	371,934	...	39,403	415,215	...
	16,155	33,347	216	...	216	1,305	100,339	...	77,226	658,521	...	78,531	754,654	4,206
	20,520	25,914	262	...	202	3,272	251,287	...	200,622	1,037,334	...	203,894	1,261,267	7,350
	25,387	75,115	254	267	521	6,088	350,352	877	286,966	1,351,818	12,996	293,045	1,711,170	13,873
	35,270	100,309	253	632	880	5,947	438,313	3,221	493,442	3,166,856	24,789	499,389	2,605,199	28,013
	44,648	188,526	239	1,109	1,303	6,804	564,202	3,094	585,571	3,205,355	26,302	592,375	3,766,555	29,396
	52,900	171,049	272	1,612	1,851	11,669	816,300	6,524	702,055	4,655,527	45,226	713,724	5,471,827	51,750
	61,684	227,749	280	1,917	2,189	16,942	900,477	8,022	801,170	7,241,710	40,024	818,112	8,232,187	48,046
628	64,730	243,840	280	2,029	2,309	15,903	1,082,930	7,934	857,606	8,452,806	43,871	873,509	9,535,748	51,805
,089	67,587	259,948	279	2,158	2,438	15,859	1,162,660	7,160	891,145	9,248,492	59,850	907,004	10,411,152	67,010
,555	68,940	271,044	280	2,205	2,444	16,361	1,319,767	7,408	968,418	10,473,913	64,056	984,779	11,693,680	71,464
,864	70,065	280,595	279	2,378	2,658	15,820	1,144,512	8,315	976,208	10,699,440	163,463	992,028	11,843,952	170,798
,802	72,746	287,206	279	2,483	2,762	15,174	1,250,650	11,897	834,435	9,802,124	161,417	849,609	11,061,774	173,314
,463	74,828	292,001	279	2,577	2,856	16,986	1,385,303	14,745	989,459	10,541,418	142,257	1,006,445	11,926,781	157,002
,206	76,578	299,313	243	2,715	2,958	19,541	1,409,500	17,333	1,207,810	11,814,609	162,945	1,227,351	13,313,169	180,278
,102	78,862	311,034	255	2,900	3,115	13,144	1,571,722	21,[illegible]83	1,130,721	12,425,782	186,419	1,143,865	14,097,504	207,702
,940	81,593	321,801	249	3,147	3,306	13,593	1,620,102	24,602	1,276,790	13,4[illegible],126	176,537	1,290,331	15,105,228	201,136

XVI.

perations from 1854-55 to 1915-16.

VALUE OF PAID TELEGRAMS.										
Foreign.		Inland.			Total State.	Total Private.	Total Press.	Grand Total.	News-free and Concessional Telegrams.	
Private.	Press.	State.	Private.	Press.					Number.	Pro formâ value.
R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R		R
...	...	24,050	40,760	...	24,050	40,760	...	64,810	...	...
...	...	1,15,980	4,10,210	...	1,15,980	4,10,210	...	5,26,190	...	...
...	...	1,13,818	7,02,558	...	1,13,818	7,02,558	...	9,06,376	...	10,048
2,55,253	...	1,36,700	7,38,967	...	1,36,700	9,04,220	...	11,30,980	3,595	35,400
5,74,075	...	57,315	10,73,835	...	2,68,363	16,30,600	17,820	19,16,878	7,365	1,58,670
0,79,809	...	11,86,036	15,32,853	...	12,35,868	24,61,164	51,498	37,48,530	3,856	1,13,973
2,73,315	3,938	6,63,643	14,55,286	49,347	7,16,141	27,28,601	54,285	34,99,027	1,083	20,340
7,36,047	175	9,46,586	21,90,087	79,213	9,91,830	30,37,134	97,388	50,26,352	2,404	45,363
0,07,375	18,678	11,53,852	31,13,170	1,02,801	12,09,815	51,10,545	1,21,848	64,41,872	6,549	1,14,725
1,14,782	32,286	16,03,002	42,59,729	1,57,503	17,43,984	63,74,511	1,89,782	83,08,283	9,262	1,36,767
2,22,835	42,000	15,87,734	47,46,565	93,410	17,05,7?7	69,60,400	1,35,452	88,10,608	10,060	1,18,701
2,00,853	41,523	16,01,054	53,11,797	1,16,790	16,75,380	74,12,030	1,58,323	92,46,352	18,689	1,47,957
,51,852	38,101	16,00,130	55,02,400	1,64,086	16,60,370	70,54,348	2,03,177	95,17,904	23,020	1,62,088
,06,455	41,089	16,64,598	58,93,888	1,77,507	17,24,676	80,60,343	2,19,280	1,00,33,305	20,759	2,20,909
,41,770	46,046	16,00,795	59,31,439	1,77,677	16,52,285	78,63,318	2,24,302	97,30,805	*237,319	2,31,125
,21,235	39,173	7,71,556	54,72,033	1,68,303	8,20,165	75,93,863	2,07,536	86,27,559	217,096	1,81,798
,02,704	35,368	8,78,675	57,19,054	1,53,505	9,12,204	81,22,058	1,88,933	92,53,193	277,484	2,61,147
,59,726	45,936	11,10,670	64,35,034	1,62,707	11,79,360	89,03,060	*2,08,733	1,03,64,751	203,110	2,52,082
30,049	37,777	6,200	69,37,400	1,83,011	10,62,058	94,63,148	2,20,788	1,07,51,804	315,104	2,50,383
97,124	34,820	11,71,152	74,50,496	1,97,940	12,46,113	99,37,620	2,32,478	1,14,16,211	267,302	2,52,753
81,934	29,796	23,79,660	72,50,052	(a)2,03,210	26,41,175	96,41,886	(a)2,33,006	1,25,24,007	351,293	4,86,578

APPENDIX XVII.

:penses per telegram under signalling and line maintenance and average value of a telegram from 1897-98 to 1915-16.

	Total number of paid telegrams in lakhs.	Total working expenses in lakhs.			Working expenses per telegram.		
		Line maintenance.	Signalling.	Total.	Line maintenance.	Signalling.	Total.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	No.	R	R	R	R	R	R
...	57·13	14·72	55·39	70·11	·258	·969	1·227
...	54·49	14·98	56·70	71·68	·275	1·040	1·315
...	62·37	16·56	57·97	74·53	·265	·929	1·194
...	64·49	16·30	61·83	78·13	·259	·958	1·211
...	64·75	17·69	64·16	81·84	·273	·990	1·263
...	67·42	17·50	68·12	85·62	·259	1·010	1·269
...	73·07	17·60	70·50	88·10	·241	·964	1·205
...	90·98	17·28	71·75	89·03	·190	·788	·978
...	104·61	17·13	79·67	96·98	·165	·762	·927
...	113·85	18·40	86·91	105·31	·161	·763	·924
...	127·50	23·19	98·13	121·32	·182	·769	·951
...	130·07	22·45	102·12	124·57	·172	·785	·957
...	120·84	21·76	102·44	124·20	·180	·847	1·027
...	130·90	22·68	99·73	122·41	·173	·762	·935
...	146·72	21·16	103·90	125·06	·144	·708	·852
...	154·49	25·67	104·66	130·33	·139	·677	·816
...	165·06	22·63	115·67	138·30	·136	·697	·833
...	161·90	22·93	118·29	141·22	·142	·731	·873

APPENDIX XVIII.

POST OFFICE AND TELEGRAPH STAFF.

APPEN[illegible]

Post Offic[illegible]

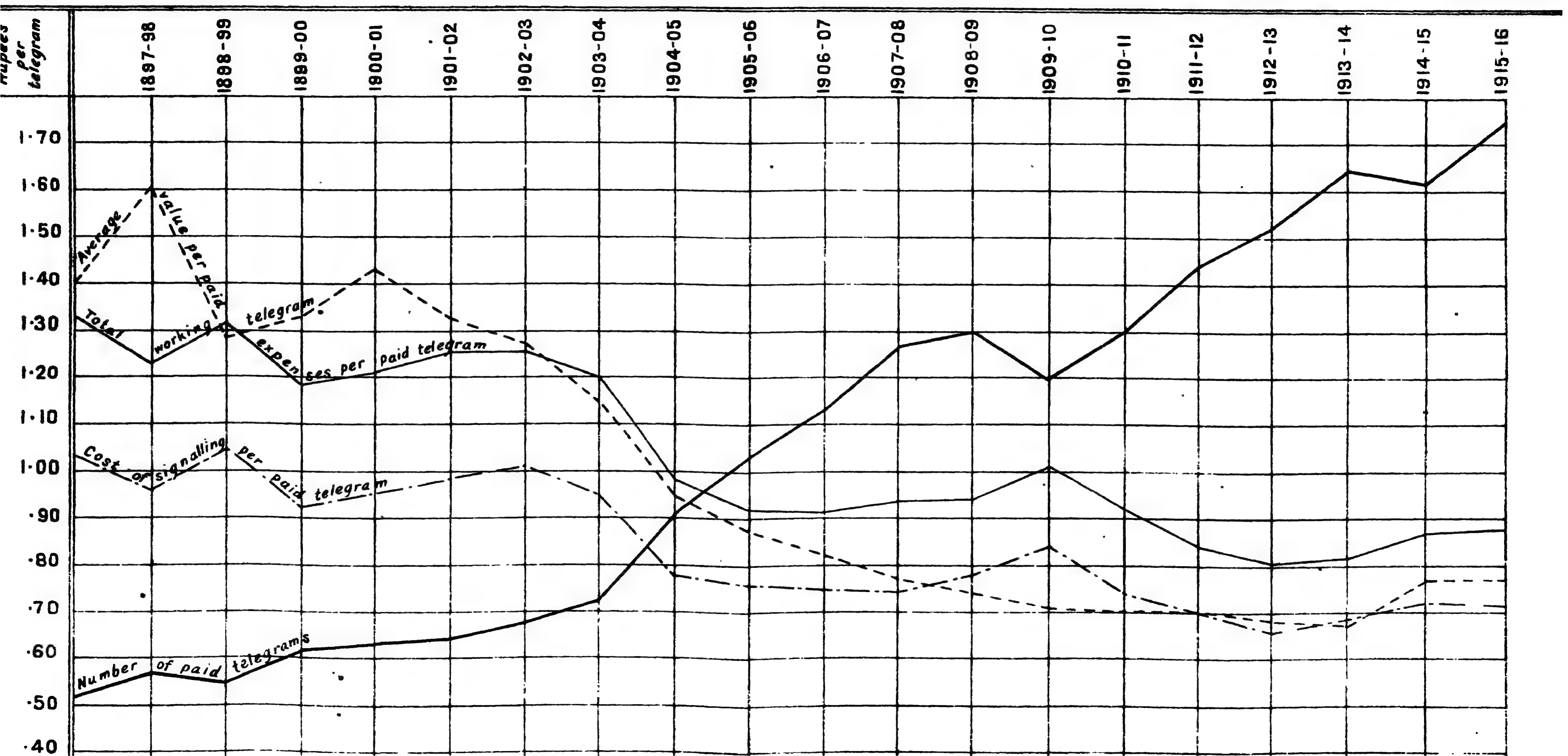
	Direction.		Office of Account and Audit.		Bengal and Assam.		Bihar and Orissa.		Bombay.		Burma.		Cent[illegible]
	1915.	1916.	1915.	1916.	1915.	1916.	1915.	1916.	1915.	1916.	1915.	1916.	1915.
osts and Telegraphs	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
raphs	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
and Deputy Directors- ffice.	2	2	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
h Engineering .	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
neral of Telegraph	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
-General (including and Assistant Direc- ost Office.	3	3	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
-General, Telegraph its, Calcutta, Bombay h Offices, and Assis- ral of Telegraph	1	1	...	...	2	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	1
Assistant Superin- ph Engineering, in- ent and Assistant Stores, Assistant to ional Assistant to the hief Electrician and s and Officer attached phs.	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
egraph Workshops...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
stal Press and Work-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
remen and Assistant	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
osts and Telegraphs	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
-General, Posts and	...	...	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ts-General, Posts and f Superintendents.	...	...	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
obationary Superin- Superintendents and t Office.	2	2	...	...	89	88	35	35	66	65	28	25	44
uty Director-General, ssistant Postmasters- erintendents of Post intendents in charge Karachi, Lahore and fices and Assistant cutta and Bombay	1	1	...	...	5	5	1	1	4	5	2	2	1
nts, Telegraph Engi Technical including to Directors, Tele- nd Deputy Superin- nder Superintendent	1	3	...	...	6	7	2	2	11	10	5	5	4
g Presidency Post- Assistant, Sub and	...	...	...	...	1,436	1,447	644	646	877	886	378	373	642
gents (School masters,) in charge of post	...	...	...	...	2,169	2,214	630	637	2,160	2,163	70	65	1,179
ent including Tele- Telegraphists (Tech- ervisors and Assistant ng Telegraph Masters, ists, Indian Inspect- Military Mechanists, ts, and Signallers ned offices.	...	...	...	...	842	871	150	163	908	905	478	410	320
elephone operators), other superior servants d the Telegraph De- d to in preceding items nts of the Director- Account Offices, the Workshops and the rs-General, Directors, ng, etc.	209	212	1,681	1,681	2,578	2,618	619	680	2,819	2,817	638	658	681
of the Post Office unners, boatmen, syces,	...	...	...	...	4,437	4,275	2,057	2,013	2,075	1,986	184	202	2,093
stmen and inferior Office not referred to	110	142	143	142	6,548	6,853	2,110	2,121	6,131	6,117	1,279	1,272	2,813
intenance Establish-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
sengers in combined inferior servants of	...	...	...	...	1,081	1,055	284	279	858	868	457	476	375

VIII.

egraph Staff.

Madras.		Punjab and North-West Frontier.		United Provinces.		Sorting Circles.		Engineering Circles.		Telegraph Stores and Workshops.		Officers on deputation	
5.	1916.	1915.	1916.	1915.	1916.	1915.	1916.	1915.	1916.	1915.	1916.	1915.	1916.
	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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1	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	...	...	..	..
	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	...	...	...	...	1	1
2	2	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	44	26	1	1	..	12
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	..	...
	...	...	..	1	1	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	...	1
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	...	.	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	86	85	85	66	66	119	121	...	...	...	...	14	21
	2	6	5	8	3	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	1
	12	5	6	9	8	...	..	58	45	7	5	1	13
	1,048	980	961	910	907	..	...	...	...	...	...	13	21
	2,556	2,848	2,837	1,445	1,479	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	684	676	639	508	471	...	...	122	136	...	1	103	82
	1,890	1,490	1,468	1,333	1,316	3,915	3,916	201	161	126	127	65	111
	3,364	2,348	2,307	1,940	2,265	...	..	...	...	...	...	1	...
	6,126	4,597	4,676	5,442	5,139	1,810	1,868	...	...	...	...	30	34
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,746	2,706	...	...	...	155
	844	646	623	539	557	...	...	191	202	72	72	...	9

DIAGRAM SHEWING FOR EACH YEAR, FROM 1897–98 TO 1915–1916, THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PAID TELEGRAMS, THE WORKING EXPENSES AND THE AVERAGE VALUE OF A TELEGRAM.



Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

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2777. H. L. Lambert. *Shoe or skate for electric railways.*

2778. H. L. Lambert. *Circuit closers for electric railways.*

October 31.

2779. S. D. Hampannavar. *Red dye-stuff.*

2780. M. A. Bhisey. *Improvement in steam road-roller to utilize it for grinding any materials especially lime and mortar.*

2781. Purshutum Lall. *Motor and cycle tube puncture guard.*

November 1.

2782. Mohammed Said-ud-din Khan. *Gravity Persian wheel.*

November 2.

2783. D. S. Duff. *Sugar-cane and oil expressing mill.*

2784. J. Woods. *Improvements in or relating to abdominal supports.*

November 3.

2785. Golam Mustafa. *Tie brick.*

2786. W. Raitt. *An improved method of isolating or extracting cellulose or paper-pulp from fibrous vegetable materials and apparatus therefor.*

2787. C. W. Hubbard. *Improvements in and relating to twisting and winding apparatus.*

2788. O. Rapalli. *An improved surgical or medical ampoule-syringe.*

2789. Charles Churchill & Co., Limited, and E. Goeraerd. *Improvements in electrolytic cells.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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2400. A. R. Craddock. *An improved system of railway control.*

2485. Peter Ford & Sons, Ld., and H. Ford. *A new or improved process and composition for moulding or forming articles such as light reflectors or shades, vases, or the like, or decorative slabs for partitions, wall or ceiling covering or the like.*

2594. Hudson Motor Car Co. *Balanced crank-shaft.*

2750. L. B. Verma. *A die for making cardboard boxes or cartoons.*

2752. F. Hird. *Improvements in or relating to apparatus for testing or separating coins.*

2754. J. H. Hall. *An improved latex spout and cup holder.*

2755. M. I. Pupin and E. H. Armstrong. *Improvements for increasing the selectivity of electrical circuits.*

2756. E. G. Ritchie. *Improved belt fastener.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

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2329. J. E. Muhlfeld and V. Z. Caracristi. *Improvements in means, methods and processes for the burning of pulverized fuel.*

2679. M. K. Shah. *An improved liquid measurer.*

2690. Ram Chund. *Thrashing machine.*

2708. A. F. Bound and W. Rowland. *Improvements in and connected with methods or systems of railway signalling and train controlling.*

2721. J. E. Muhlfeld and V. Z. Caracristi. *Improvements in means, methods and processes for the burning of pulverized fuel.*

2722. J. E. Muhlfold and V. Z. Caracristi. *Improvements in means, methods and processes for the burning of pulverized fuel.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

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1729. Bursell.
2527. Grupe.
2647. Christie.
2648. Christie.
2649. Synthetic Hydro-Carbon Co.
2650. Creed.
2651. Oram.
2654. Alehevsky.
2655. Hamilton.

PATENTS SEALED.

2113. Spencer.
2115. Moore & Berry.
2118. Belanger Spinning Process Company.
2255. Rincker.
2567. Jenkins.
2592. Loughran.
2620. Heenan & Froude, Limited.
2623. Briddle.
2627. Brooksbank, Limited.
2640. Minerals Separation, Limited.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

271 of 1903. Oweus. (To 27 November 1917.)
188 of 1904. Fessenden. (To 7 December 1917.)
202 of 1905. Gresham & others. (18 November 1917.)
320 of 1905. Société Anonyme Westinghouse & anr. (To 3 November 1917.)
443 of 1906. Hardy. (To 27 March 1918.)
235 of 1908. Gresham & anr. (To 16 December 1917.)
184 of 1909. Walcutt. (To 19 January 1918.)
374 of 1909. Gresham. (To 26 February 1918.)
314 of 1910. Gresham. (To 25 January 1918.)
558 of 1910. Heartley. (To 8 December 1917.)
319 of 1911. Henri & anr. (To 10 January 1918.)
440 of 1911. Sabow. (To 15 January 1918.)
573 of 1911. Johnston. (To 1 December 1917.)
769 of 1911. Lumiere. (To 11 October 1917.)
583 of 1912. Bedford & anr. (To 4 November 1917.)
585 of 1912. Automatic Telephone Manufacturing Co. (To 4 November 1917.)
605 of 1912. Westinghouse Brake Co. (To 21 November 1917.)
660 of 1912. Westinghouse Metal Filament Lamp Co. (To 16 December 1917.)

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1910.

663, (Malloch).

1911.

782, (Raw & another). 534, (Douglas). 462, (Young).

1912.

401, (Mundler). 402, (Paeren). 403, (Gaydon). 404, (Heller). 405, (Subra). 406, (Gsell). 408, (Sloan & another). 409, (Cresswell).

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT UNDER SECTION 17.

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No. 2131 of 1915. S. M. Rutnagur of 27 Medow Street, Bombay, seeks leave to amend the specification of his application for a patent numbered as above. The proposed amendments as shown in the printed specifications are as follows :—

On page 1. Omitting "sunblinds" from the title.

Line 2, inserting "closed" after "a".

" 3, omitting "it also provides etc." to the end of the paragraph.

" 7, substituting "drawing" for "drawings" and "the" for "an".

" 8 and 9, omitting "for admitting..................weather".

" 9, substituting "which" for "it".

" 10, omitting "which is" after the reference letter "b".

" 11, inserting "under the sash" after the reference letter "b1".

" 13, substituting "windows" for "window".

" 15, inserting "reduce or" after "will".

" 17 to 20, omitting "The shutter C............ Figure 2".

" 20, omitting "also" after "are".

Omitting from line 23 on page 1 to line 59 on page 2.

Page 2.

On page 2. Line 60, omitting "also" after "I am".

" 62, inserting "without rain" after "air" and "or from below" after "through".

Page 3.

On page 3. Line 1, claim 1, inserting "only" after "opening".

Omitting claims 3 to 7.

Omitting Figures 2 to 8 of the drawings.

DESIGNS ENTERED ON THE REGISTER.

October 30th to November 4th, 1916.

Class 5. No. 5090. Goodall & Son, Limited, 27 Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, London, E.C., England. October 23.

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These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. Post system,* and are obtainable from The Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore.

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SULPHATE OF QUININE.

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For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	21-8 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	22-8 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

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For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

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For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ½-lb., ¼-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ½-lb., ¼-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ½-lb., ¼-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4. and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0	10	0
,, ,, 3 ,,	,, 6 ,,	,,	Re.	1	0	0
,, ,, 2 ,,	,, 9 ,,	,,	Re.	1	8	0

N.B.—Postage stamps will not be accepted as revenue.

Calcutta, the 9th November 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 7th November 1916.

	Total amount of notes in circulation.			Reserve. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (purchase price).		Total.	Remarks.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	Total.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
lcutta . .	1,86,75,500	24,05,35,430	25,92,10,930	5,19,95,322	1,47,26,790	66,91 343	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 14,56,27,120	43,82,90,521	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R15,46,41,571. (c) Includes treasury bills purchased under Section 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R6 crores.
wnpore .	...	3,25 40 095	3,25,40,095	1,67,50,866	1,82,10,120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,49,60,936	
hore . .	...	6,07,40,565	6,07,40,565	1,65,83,608	2,10,87,547	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,76,71,155	
ombay . .	10,15,675	21,03,29,515	21,13,45,190	7,55,45,872	4,58,90,767	71,89,130	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,26,25,769	
arachi . .	...	2,26,46,685	2,26,46,685	94,19,578	36,97,215	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,31,16,793	
adras . .	5,26,870	9,41,71,690	9,46,93,560	1,73,21,492	1,13,30,543	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,86,52,035	
angoon . .	...	5,43,20,840	5,43,20,840	3,85,37,216	98,99,730	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,84,36,946	
	2,02,18,045	71,54,84 820	73,57,02,865	23,61,53,954	12,48,42,712	1,38,80,473	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	14,56,27,120	73,37,54,205	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			36,83,660	Deduct—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									17,35,000	
Total Circulation R			73,20,19,205	Total Reserve R									73,20,19,205	

Gold worth £47,000 (R7,05,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 7th November 1916.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 7th November 1916 to 7 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

tatement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st October 1916.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT. LOANS							4½ PER CENT. LOANS.		GRAND TOTAL.
		of 1842-43	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	TOTAL.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	4 per cent. Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. Portion.	TOTAL.	
nce of 15th October 1916	29,28,700	96,94,700	4,80,30,200	1,52,18,900	68,46,000	24,00,400	8,21,90,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,45,000	...	...	8,71,63,900
—																	
nount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
nount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No. 620-A dated 3rd November 1908 into 3½% loan of 1900-01.	...	...	...	...	..	97,600	97,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97,600
nount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
nount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
nount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st October 1916	20,000	...	2,000	...	...	2,000	4,000	...	...	...	...	...	2,500	...	...	...	26,500
ct—	29,48,700	96,94,700	4,80,32,200	1,52,18,900	68,46,000	25,00,000	8,22,91,800	...	...	...	...	...	2,500	20,45,000	...	...	8,72,88,000
nount written off in the London Registers	1,13,800	34,000	20,44,000	81,400	500	9,100	21,69,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22,82,800
lance on 31st October 1916	28,34,900	96,60,700	4,59,88,200	1,51,37,500	68,45,500	24,90,900	8,01,22,800	...	...	...	...	...	2,500	20,45,000	...	...	8,50,05,200

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st Aug. 1916 Enfaced from India 12,364 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12,858 lakhs.
,, 1st Sept. 1916 ,, 15th Sept. ,, ditto .. ditto 3
,, 16th ,, ,, ,, 30th ,, ,, ditto 20 lakhs ditto ...
,, 1st Oct. ,, ,, 15th Oct. ,, ditto . ditto ...
,, 16th ,, ,, ,, 31st ,, ,, ditto 1 lakh ditto 23 lakhs.
12,385 12,884

'UBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
lcutta, 3rd November 1916.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 6th November 1916.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,08,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* .	50,00,000	0	0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	1,10,91,921	4	0			
Public Deposits at Branches	1,24,39,471	8	0	2,35,31,392	12	0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . . .				19,68,97,921	15	4
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .				11,00,170	9	4
Sundries				13,45,860	6	6
RUPEES .				26,36,75,345	11	2

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities . .				6,52,12,677	12	0
Other authorized Investments .				1,11,72,465	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .				2,93,17,386	12	3
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				6,28,13,687	14	8
Bills discounted and purchased				2,79,80,862	0	8
Balances with other Banks .				46,42,085	13	2
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,33,666	9	3
Stamps				11,840	0	0
Sundries . . .				3,69,877	1	2
				20,44,54,548	15	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	1,93,30,745	14	11			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches †	3,98,90,050	13	1	5,92,20,796	12	0
RUPEES .				26,36,75,345	11	2

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,510 0 0

† Do. do. do. „ 8,62,447 8 0

Rs. 12,13,957 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 9th November 1916.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 8 per cent.

Percentage 26·56

BANK OF BENGAL.

NOTICE.

Calcutta, the 8th November 1916.

The Directors have made the following change in the Bank's European Establishment:—

Mr. S. B. Moultrie on return from short leave to resume charge of Agra Branch as from the 3rd instant.

By order of the Directors,

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

NOTICE.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Manager's Certificates of Compe ency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanba on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first cla certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experien in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience m be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has receiv a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or w has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this beh by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of seco class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce a Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid n less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in Ind Dhanbad, E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 191

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and Ex-Officio President of the Board of Examine

DHANBAD;
20th October 1916.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Princip Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—

(a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.

(b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorl

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SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 8th November 1916.

No. 22.—Mr. P. N. Sur, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted ıge leave for 3 months with effect from 13th November 1916, or any subsequent date hich he may avail himself of it, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service lations.

C. H. D. RYDER, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Supdt., Map Publication.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 2nd November 1916.

No. 7335-*Military*.—In continuation of Notification No. 6668-Military, dated the October 1916, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 (1) of the Punjab ıry Transport Act, 1916 (I of 1916), as applied to the Province of Delhi by the Govern- of India Notification No. 1038-C., dated the 22nd March 1916, the Chief Commissioner, , is pleased hereby to declare that Muhammad Kasum Lambardar and member of the ied Area Committee, Shahdra, shall be Transport Assistant for the purpose of the said ithin the Shahdra Circle, *i.e.*, within the boundaries of the villages transferred to the Province from the Meerut District of the United Provinces.

No. 7340-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (1) ı Indian Press Act, 1910 (I of 1910), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to declare ted to His Majesty all copies wherever found of a leaflet printed in English headed . Camp (Bengal Branch) from the office of the Director General, Administration Depart- , Administration report", etc., and ending with the words "and the second stage has l and signed R. Dhanraj, Director General of Administration Department" and all s of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet on the grounds that the eaflet incites the murder of persons employed in the maintenance of law and order and ins exhortations to rebellion against the British Government and therefore appears to the Commissioner to contain words which are likely or may have a tendency to incite to er and interference with the maintenance of law and order and to bring into hatred and mpt and excite disaffection towards the Government established by law in British India are of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (1), clauses (*a*), (*e*) (&) C of the Act.

No. 7344-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12 of the Indian Act (I of 1910) the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to declare forfeited to His ısty all copies of a Hindi book entitled "Coolie Pratha" printed at the Pratab Press, ıpore, the contents of which appear to the Chief Commissioner to be of the nature described ıtion 4, sub-section (1) of the said Act, inasmuch as they have a tendency to bring into d and contempt the Government established by law in British India.

No. 7357-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the India Motor Vehicles Act, VIII of 1914, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi Province, is pleased hereb to declare that the provision of sections 6 and 10 of the said Act and of the Rules Nos. 1 ar 6 of the Rules published with Notification No. 2372-Home, dated 10th April 1915, as amende by Notification No. 5914-Home, dated the 30th August 1916, under section 11 of the sa Act, shall not be applicable within the Delhi Province to—

(*a*) Military Motor Ambulances,

(*b*) Armoured Motor Cars, or

(*c*) Motor Vehicles belonging to any Mechanical Transport Unit of His Majesty Forces.

The 3rd November 1916.

No. 7389-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths registered at the unde mentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 28th Octob 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population
	Delhi . .	225,471	140	122	262	85	86	171	...	...	...	78	6	61	2	24	...	37	25	62	60·43	[illegible]
	Notified Area	3,673	1	2	3	3	1	4	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	42·47	[illegible]
	Total .	229,144	141	124	265	88	87	175	...	...	...	81	6	61	2	25	...	39	25	64	60·18	[illegible]

The 4th November 1916.

No. 7414-*C. & I.*—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current the Delhi Province are published for information :—

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at t close of the half-month ending 31st October 1916.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.		ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	
	Srs.	Chts.		Srs.	Chts.
Wheat	9	8	Maize	16	0
Barley	12	8	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	9	0
Rice { Best sort	3	0	Firewood	60	0
Rice { Common sort. . . .	5	0	Salt { Wholesale	20	4
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum) . .	17	0	Salt { Retail	20	0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum) . .	14	8	Gur	6	8
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana) . .	Not available.		Cotton (unginned) Kapas	4	8
Kangni (Setaria Italica) . . .	Not available.		Bejhar	13	0
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked) .	13	0			

ment showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the head-quarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 31st October 1916. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82⅔ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs. A. P.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs. A. P.
unhusked	...	Cotton seed	2 5 6
husked	5 8 0	Ghi	54 0 0
t'	4 0 0	Flour (Wheat)	4 3 0
y	3 1 0	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8 0 0
	...	Turmeric (unground)	17 0 0
r	2 4 0	Salt	1 15 0
	2 11 0	Raw Hides (Cow)	30 0 0
	2 7 0	Bran	2 4 0
	2 15 6	Grass (dry)	1 0 0
r Dál	4 4 0	Bhusa (white)	1 2 0
ed	6 0 0	Jowár Stalks	0 6 0
seed (Sarshaf)	4 8 0	Bengal Coal	0 10 0
y-seed	...	Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand)	2 4 6
injili seed)	5 12 0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	200 0 0
(raw), Gur	5 11 0	Sheep, per score	80 0 0
n (cleaned)	25 0 0*	Bejhar	2 15 6

* This was brought into the market for the first time this year.

No. 7423-*Education*.—The services of the Reverend N. J. Poyntz, Chaplain of i, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, Education Department, with t from the forenoon of 26th October 1916.

No. 7427-*Education*.—In anticipation of his services being placed at the disposal of Chief Commissioner, Delhi, the Reverend H. T. Wheeler assumed charge of his duties as plain of Delhi with effect from the forenoon of 26th October 1916.

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

E HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 31st October 1916.

No. 3712.—Under the provisions of paragraph 53, Army Regulations, India, Volume Captain F. W. Stranack, Baluchistan Volunteer Rifles, is granted six months' leave out of i... with effect from the 22nd October 1916.

Quetta, the 2nd November 1916.

No. 3745.—The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the prescribed tests in the Pashtu language by the Higher Standard at an examination held at Quetta on the 30th October 1916.

Mr. R. M. MacGregor, Irrigation Officer in Baluchistan, Quetta.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 12th October 1916.

No. 3498—1093.—The following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), is published for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner on or after the 20th November 1916.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date aforesaid will be considered by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment in the Ajmer-Merwara Petroleum Rules issued in this office Notification No. 1530—1093, dated the 14th October 1909:—

In Rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II of the said rules for the figure "500" the figure "2000" shall be substituted.

Rajputana Agency Camp, the 4th November 1916.

No. 1132-C.—4—In accordance with the provisions of Section 25 of the Ajmer Municipalities Regulation (V of 1886), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to notify the re-appointment of Babu Abdul Gafoor as a nominated member of the Municipal Committee, Kekri, for a period of 3 years from the 8th October 1916.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATION.

Abu, the 31st October 1916.

No. 6157—178-*III*.—With reference to the Foreign Department Notifications Nos. 286-I and 287-I, dated the 23rd January 1884, as amended by Foreign Department Notification No. 1692-I.A, dated the 30th April 1901, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, is pleased to appoint Captain W. G. Neale, I.A., to be the Magistrate of Abu, *vice* Mr. T. B. Russell, I.C.S., with effect from the 27th October 1916.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, BALUCHISTAN.

Buildings and Roads Branch.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 27th October 1916.

No. 2.—Whereas it appears to the Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan that land is reiired by Government for a public purpose, namely.

Khanai Hindubagh Railway.

Main line and station yards.

It is hereby declared that the undermentioned land is required for the said purpose.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 Act I of 1894 and under section of the said Act, the Deputy Commissioner of the Zhob District is hereby directed to take der for the acquisition of the said land.

Specification of land.

District.	Tahsil.	Mauzah.	Area in acres.	Boundaries.	Places where the plan may be inspected.
ıob .	Hindubagh	Kan . . .	70·17	North East of Khanai and along the valley of Zhob River.	In the office of the Deputy Commissioner at Fort Sandeman.
		Asozai Tilri . .	8·94		
		Murgha . .	41·64		
		Rahamgul Karez .	32·07		
			152·82		

No. 3.—Whereas it appears to the Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan that land is reiired by Government for a public purpose, namely,

Khanai Hindubagh Railway.

Main line and station yards.

It is hereby declared that the undermentioned land is required for the said purpose.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act I of 1894 and under ıction 7 of the said Act; the Deputy Commissioner of the Quetta-Pishin District is hereby rected to take order for the aquisition of the said land.

Specification of land.

District	Tahsil.	Mauzah.	Area in acres.	Boundaries.	Places where the plan may be inspected.
Quetta-Pishin.	Pishin .	Khanai . .	44,80	North East of Khanai station and along the valley of Lora River.	Office of Deputy Commissioner at Quetta.
		Ulgai . . .	33·04	Do.	
		Gwal . . .	113·30	Do.	
		Kashoi . .	45·14	Do.	
		Zarghun . .	67·36	Do.	
		Khanozai . .	40·08	Do.	
		Bolozai . .	37·80	Do. and along the valley of Surkhab River.	
		Murgha . .	108·97	Do.	
		Churmiana . .	80·85	Do.	
			573·34		

R. S. MACLAGAN, Colonel,

Secretary to Hon'ble A. G. G., in Baluchistan, P. W. D.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 4th November 1916.

No. 1607-*E*.—The services of L. Radha Kishan Saksena, Sub-Engineer, III grade attached to the IV Project Division, 2nd Circle, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, with effect from the afternoon of the 18th October 1916.

H. T. KEELING,
Secretary, P. W. D.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATION.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 31st October 1916.

No. 31.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India on Medical Certificate, with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name.

Sub-Lieutenant F. W. Angell, R.I.M. . . . Four months with effect from 26th October 1916.

No. 32.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the dates and for the periods specified against their names :—

Temporary Lieutenant F. W. C. Seddon, R.I.M. . 2 months and 5 days, with effect from 18th September 1916.

Engineer R. Vincent, R.I.M. . . . . 3 months and 25 days, with effect from 29th August 1916.

Bombay, the 2nd November 1916.

No. 33.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name.

Temporary Engineer H. L. Cummings, R.I.M. . . 2 months and 23 days, with effect from 20th September 1916.

F. J. WILSON,
Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.
In Insolvency.

No. 789 OF 1914.

Dated the 1st November 1916.

Re Haji Jawad Shaik Karim, of Bombay, Mahomedan Inhabitant residing at Bendhy Bazar, lately a rent-farmer and now unemployed; an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 17th day of December 1914, against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

No. 67 OF 1915.

Dated the 1st November 1916.

Re Maloobhai Mohomed Khoja of Bombay, Mahomedan Inhabitant residing at Doongri Street, lately a Building Contractor and now unemployed, an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 26th day of January 1915, against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
1916	Vithal Ramchandra Kelkar	Hindu	Dubash Building, Girgaum Back Road.	Lately Commission Agent in fruits in the name of V. K. Desai and Co., Forest and Building Contractor and also dealer in timber and now unemployed.	31st	October	1916	31st	October	1916
1916	Narayen Ziloo Birje	„	Sonapur Lane	Lately Clerk in the Bombay Port Trust and now unemployed.	„	„	„	„	„	„
1916	Karsondas Ghela Thucker	„	Vadgadi	Lately doing business as dealer in cloth in the name of M. Karsondas and now servant in the employ of Anoosaya Oomaji.	„	„	„	„	„	„
1916	Soodam Daji Madik and Chanderbhaga, widow of Pandoo Keshew Moray.	„	Elphinstone Road	Dealers in Toddy	„	„	„	„	„	„
1916	Oodeypalsing Abibaransing Thackore.	„	Lower Parel	Rivetter in the B., B. and C. I. Railway	„	„	„	„	„	„
1916	Balwant Mahadeo Banavalikar	„	No. 152, Girgaun Back Road	Sub-Inspector in the Bombay Municipality, Health Department.	1st	November	„	2nd	November	„
1916	Vithal Govind Warang	„	Tardeo	Sorting Clerk in the General Post Office	3rd	„	„	3rd	„	„

-1916	Merwanji Muncherji Daruwala	Parsi	Gowalia Tank	Lately building contractor and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
-1916	Gopaldas Guru Bhugwandasji	Hindu	Temple of Shri Runchordji at Bhuleshwar.	Unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"
-1916	Govindrao Narayen Umrudkar	"	Khetwadi Back Road	Lately native medical practitioner and now unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"
-1916	Dossabhai Rustomji Daruwala	Parsi	Parel Soparibaug Road	Lately landed proprietor and now unemployed.	4th	"	"	4th	"	"
-1916	Kanji Khimji Thaker	Hindu	Holi Chukla	Lately servant in the employ of Goculdas Madhowji and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
-1916	Meghji Bharmal Nagda	"	Mandvi	Speculator in silver	15th	September	"	"	"	"
-1916	Vasanji Dharsy Sha	"	Mandvi	Lately dealer in waste cotton and now unemployed.	30th	October	"	"	"	"
-1916	Dwarkanath Sunderji Dongalkar	"	No. 18, Bhatwali 2nd Lane	Accountant in the G. I. P. Railway Employés Co-operative Credit Society, Limited.	4th	November	"	"	"	"
-1916	John Luis	Eurasian	Parel	Machine-man in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Workshop, Parel.	6th	"	"	6th	"	"
-1916	Dagdeo Ranooji Bhosle	Hindu	Lady Jamsedji Road, Mahim No. 271.	Performer of native music	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT,
Bombay, this 6th day of November 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 181 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 6th October 1916.

In the matter of Maung Po Choe, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Choe, Clerk, residing at No. 39, 10th Street, ingoon, on the 5th day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Po Choe.

CASE No. 182 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 6th October 1916.

In the matter of Yeo Chiang Toe, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Yeo Chiang Toe of No. 38, Maung Khine Street, Rangoon, the 6th day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the iief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Yeo Chiang Toe.

CASE No. 183 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 31st October 1916.

In the matter of Maung Thaung, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolncy Act, 1909, presented by Maung Thaung unemployed residing at No. 92, Calvert oad, Rangoon, on the 30th day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was ade by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Thaung.

CASE No. 185 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 1st November 1916.

In the matter of Ismail Saleh Kotewal, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolncy Act, 1909, presented by Ismail Saleh Kotewal of No. 40B, 28th Street, Rangoon, the 1st day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the iief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ismail Saleh Kotewal.

CASE No. 186 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 2nd November 1916.

In the matter of Ghazi Khan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolncy Act, 1909, presented by Ghazi Khan, Coffee Shop-keeper residing at No. 33, Phayre reet, Rangoon, on the 1st day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency as made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ghazi han.

J. HORMASJI

IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, AJMER.

No. 11 OF 1914.

Mr. A. B. K. Gardiner . . . . Insolvent applicant

against

		Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Ganidi Lal	404	7	9
2.	Bansilal	68	9	3
3.	Seth Gamermal	66	7	3
4.	Hiralal	20	0	0
5.	Sheo Bahadar	43	1	3
6.	Ghanshamdass	152	0	0
7.	Jagat Narain	500	10	0
8.	Chiranjilal	136	4	0
9.	Khub Chand	41	8	3
10.	Radha Kishen	47	2	0
11.	Har Narain Sualal	32	0	6
12.	Dhan Raj	110	4	0
	TOTAL	1,622	6	3

In the above case the Insolvent has filed an application under Section 27 of Act III of 1907, of Insolvency Act and the application will be heard on 28th November 1916, at 11 A.M. The creditors are hereby informed that they must appear before the Court either in person or through an authorised agent.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court, this 1st day of November 1916.

S. ABDUL WAHID KHAN,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Ajmer.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 7th November 1916.

No. 2876-*G*.—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Mr. H. F. Playne, B. A., Military Accountant, 2nd class, Military Accounts Department, for three months on medical certificate.

No. 2877-*G*.—Mr. H. H. Leatham, Superintendent and Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 5th (Mhow) Division, is appointed as a temporary Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that division, with effect from the 14th October 1916.

No. 2878-*G*.—Mr. W. J. Greenaway, a Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, Burma Division, is appointed as a temporary Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Field Controller of Military Accounts, Poona, with effect from the 4th September 1916.

No. 2879-*G*.—Mr. P. St. L. Hogan, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 8th (Lucknow) Division, reverts to his own grade with effect from the 21st October 1916.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant General.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1ST TO 7TH NOVEMBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	(a) 25	2	...	27	13	...	13	1	(b) 42	26	3	72	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	23	...	...	23	26	...	26	...	(c) 134	7	1	142	4	4	...	...	...	...

(a) Includes 2 received from Bombay Mint.
(b) Exclusive of 56 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(c) Exclusive of 136 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, LT.-COLONEL, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT:
Calcutta, the 9th November 1916.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 3rd November 1916.

No. 1561-*C*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 16 of the Mhow, Nima and Nowgong Excise Law, 1898, the Agent to the Governor General in Central Ind with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, is pleased to prescribe duty of Rs. 2 per ser on opium imported into the Nimach Cantonment on and after the 1 November 1916.

By order,

P. NAND LAL.

for First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General in Central India.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 6th November 1916.

No. 1340-*B*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 12 and 37 of the Cod of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898) as applied to the Administered Areas in Centr India, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India is pleased to appoint Secon Lieutenant P. W. Marsh to be a Magistrate of the First Class in the Cantonment of Mho and to invest him with all the powers with which a Magistrate of the First Class may b invested.

No. 1343-*B*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 8 of the Cantonment Act, 1910 (XV of 1910) as applied to the Cantonment of Mhow, the Agent to the Governo General in Central India is pleased to appoint Second Lieutenant P. W. Marsh to be a Additional Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Mhow, and to empower him to tak cognizance of suits cognisable by a Court of Small Causes of which the value does no exceed Rs. 50.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General in Central India.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 2nd November 1916.

No. 2930-*s*. *Ap*.—Mr. R. E. Shalom, Superintendent of Post Offices, 5th grade, an Personal Assistant to the Postmaster-General, Central Circle, is granted privilege leave fo one month, with effect from the 10th November 1916, or from any subsequent date on whic he may avail himself of it.

Mr. Mahmoodul Hasan, Probationary Superintendent of Post Offices, Central Circle, i appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, and Personal Assistant t the Postmaster-General, Central Circle, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. R. E Shalom, or until further orders.

No. 2950-*s*.-*Ap*.—Mr. C. Malone is confirmed as Postmaster, Aden, pay Rs. 300—400 with effect from the 16th April 1916.

Simla, the 6th November 1916.

No. 2978-*s*.-*Ap*.—Mr. C. W. Taylor, Inspector of Post Offices, Sikkim Tibet Sub-Division and officiating Superintendent of Post Offices, 5th grade, and Assistant Director of Postal Services with the Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, is granted special leave on full pay for three months from the 18th September 1916, under Army Department letter No. H.-5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

The 7th November 1916.

No. 2993s-Ap.—Mr. S. R. Kothavala, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, is ranted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 1st November 1916 or from any ıbsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. B. E. Vachha, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, Indus Right Bank and ersian Gulf Division, is appointed to hold charge of the current duties of the office of the uperintendent of post offices, Indus Left Bank Division, in addition to his own, during the ɔsence on privilege leave of Mr. S. R. Kothavala, or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 3rd November 1916.

No. 3601-E.-E.—In this Department Notification No. 2126-s. E.-E., dated the 19th ɛptember 1916, against the name of Mr. S. Phillips—

For 10th June 1916 to 11th September 1916
Read 10th June 1916 to 10th September 1916.

H. S. STYAN,

for Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

The 8th November 1916.

No. 3621 E.-E.—Mr. R. F. Massey, Inspecting Telegraphist, is appointed Officiating ɛputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, with effect from the 13th to the 22nd Sepnber 1916, *vice* Mr. R. J. Comber, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, granted privi- ʒe leave for one month with effect from the 23rd August 1916.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 10th November 1916.

No. 5439-T.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 26th ɛtober 1916 to 8th November 1916.

Name of office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
ozai Camp	North-West Frontier	25th October 1916	Opened.
as	Punjab	1st " "	"
oranur	Madras	21st " "	"
ngi	North-West Frontier	24th " "	"
narzai	Ditto	23rd " "	"
	Railway Telegraph Office.		
tra	Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway.	15th February 1916	Opened.

The following alteration in the name of a Railway Telegraph Office is notified :—

On the North Western Railway.

"Bhau Sayadabad" instead of "Bhan"

R. MEREDITH,

Deputy Director-General of Telegraph Traffic.

DEPARTMENT OF EXPLOSIVES.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 9th November 1916.

No. 1872.—For the preamble to Notification No. 204, dated the 7th February 1916 publishing a list of "Authorized Explosives" the following is substituted:—

"With reference to the following Notifications publishing rules to regulate the manu facture, possession, sale, transport and importation of explosives, the following list o "Authorized Explosives" referred to in the rules mentioned against each Notification i published for general information:—

Rule 4 (3) of Notification No. 4013-33, dated the 6th June 1914, of the Governmen of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

Rule 4 (3) of Notification No. 1183, dated the 11th November 1914, of the Chie Commissioner, Central Provinces, applicable to Berar.

Rule 4 (3) of Notification No. 11, dated the 23rd April 1915, of the Resident i Mysore applicable to the Civil and Military Stations of Bangalore and on th Railways in Mysore under British Jurisdiction.

Rule 4 (3) of Notification No. 67-J., dated the 28th August 1914, } Rule 4 (3) of Notification No. 34-J., dated the 20th April 1915, } of the Resident at Hyderabad applicable t the Cantonments of Secunderabad an Aurangabad, the Hyderabad Residenc Bazars and the Railway lands in th Hyderabad State.

Rule 3 (3) of Notification No. 99, dated the 19th July 1916, of the Government o Burma applicable to the Northern Shan States."

C. A. MUSPRATT-WILLIAMS,

Lieut.-Colonel, R.A.,

Chief Inspector of Explosives in India.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

The following is a statement of the cash balances at the Home Treasury of the Govern ment of India on the last day of September 1916 and of the form in which they were held:—

	General Balance.	Gold Standard Reserve.
	£	£
Cash at the Bank of England	1,947,780	...
Short loans	6,084,792	4,265,208
Total Home Treasury balances as shown in the accounts	8,032,572	4,265,208
	12,297,780	

M. M. S. GUBBAY,

Offg. Controller of Currency.

THE TREASURY;

Calcutta, the 10th November 1916.

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25th August 1916.

„ September „

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30th „ „

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30th „ „
7th October „
21st „ „
28th „ „

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PUBLICATIONS ISSUED BY THE METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT FROM 1ST MAY TO 31ST OCTOBER 1916.

Monthly Weather Review for November 1915 to February 1916. Re. 1 per month.

Memoirs of the Indian Meteorological Department—

Volume XXI, Part XIV, by S. M. Jacob, I.C.S. Correlation of rainfall and the succeeding crops with special reference to the Punjab. Re. 1.

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PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

NOTICE.

I, Mary Enid Hunter, heretofore called and known by the name of Mary Enid Schneider, at present residing at Church Mission Lodge, Aligarh, hereby give public notice that on the fourteenth day of June 1916, I formally and absolutely renounced, relinquished and abandoned the use of my said surname of *Schneider*, and then assumed and adopted and determined thenceforth on all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name of *Hunter* instead of the said surname of Schneider.

CHURCH MISSION LODGE, ALIGARH,
The 23rd September 1916.

M. E. HUNTER,
Late M. E. Schneider.

NOTICE.

Whereas the undersigned has been appointed Voluntary Liquidator of the Kayasth Mercantile Banking Company, Ld., Delhi, now under voluntary winding up, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the Bank will be held on Sunday, the 12th November 1916, in the premises of the 'Tolwen Medical Hall', Katrá Khushalrái, Delhi, at 4 P. M. in persuance of Section 209 of Act VII of 1913.

BHAGWANT KISHORE,
Medical Practitioner and Voluntary Liquidator of the
Kayasth Mercantile Banking Co., Ld., Delhi,
Now Under Voluntary Liquidation.

LOST.

The upper half of a Government Promissory Note No. 200391 of 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 500 originally standing in the name of the Controller of Currency and last endorsed to the Collector of Monghyr, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and at the Monghyr Treasury where it was enfaced for payment, and an application is being made for the issue of a duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—COLLECTOR,

Residence—Monghyr.

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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

A SUPPLEMENT *to the* GAZETTE OF INDIA *will be published from time to time containing such official papers and information as the Government of India may deem to be of interest to the Public, and such as may usefully be made known. The debates of the Legislative Council of His Excellency the Governor General will in future be published in* PART VI *of the* GAZETTE.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue)

[In thousands of Rupees]

	In the seven months, April to October, of									
	1907-08	1908-09	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
SEA CUSTOMS										
IMPORTS										
Special Import Duties										
Arms, ammunition, and military stores	2,99	2,84	2,76	2,81	2,62	3,34	3,77	3,34	3,07	5,42
Coal, coke, and patent fuel (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
Cotton manufactures (b)—										
Piecegoods, grey	39,52	31,54	33,96	32,58	37,71	49,70	51,44	46,32	39,09	34,80
" white	21,95	17,64	12,90	17,83	21,44	25,28	38,91	24,78	20,94	26,59
" coloured	21,69	22,69	15,80	23,28	25,36	27,94	39,44	25,37	15,44	28,80
Other goods	3,96	4,02	3,71	4,96	5,15	5,45	8,16	4,32	2,49	5,22
Liquors—										
Ale, beer, porter, cider and other fermented liquors	1,61	2,83	2,80	4,46	4,39	4,06	4,64	4,05	3,05	4,58
Spirits and liqueurs	52,35	52,96	52,70	60,05	60,32	59,54	64,25	63,73	56,66	61,70
Wines	2,11	2,10	2,08	2,99	3,00	2,91	2,99	2,43	2,55	3,39
Opium and its alkaloids (c)	3	2	2	4	3	4	4	2	3	4
Petroleum	26,43	30,63	26,91	30,98	43,09	38,56	35,07	44,47	37,92	27,22
Silver, bullion and coin (d)	30,38	43,34	33,46	1,08,75	64,71	70,95	43,87	83,42	66,90	11,95
Silver plate, silver thread and wire, and silver manufactures, all sorts (e)	..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,98
Sugar (countervailing duties, 1899 and 1902)	...	...	...	1	...	11	...	...	...	...
Sugar, all sorts (b)	24,70	27,63	33,05	35,65	34,54	39,63	52,63	26,78	30,76	69,99
Tobacco (d)	2,13	1,96	2,56	16,75	14,84	15,42	16,74	15,31	14,00	27,85
General Import Duties										
Articles of food and drink (excluding sugar)	12,76	14,12	12,68	13,26	13,50	15,20	16,24	14,24	16,14	28,01
Chemicals, drugs and medicines, and dyeing and tanning materials, all sorts	8,27	7,42	7,98	9,29	9,21	10,03	10,78	8,56	8,34	18,70
Metals (excluding silver, bullion and coin) and manufactures thereof	22,65	28,84	24,43	28,86	28,88	27,72	39,73	35,14	21,05	48,48
Oils (excluding petroleum)	1,68	89	71	82	65	83	1,02	97	1,02	2,11
Manufactured articles	55,14	58,05	51,84	64,11	70,97	78,12	91,86	68,28	65,80	1,40,03
Raw materials and unmanufactured articles	8.00	9,84	8,24	8,48	8,42	10,72	8,05	8,59	7,71	12,00
TOTAL IMPORTS	3,38,50	3,59,36	3,28,54	4,65,96	4,48,83	4,86,45	5,23,63	4,80,02	4,13,56	5,59,68
EXCISE DUTY ON COTTON GOODS	16,12	16,45	17,86	18,74	22,09	25,10	24,42	22,46	20,61	21,87
Export Duties										
Jute (raw), including cuttings (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24,09
Jute manufactures (a)—										
Sacking	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11,92
Hessians and all other descriptions	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12,64
Rice, husked or unhusked, including rice-flour	50,47	36,31	44,04	59,81	65,02	73,50	62,70	44,13	35,78	44,74
Tea (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22,74
TOTAL EXPORTS	50,47	36,31	44,04	59,81	65,02	73,50	62,70	44,13	35,78	1,16,13
LAND CUSTOMS AND MISCELLANEOUS	5,99	5,13	5,90	5,67	6,53	7,47	7,79	8,95	7,70	9,37
GRAND TOTAL	4,11,08	4,17,25	3,96,34	5,50,18	5,42,47	5,92,52	6,18,54	5,55,56	4,77,65	7,07,20
Provincial distribution of Imports and Exports										
Bengal — Imports	1,27,65	1,15,63	1,14,48	1,44,73	1,57,09	1,65,88	1,91,68	1,70,48	1,47,53	2,08,00
Bengal — Exports	4,62	3,71	5,98	10,12	11,80	15,40	10,18	6,11	1,98	70,36
Bihar and Orissa — Imports	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa — Exports	—	—	—	—	—	56	69	13	...	...
Bombay — Imports	1,35,81	1,34,81	1,22,05	2,10,65	1,71,08	1,91,47	1,87,01	1,86,77	1,60,46	2,02,80
Bombay — Exports	89	1,17	1,74	1,11	76	95	1,19	1,26	1,45	3,43
Sind — Imports	27,48	35,82	31,17	40,46	44,06	47,40	50,40	40,42	37,91	48,38
Sind — Exports	2,26	94	1,35	1,05	1,02	97	1,82	1,39	1,54	2,60
Madras — Imports	26,44	33,20	28,57	33,13	36,87	37,68	42,08	42,49	32,05	50,29
Madras — Exports	6,99	6,27	3,79	3,45	4,81	3,67	4,89	5,01	7,62	8,30
Burma — Imports	31,14	39,60	32,27	30,99	39,73	44,07	52,56	39,86	35,61	50,27
Burma — Exports	35,71	25,22	31,18	44,08	46,63	51,95	43,93	30,23	23,19	31,44

(a) Not subject to duty prior to March 1916
(b) Figures prior to March 1916 represent "*General Import Duties*"
(c) The duty on alkaloids of opium for the years previous to 1910-11 is included under the head "Chemicals, drugs, etc."
(d) Figures for the years previous to 1910-11 represent "*General Import Duties*"
(e) Figures prior to March 1916 are included with "Manufactured articles"

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics

H. F. HOWARD,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India

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Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Medical.

Simla, the 4th November, 1916.
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No. 606.—In pursuance of section 8 of the Indian Medical Degrees Act, 1916 (VII of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to authorise the Board of Examiners of the Burma Government Medical School to license as Licensed Medical Practitioners those students of the Burma Government Medical School who passed the qualifying tests prescribed by the said Board in medicine, surgery and midwifery in July 1916.

POLICE.

The 3rd November, 1916.

No. 963.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Indian Arms Rules, 1909, namely:—

In schedule II as revised by the Home Department notification no. 619, dated the 7th July 1916, in the first column of entry no. 16, for the words "The Province of Delhi", the words "The North-West Frontier Province and the Province of Delhi," shall be substituted.

PORT BLAIR.

The 10th November, 1916.

No. 424.—Mr. B. T. Roussac, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Burma, is appointed to be Deputy Superintendent of Police, Port Blair, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties.

PUBLIC.

The 9th November, 1916.

No. 954.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 39, sub-section (1) of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, ch. 61), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the Governor General's Executive Council shall assemble at Delhi.

J. H. DU BOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 5th November, 1916.

No. 2533-Est.-A.—Mr. D. G. Mackenzie, of the Political Department, is posted as Assistant Commissioner, Bannu, with effect from the 9th October, 1916.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ORDER OF THE STAR OF INDIA.

The 7th November, 1916.

No. 45-S.I.—The following extract from the Supplement, dated the 18th August 1916, to the London Gazette of the same date is published for general information :—

* * * * *

INDIA OFFICE,

18th August, 1916.

The King has been graciously pleased to make the following appointment to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, for meritorious service in connection with the War.

To be an Additional Companion of the said Most Exalted Order.

Henry Robert Conway Dobbs, Esquire, C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Revenue Commissioner, Occupied Territories, Basra.

* * * * *

By order of the Grand Master,

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

ORDER OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE.

The 7th November, 1916.

No. 114-I.E.—The following extract from the Supplement, dated the 18th August 1916, to the London Gazette of the same date is published for general information :—

* * * * *

INDIA OFFICE,

18th August, 1916.

The King has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, in recognition of the meritorious services of the undermentioned gentlemen during the War :—

To be Additional Companions of the said Most Eminent Order.

* * * * *

Major Gerard Evelyn Leachman, Royal Sussex Regiment, Assistant Political Officer, Basra.

Reader William Bullard, Esquire, Levant Consular Service, Civil Adviser to the Principal Military Governor, Basra.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Frederick Walter Radcliffe, Dorsetshire Regiment, Deputy Military Governor, Basra.

Edward Leonard Bagshawe, Esquire, Telegraph Department, Basra.

Charles John Emile Clerici, Esquire, Postal Department, Basra.

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By order of the Grand Master,

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire.

The 8th November, 1916.

No. 2550-Est.-A.—Captain W. G. Neale, of the Political Department on return from leave, is posted as Second Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, with effect from the 27th October, 1916.

No. 2551-Est.-A.—Mr. T. B. Russell, I.C.S., officiating in the Political Department, is placed on special duty under the orders of the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, with effect from the 27th October, 1916.

No. 2553-Est.-A.—The services of the officer named below have been replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Fisher, D.S.O., Indian Medical Service (Bengal).

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 9th November, 1916.

No. 2021-G.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. D. W. Gillespie, as Vice-Consul for Norway at Tuticorin.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 9th November, 1916.

No. 2561-Est.-A.—Mr. D. S. Fraser, I. C. S., officiating in the Political Department, was granted privilege leave for 18 days, under Article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd October 1916.

The 10th November, 1916.

No. 2469-I. B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and in continuation of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 2424 I. B., dated the 2nd November 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 10808-W.-II, dated the 4th November 1916, shall apply to Berar.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 9th November, 1916.

No. 1242-F.E.—Mr. R. Srinivasa Ayyar, Deputy Accountant General, Madras, has been granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 23rd October 1916.

Mr. G. J. C. Hodson, an Accountant in the office of the Accountant General, Madras, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, class II, in that office, with effect from the 23rd October 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. R. S. Ayyar.

No. 1243-F.E.—Mr. C. H. Ricketts, Accountant, 1st grade, has been promoted to Chief Accountant, class II, temporary rank, with effect from the 2nd September 1916 and has been posted as Accounts Officer, Nushki Extension Railway, with effect from the same date.

No. 1244-F.E.—Mr. J. L. DeVine, Deputy Comptroller, Central Provinces, has been granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 25th October 1916.

No. 1245-F.E.—Mr. T. E. Mutter, Workshop Accountant, has been attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway, with effect from the 21st October 1916.

No. 1246-F.E.—Mr. F. D. Buxy has been posted as Assistant Comptroller, Central Provinces, with effect from the 25th October 1916.

H. F. HOWARD,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 9th November, 1916.

No. 25.—The undermentioned gentlemen have been appointed as Assistant Engineers on probation by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India and are posted as follows :—

Mr. Abul Rahim ... ... United Provinces, Irrigation Branch.
Mr. R. C. Bonnaud ... ... Burma.

The 10th November, 1916.

No. 26.—Under the provisions of Section 4 of the Northern India Ferries Act, XVII of 1878, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the Sangurpur Ferry on the river Jumna between the districts of Meerut in the United Provinces and Delhi in the Province of Delhi, shall be deemed to be a public ferry, and that, for the purposes of the Act, it is situated in the Delhi district of the Province of Delhi.

F. C. ROSE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 11th November, 1916.

No. 11063-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the entry " 27. The Beechwood Estate Company. Limited " shall be deleted from the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 6806-W.-II, dated the 5th August 1916.

CUSTOMS.

The 4th November, 1916.

No. 10877-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

Item 46 " Coal (other than Welsh coal) and coke " shall be *deleted*, and in item 4 for the words " Coal, Welsh " the words " Coal and Coke " shall be *substituted*.

The 11th November, 1916.

No. 11006-W.-II—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz.* :—

Additions.

Cheung Hing Tai	Canton.
Yen Fuh, Dr.	Canton.

No. 11107-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9954-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916 :—

After sub-clause (*f*) to proviso (*ii*) *add* as sub-clause

" (*g*) imports of sugar or petroleum."

No. 11108-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9961-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916 :—

In proviso (*ii*) (*f*) *omit* the words " Sugar and ", and after the words " paving stones ", *add* the word " petroleum."

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 11th November, 1916.

No. 11057.—Mr. P. Eccles, I.C.S., an officiating Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is transferred from Bombay to Madras with effect from the 25th October 1916.

No. 11059.—The following reversions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified, with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. J. A. Stevens ...	Collector, class I, officiating	Collector, class II, substantive.	25th October 1916.
Mr. E. G. L. Laird-Mac Gregor, I.C.S., *on leave*.	Collector, class II, officiating	Collector, class III, substantive.	25th October 1916.
Mr. C. W. E. Cotton, I.C.S.	Collector, class II, officiating	Collector, class III, substantive.	25th October 1916.
Mr. G. N. Bower ...	Collector, class III, officiating	Assistant Collector, substantive.	5th November 1916.

GEOLOGY AND MINERALS.

The 11th November, 1916.

No. 10855.—Mr. C. S. Middlemiss, C.I.E., F.G.S., Superintendent, Geological Survey of India, is appointed to officiate as Director, Geological Survey of India, with effect from the 2nd October 1916, *vice* Dr. H. H. Hayden, C.I.E., F.R.S., on leave.

POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 11th November, 1916.

No. 11038.—The following permanent promotions in the higher grades of the superior establishment of the Indian Telegraph Department are sanctioned with effect from the dates specified :—

Mr. R. Meredith, C.I.E., Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic, to be permanently in the grade of Rs. 2,000, with effect from the 1st October 1916

Mr. H. C. A. Goodall, Director, Telegraph Engineering, to be permanently in the grade of Rs. 2,000, with effect from the 1st October 1916.

Mr. G. P. Roy, Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, to be permanently in the grade of Rs. 1,500, with effect from the 1st October 1916.

Mr. G. W. Talbot, Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, to be permanently in the grade of Rs. 1,500, with effect from the 1st October 1916.

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GENERAL.

The 11th November, 1916.

No. 11052.—In consequence of the appointment of the Honourable Mr. C. E. Low, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of India in this Department, as a member of the Indian Industrial Commission, the following sub. *pro tempore* arrangements are made, with effect from the 15th November 1916 and until further orders :—

Mr. A. H. Ley, I.C.S., Deputy Secretary, to act as Secretary and Mr. S. H. Slater, I.C.S., to act as Deputy Secretary, in this Department.

I. D. ELLIOTT,

Under Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Simla, the 9th November, 1916.

No. 405.—The Reverend C. P. Cory, a Senior Chaplain on the Bengal (Rangoon) Ecclesiastical Establishment, has been permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 3rd January 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 10th November 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 1342.—The undermentioned military pupils, having passed their final examination, to be 4th class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 2nd October 1916 :—

Cyril Edward Hynes.
Robert James Foy Campbell.
Robert Victor Gibbs.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 1343.—The following corrections are made to Army Department Notification No. 1241, dated 19th October 1916, publishing a list of officers, non-commissioned officers and men, brought to notice by Lieut.-General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., in connection with the operations of Indian Expeditionary Force "D" from the 19th January to the 30th April 1916.

UNDER "INDIAN ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT."

For "Carter, E. R., Lieut.-Colonel," *read* "Carter, E. P., Lieut.-Colonel, R. A."
For "Briggs, I. B., Sub-Conductor," *read* "Biggs, J. B., Sub-Conductor."

FURLOUGH.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 1344.—Major R. Scott, Indian Army, was granted furlough on medical certificate, under Article 311, Civil Service Regulations, for 4 months and 6 days, with effect from the 19th May 1916.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1345.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Ferdinand Henry Christian Nissen. Dated 3rd November 1916.

Infantry Branch.

Horace Graham Wyatt. Dated 1st November 1916.
Arthur Henry Foddy. Dated 4th November 1916.

Charles Archibald Webb.
Robert Harold Mansel Harvey.
Norman Quick.
} Dated 6th November 1916.

Alfred Ireland Aymer.
Owen Rodway Scott.
Velters Cornwalle Fitzhardinge Berkeley.
Egerton Gartside Scott-Brown.
Cyril Joseph Cleary.
Edward Cecil Granby Pelham-Clay.
Robert Duncan McKenzie.
James Robert Kenneth Wallace.
Ronald Beveridge.
Arthur Stevens.
Harry Cornish.
Harry Claude Arnele Hunter.
George Darrel Peal.
Cuthbert Sutcliffe Harper.
} Dated 10th November 1916.

No. 1346.—Sutherland Robert Macdonald [Temporary Second Lieutenant, 1st Garrison Battalion, Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)], to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 6th November 1916, but to rank from the 25th June 1915.

No. 1347.—Second Lieutenant Ferdinand Henry Christian Nissen, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, while employed in the Army Remount Department, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 3rd November 1916.

No. 1348.—Second Lieutenant David Patrick Copeland, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Recruiting Officer for Gurkhas, Gorakpur, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 20th October 1916.

No. 1349.—The date of appointment of Alfred Lyon Hill as a Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers is the 24th November 1914, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1082, dated the 4th December 1914.

No. 1350.—Second-Lieutenant Valentine Gardner Hyde-Smith, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, No. 10 Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 18th October 1916.

No. 1351.—Lindsay Reed is appointed as a Second Lieutenant to the Cavalry Branch and not the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1246, dated the 20th October 1916.

No. 1352.—Lieutenant William Atkinson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Director of Traffic, Indian Expeditionary Force " D, " subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 10th November 1916.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1353.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Supplement dated the 4th October 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 3rd October 1916, pages 9635, 9639 and 9640.

War Office,
4th October 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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Major R. L. Ricketts, 10th Lrs., Ind. Army, to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst empld. as a G. S. O., 1st Grade. 25th Aug. 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Honorary Major-General Arthur Henry Taylor, retired pay, late 21st Hussars, to be Colonel of the 21st (Empress of India's) Lancers. Dated 20th August 1916.

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INFANTRY.

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Service Battalions.

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W. York. R.

Temp. Lt.-Col. F. W. Evatt (Maj., ret., Ind. Army) relinquishes his temp. rank on vacating the comd. of a Bn. on account of ill health. Oct. 1916.

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Second Supplement dated the 5th October 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 3rd October 1916, pages 9645 and 9646.

War Office,
5th October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. to be made :—

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GENERAL STAFF.

G. S. Os., 1st Grade.—Lt.-Col. A. I. R. Glasfurd, D.S.O., 46th Punjabis, Ind. Army, *vice* Lt.-Col. H. R. Cumming, Durh. L. I. 27th Aug. 1916.

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2nd Grade.—

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7th Sept. 1916.

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Maj. A. G. Thomson, D.S.O., 58th Vaughan's Rif., Ind. Army, *vice* Lt.-Col. F. D. Finlay, Wilts. R.

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A. G.'s AND Q. M. G.'s STAFF.

A. A. and Q. M. G.—Lt.-Col. F. J. Moberly, D.S.O., 25th Punjabis, Ind. Army, *vice* Lt.-Col. W. Belk, Res. of Off. 23rd Sept. 1916.

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The undermentioned temp. appt. is made at the War Office :—

Staff Capt.—Maj. D. H. Cameron, ret. pay, Ind. Army, *vice* temp. Capt. The Hon. E. E. Charteris. 19th Sept. 1916.

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"London Gazette," dated the 6th October 1916, page 9661.

War Office,
6th October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made :—

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.).—Lt. G. F. C. Shakespear, 88th Inf., Ind. Army. 1st Aug. 1916.

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Second Supplement dated the 9th October 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 6th October 1916, pages 9733 and 9734.

War Office,
9th October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

MACHINE GUN CORPS (INFANTRY).

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Labour Battalions.

R. W. Surr. R.—

Lt.-Col. E. G. R. Wilkins (Ind. Army) to comd. a Bn. 29th Sept. 1916.

Bt. Col. C. H. M. Hitchins (ret., Ind. Army), from Midd'x R., to comd. a Bn., *vice* Lt.-Col. E. C. B. Cotgrave, who exchanges. 1 Oct. 1916.

Works Battalions.

Midd'x R.

Lt.-Col. E. C. B. Cotgrave (ret., Ind. Army), from R. W. Surr. R., to comd. a Bn., *vice* Bt.-Col. C. H. M. Hitchins, who exchanges. 1 Oct. 1916.

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"London Gazette" dated the 10th October 1916, pages 9745, 9746, 9748 and 9750.

War Office,
10th October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.)—21st Aug. 1916 :—

Col. (Hon. Brig.-Gen.) J. T. Evatt, D.S.O., ret. pay, Ind. Army.

Col. C. A. Fowler, C.B., D.S.O., Ind. Army.

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MACHINE GUN CORPS (INFANTRY).

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Works Battalions—

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J. A. W. Cooper (Capt., Ind. Vols.) to be temp. Lt. 28th Sept. 1916.

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Supplement dated the 11th October 1916, to the "London Gazette" of the 10th October 1916, pages 9823 and 9824.

War Office,
11th October 1916.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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INFANTRY.

Northumberland Fus.—Lt.-Col. R. M. Edwards, retired, I.A., to be Lt.-Col. (temp.) 2nd Oct. 1916.

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1354.—The undermentioned officers are granted the temporary rank specified and while holding the appointments noted against their names :—

To be temporary Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. Holdich, 2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force), Assistant Quartermaster-General. Dated the 10th December 1915.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel C. E. Kitson, D.S.O., 2nd Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)—Assistant Quartermaster-General. Dated the 13th May 1916.

Major A. S. Capper, 39th King George's Own Central India Horse, Assistant Quartermaster-General. Dated the 4th June 1916.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel C. L. Norman, M.V.O., Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's)—General Staff Officer, 1st Grade. Dated the 2nd July 1916.

Major E. M. Taylor, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force)—Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General. Dated the 9th July 1916.

Major P. H. Dundas, D.S.O., 6th Jat Light Infantry—Embarkation Commandant (Graded as Assistant Quartermaster-General). Dated the 17th July 1916.

Major H. D. Belgrave, 2nd Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)—Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General. Dated the 24th August 1916.

Captain (temporary Major) J. C. Macrae, D.S.O., 19th Punjabis—Assistant Quartermaster-General. Dated the 8th September 1916.

Major A. C. Edwardes, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers—Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General. Dated the 10th September 1916.

To be temporary Captain.

2nd Lieutenant A. Guthrie, "B" Battery, Volunteer Artillery—Assistant Embarkation Staff Officer (Graded as Staff Captain). Dated the 15th May 1916.

To be temporary Lieutenant.

2nd Lieutenant S. L. Nathan, Indian Army Reserve of Officers—Assistant Embarkation Staff Officer (Graded as Staff Captain). Dated the 13th June 1916.

No. 1355.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Captains to be temporary Majors.

18th July 1916.

John Arthur Muirhead, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

18th August 1916.

George Ramsay Maitland, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.

Lieutenants to be temporary Captains.

2nd September 1916.

Douglas Raymond Montford, 98th Infantry.

3rd September 1916.

Malcolm Louis Woollcombe, 28th Light Cavalry.

30th October 1916.

Lieutenant Ian Francis Gordon Hall, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force), whilst holding the appointment of Brigade Machine Gun Officer.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

7th November 1916.

Cuthbert William Arthur Barwis, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).

8th November 1916.

Anthony Aloysius Emmanuel Filose, attached 39th King George's Own Central India Horse.

Alexander Donald Powys Campbell, attached 106th Hazara Pioneers.

Hubert Thomas de la Motte, 29th Punjabis.

Brian Kingsley Dymott, attached 31st Punjabis.

Michael Rookherst Roberts, attached 113th Infantry.

Lancelot George Werge Hamber, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Frank Powell, 39th Garhwal Rifles.

Alec Palmer ffleetwood Churchill, 37th Dogras.

Carleton Stuart Searle, M. C., attached 97th Deccan Infantry.

Kenneth O'Brien Harding, attached 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).

Stephen Vaughan Palmer, 84th Punjabis.

Lancelot Lawrence Thwaytes, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

William Robert Lambert, 97th Deccan Infantry.

Aubrey Rivett Whistler, attached 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).

Duncan St. Vincent Gordon, attached 39th King George's Own Central India Horse.

Charlton Walter Palin, 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.

Alfred Cyril Curtis, M. C., attached 45th Rattray's Sikhs.

Rowland Eustace, 39th Garhwal Rifles.

Noel Alick Watson, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).

Robert Hamilton Birch Wilson, 9th Gurkha Rifles.

David Walter McLeod Prinsep, 3rd Skinner's Horse.

Neville Edward Marriott, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Arthur Amys Fausset-Baker, 21st Punjabis.

John William Guise, 45th Rattray's Sikhs.

No. 1356.—The undermentioned Second Lieutenant to be temporary Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

Infantry.

J. F. A. Swanston, 1-4th Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment). Dated 5th September 1916.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1357.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Donald Harry Ferguson, M.C.	Dated 30th July 1915.
Robert Reginald Balfour McLean.	Dated 21st February 1916.
Guy St. George Higginson.	Dated 17th October 1916.

No. 1358.—In Army Department Notification No. 1284, dated the 27th October 1916 *for* " John Stuart Thompson " *read* " John Stuart Thomson."

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 1359.—The following officiating promotions are notified:—

Rank and name.	From	To	Period.	REMARKS.
Lt.-Col. T. G. P. Lawrenson	3rd grade ...	2nd grade ...	From 15th May 1916 to 14th July 1916.	*Vice* Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. S. Prince, 2nd grade Cantonment Magistrate, granted privilege leave, *vide* United Provinces Gazette Notification No. 1982-11-195, dated 6th May 1916.
Lt.-Col. H. deV. Harvest	2nd grade ...	1st grade ...	From 22nd May 1916 to 1st July 1916.	*Vice* Lieutenant-Colonel E. Waller, 1st grade Cantonment Magistrate, granted privilege leave, *vide* Central Provinces Gazette Notification No. 935, dated 4th May 1916.
Major W. T. Barry ...	3rd grade ...	2nd grade ...	From 22nd May 1916 to 1st July 1916.	
Lt.-Col. W. G. Hodgson	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 29th May 1916 to 1st July 1916.	*Vice* Major Wimberley, 2nd grade Cantonment Magistrate, granted furlough to England on medical certificate for 8 months in continuation of privilege leave, *vide* Central India Gazette Notifications Nos. 1509-D., dated 28th June 1916, 2262-D., dated 6th September 1916 and Gazette of India Notification No. 1245, dated 20th October 1916.
Major W. T. Barry ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 2nd July 1916 to 14th July 1916.	
Lt.-Col. T. G. P. Lawrenson	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 15th July 1916.	
Major J. K. Knowles ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 5th June 1916 to 1st July 1916.	*Vice* Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. Walker, 2nd grade Cantonment Magistrate, granted privilege leave, *vide* United Provinces Gazette Notification No. 2189-11-108, dated 16th May 1916.
Lt.-Col. W. G. Hodgson ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 2nd July 1916 to 14th July 1916.	
Major W. T. Barry ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 15th July 1916 to 16th July 1916.	
Lt.-Col. F. S. Walker ...	2nd grade ...	1st grade ...	From 7th June 1916 to 1st July 1916.	*Vice* Lieutenant-Colonel R. R. Vaughan, 1st grade Cantonment Magistrate granted privilege leave, *vide* Punjab Gazette Notification No. 252-Gazette-4, dated 14th June 1916.
Lt.-Col. H. deV. Harvest	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 2nd July 1916 to 19th July 1916.	
Major A. T. Kirkwood	3rd grade ...	2nd grade ...	From 7th June 1916 to 1st July 1916.	
Major J. K. Knowles ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 2nd July 1916 to 14th July 1916.	
Lt.-Col. W. G. Hodgson ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 15th July 1916 to 16th July 1916.	
Major W. T. Barry ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 17th July 1916 to 19th July 1916.	

Rank and name.	From	To	Period.	REMARKS.
Major W. T. Barry ...	3rd grade ...	2nd grade ...	From 15th August 1916 to 17th October 1916.	*Vice* Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. L. Cowie, 2nd grade Cantonment Magistrate (sub. *pro tem.*), granted privilege leave, *vide* United Provinces Gazette Notification No. 3324-11-414, dated 26th July 1916.
Lt.-Col. W. G. Hodgson ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	From 1st September 1916 to 12th October 1916.	*Vice* Lieutenant-Colonel N. T. Parker, 2nd grade Cantonment Magistrate, granted privilege leave, *vide* Bengal Gazette Notification No. 2236-A.D., dated 24th August 1916.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 1360.—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeon is promoted to the 2nd class, with effect from the 3rd November 1916.

Ernest Hugh Boilard.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

No. 1361—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon to be 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 17th October 1916 :—

No. 986 Abdus Sattar Khan (E).

(E) Passed in English.

Madras Establishment.

No. 1362—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class, and passed the required departmental examination, to be 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 15th October 1916 :—

No. 1396 M. Tandavarayan Pillai.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

Amalgamated List.

No. 1363.—Staff-Serjeant Percy Robert Bagg, Amalgamated List, to be Sub-Conductor on the Amalgamated List, *vice* Sub-Conductor Samuel Dukes, deceased ; with effect from the 22nd October 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1364.—The following promotions are made :—

4th Cavalry.

Kot-Dafadar Amar Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th August 1916 and Dafadar Indraj Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th August 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).

Lance-Dafadar Muhammad Ayub Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th September 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

18th King George's Own Lancers.

Risaldar Malik Ahmadyar Khan to be Risaldar-Major, with effect from the 14th August 1916, Ressaidar Lakha Singh to be Risaldar, with effect from the 6th August 1916, Ressaidar Dost Muhammad Khan, I.O.M., to be Risaldar, with effect from 14th August 1916, Jemadar Malik Sultan Ahmad Khan to be

Ressaidar, with effect from the 6th August 1916, Jemadar Tawakli Khan to be Ressaidar, and Kot-Dafadars Fateh Ali Khan and Sultan Mahmud Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 14th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

28th Light Cavalry.

Risaldar Miyan Din Khan to be Risaldar-Major, with effect from the 9th January 1916, *vice* Ibrahim Ap Khan, *Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment.

Ressaidar Sher Shah Khan to be Risaldar, with effect from the 8th April 1916, *vice* Malik Sher Shah Khan, transferred to the pension establishment.

Jemadar Muhammad Akbar Khan to be Ressaidar and Kot-Dafadar Shaikh Haidar to be Jemadar, with effect from the 24th August 1916, *vice* Yunus-Ap-Khan, transferred to the pension establishment.

38th King George's Own Central India Horse.

Dafadar Mahmud Shah to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th August 1916, *vice* Ressaidar Asim Khan, deceased.

5th Labour Corps.

Pensioned Subadar Sabhapati to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 4th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

Machine Gun Companies.

Havildar Phaga Singh (No. 1 Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery), Havildar Major Sharaf Din and Havildars Khushal Singh (No. 9 Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery), Sapuran Singh, Bhola Singh, and Shah Ahmad, [22nd Derajat Mountain Battery (Frontier Force)], Gurdit Singh, Ram Singh and Madat Khan [24th Hazara Mountain Battery (Frontier Force)], Havildar-Majors Lakha Singh and Dharam Singh, Havildars Nur Muhammad and Ram Singh (25th Mountain Battery), Ran Singh (29th Mountain Battery), Bishan Singh and Ata Muhammad (32nd Mountain Battery), and Bakhsh Khan (The Frontier Garrison Artillery) to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.

Jemadars Assa Singh, Pahlad Singh, Partab Singh and Raghubir Singh to be Subadars with effect from the 9th March 1916, Jemadar Chhatar Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 19th April 1916, Jemadar Jiwan Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 19th May 1916, Colour-Havildar Umrao Singh, 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment) and Havildars Chiranji Singh, Balwant Singh and Dhal Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 9th March 1916; to complete the establishment.

18th Infantry.

Havildar Niaz Muhammad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th March 1916 and Havildar Miran Baksh Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th June 1916; to complete the establishment.

24th Punjabis.

Jemadar Hashim Ali Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 6th July 1915; to complete the establishment.

45th Rattray's Sikhs.

Havildar Chanan Singh (Burma Military Police) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Colour-Havildar Makhan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th October 1916 to complete the establishment.

82nd Punjabis.

Colour-Havildar Gujar Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th August 1916, and Havildar Sewa Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 2nd September 1916; to complete the establishment.

83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Jemadar Ellappah to be Subadar and Havildar-Major Basith Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1916; *vice* Muhammad Azam transferred to the pension establishment.

84th Punjabis.

Colour-Havildars Tara Singh and Firoz Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 15th October 1916; and to be seconded.

92nd Punjabis.

Havildar Rur Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

109th Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Umar Bakhsh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

112th Infantry.

Havildar Latte Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 3rd March 1916 and Havildar Gulichand Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th July 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Subadar Tulsiram Gharti to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 13th April 1916; to complete the establishment.

No. 1365.—The following Indian officer of the Burma Military Police is appointed to be a temporary Jemadar in the Indian Army, with effect from the date specified against his name:—

Jemadar Nadar Khan—Jemadar in the 27th Punjabis, dated the 25th August 1916.

38th Dogras.

No. 1366.—The following direct appointment is made:—

Pundit Tota Ram to be Jemadar on probation, with effect from the 16th October 1916, to fill an existing vacancy.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1367.—In Army Department Notification No. 1168, dated 29th September 1916, *for* "12th September 1916" *read* "13th September 1916."

RETENTIONS.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

No. 1368.—Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Alfred Lang, supernumerary, is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 5th October 1916, until further orders, and will continue to be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Bombay Light Horse.

No. 1369.—Edmund George Pearson to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 11th October 1916.

Punjab Light Horse.

No. 1370.—George Cunningham to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st October 1916.

Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.

No. 1371.—Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Whyte Clark, V.D., Supernumerary List, is granted the honorary rank of Colonel, on retirement, with permission to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated the 15th June 1916.

Nagpur Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1372.—Geoffrey Evans to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st October 1916.

William Shaw Rowlands to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st October 1916.

Vincent Aubrey Stewart Stow to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st October 1916.

North Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1373.—Major Alexander Clifford Crighton, V.D., resigns his commission. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

No. 1374.—John Milner Tominson to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st October 1916.

Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1375.—James Dunn to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd October 1916.

Second (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1376.—Captain James Vincent Bennett Raikes Bromage resigns his commission. Dated the 14th September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Peter McLaren Rae resigns his commission. Dated the 27th September 1916.

Ernest Augustus John Chapman to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 15th September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Geoffrey Dodleston Hope (Supernumerary List) resigns his commission. Dated the 7th October 1916.

Lieutenant Cecil Douglas Rae (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission. Dated the 14th October 1916.

Assam Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1377.—Captain Thomas Richard Nolan to be Major, *vice* A. M. Berkeley, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated the 1st April 1916.

Second Lieutenant Raymond Lewis Bliss to be Captain, *vice* K. H. H. Kennedy, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated the 1st April 1916.

Robert George Manson to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* R. L. Bliss, promoted. Dated the 1st April 1916.

Robert Stephen Vipan to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st April 1916.

Lieutenant Wilfred Petrock Field to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st August 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 10th November 1916.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P.	
2nd Lieutenant Charles Philip Lawrence.	Indian Army Reserve of Officers.	29th April 1916	Intestate.	2,282 5 2	Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 4th November, 1916.

No. 38-E.-16.—The following promotions in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Traffic Department, are ordered with effect from the 1st October 1916 :—

Names.	From	To
Hales, T. C.	Class III, grade 2, permanent, and class II, officiating.	Class III, grade 1, permanent, and class II, grade 5, temporary.
West, S. E. L.	Class III, grade 2, permanent, and class II, officiating.	Class III, grade 1, permanent, and class II, grade 5, temporary.

The 8th November, 1916.

No. 1830-E.-16.—Mr. J. H. Harford, Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary rank, is placed on special duty under the Railway Board, with effect from the 8th October 1916 and until further orders.

The 9th November, 1916.

No. 244-E.-16.—Temporary Lieutenant P. Watkins, Supervisor, 1st grade, and Officiating Assistant Engineer, State Railways (on military duty), is appointed to the Provincial Engineer Establishment of State Railways as an Assistant Engineer, with effect from the 1st September 1915.

No. 496-P.-16.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Railway Board have sanctioned reconnaissance surveys being carried out by the agency of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company for the following lines of railway on the 2' 6" gauge :—

(1) From Damoh, a station on the Great Indian Peninsula Railway, to Amangang *viâ* Hatta, a distance of about 60 miles.

(2) From Mau-Ranipur, a station on the Great Indian Peninsula Railway, running north to Garotha and south *viâ* Tehri to Maraura with a connection from Tehri to Lalitpur, a distance about 120 miles.

2. The surveys will be known as the Damoh-Amangang and Garotha-Mau-Ranipur-Maraura-Tehri-Lalitpur railways reconnaissance surveys.

No. 568-E.—Mr. D. Thomson, Coal Superintendent, State Railways, is granted combined leave for two years, *viz.*, privilege leave for 3 months and furlough for the remaining period under Articles 233, 260 and 308 (*b*), Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1916 or subsequent date of relief.

No. 1416-E.-16.—Mr. C. N. Parker, Officiating District Traffic Superintendent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is permitted, at his own request, to resign the service of Government, with effect from the 26th October 1916.

No. 1874-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 220, dated the 23rd July 1915, Mr. Balak Nath resumed his substantive appointment of Secretariat Superintendent, 3rd Grade, with effect from the 5th November 1916.

No. 1876-E.-16.—Mr. A. R. Gundry, Electrical Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway, is promoted from class II, grade 4, to class II grade 3, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways (Locomotive Department), with effect from the 1st September 1916.

No. 1879-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 272-1-E., dated the 9th March 1916, Mr. H. R. Walton, Officiating Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2, Calcutta, is, on relief by Mr. F. G. Royal Dawson, retransferred to the Eastern Bengal Railway and appointed to officiate as Deputy Chief Engineer of that Railway until further orders.

No. 1879-2-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notifications No. 272-2-E., dated the 9th March 1916 and No. 1879-E.-16, dated the 9th November 1916, Mr. E. S. Christie, Officiating Deputy Chief Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway, on relief by Mr. Walton will revert to his substantive rank of Executive Engineer.

F. A. HADOW,

Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 10th November, 1916.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 4th November 1916 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI...	...	......	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	7	4
		Kaira District	15	8
		Surat Town and Port	21	18
		Surat District	8	3
		Thana District	1	1
	Central	Ahmednagar District	865	660
		West Khandesh District	218	167
		East Khandesh District	51	27
		Poona Town	174	364
		Poona District	360	274
		Nasik District	130	75
		Satara District	307	215
		Sholapur Town	71	58
		Sholapur District	285	231
	Southern	Ratnagiri Port	3	1
		Ratnagiri District	6	1
		Hubli Town	54	54
		Thal Port	1	1
		Kolaba District	2	2
		Belgaum District	300*	191*
		Dharwar District	180	169
		Kanara District	3	2
		Bijapur District	192	101
	Political Charges	Baroda State	31	16
		Mangrol Port	6	5
		Kathiawar Agency	89	37
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	209	171
		Rewa Kantha Agency	51	49
		Bijapur Agency	9	5
		Satara Agency	10	7
		Savanur State	80	47
		Bhor State	4	3
		TOTAL	3,783	2,967

* For two weeks.

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	...	Madras Town	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Anantapur District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Bellary District	21	16
		Chittoor District	1	...
		Coimbatore Town	7 (b)	2
		Coimbatore District	296 (c)	185 (d)
		Salem Town	5	2
		Salem District	60	40
		North Arcot District	25 (e)	13 (b)
		Nilgiris District	2	1
		Malabar District	13 (b)	8 (a)
		Trichinopoly District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		TOTAL	433	270
BENGAL PRESIDENCY	...	......	...	...
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna District	16	12
		Shahabad District	8	5
	Tirhut ...	Saran District	16	21
		Muzaffarpur District	1	1
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	14	10
		TOTAL	55	49
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut ...	Muzaffarnagar District	6	6
	Allahabad	Cawnpore District	12	10
		Allahabad District	10	10
	Benares	Benares District	17	10
		Jaunpur District	23	23
		Ghazipur District	5	2
	Gorakhpur	Ballia District	28	28
		Gorakhpur District	109	52
		Basti District	3	3
		Azamgarh District	7	5
	Lucknow	Unao District	3	3
		Rae Bareli District	2	1
		Sitapur District	3	3
	Fyzabad	Gonda District	3	2
		Partabgarh District	6	4
		TOTAL	237	162

(a) One imported. (b) Two imported. (c) Four imported. (d) Eight imported. (e) Five imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Lahore ...	Sialkot District	1	1
	Rawalpindi	Rawalpindi District	68	60
		TOTAL	69	61
BURMA	Pegu ...	Rangoon Town	2	2
		Tharrawaddy District	3	3
		Pegu District	1	1
		Prome District	11	11
	Irrawaddy	Henzada District	1	1
	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	1	1
		Amherst District	12	12
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	1	1
		TOTAL	32	32
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur...	Nagpur Town	416	304
		Nagpur District	98	71
		Kamptee Cantt.	80	40
		Bhandara Town	1	1
		Bhandara District	2	2
		Wardha Town	1	1
		Wardha District	79	62
		Chanda Town	2	2
		Chanda District	17	13
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	171	142
	Chhatisgarh	Bilaspur Town	1	...
	Berar ...	Amraoti Town	1	1
		Amraoti District	24	19
		Yeotmal District	7	8
		Akola District	126	70
		Buldana District	135	78
		TOTAL	1,155	899
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	42	37
		Bangalore City	42	43
		Bangalore District	105	86
		Mysore City	24	16
		Mysore District	80	44
		Hassan District	3	2
		Kadur District	9	10
		Shimoga District	20	13
		Chitaldroog District	34	12
		Kolar Gold Fields	23	21
		Kolar District	50	[illegible]
		TOTAL	432	318
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	240	178
		Bir District	273	194
		Parbhani District	588	538
		Nander District	42	22
		Gulbarga District	66	60
		Raichur District	8	2
		Usmanabad District	19	15
		Atrafibalda Sarfikhas District	112	89
		Bidar District	9	8
		Medak District	19	13
		Nalgonda District	14	9
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	104	108
		TOTAL	1,494 (a)	1,236 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore City	127	97
		Indore Residency Bazars	8	1
		Dhar State	6	6
		Gwalior State	2	2
		TOTAL	138 (b)	106 (b)
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer	*1	*1
		TOTAL	1	1
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	7,829	6,036

*Imported.

(a) From the 23rd to the 29th October 1916.

(b) For the week ending 28th October 1916.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 9th November 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. Rainfall continued in the Peninsula and Burma, and a few falls occurred in northeast India, chiefly in the coast districts. A storm developed in the east of the Bay and at the close of the week was approaching deltaic Bengal. A slight winter disturbance entered northern India from the west, but gave no precipitation of importance.

2. *Burma.*—There was nearly general rain in Lower Burma on the 7th and in Upper Burma on the 2nd.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Nearly general rain fell in Orissa on the 2nd.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—A few falls of rain occurred in the Central Provinces.

Northwest India.—Weather was dry except for a light fall of rain at Parachinar.

The Peninsula.—Rainfall was nearly general in Hyderabad on the 5th, in Mysore on the 3rd and 8th, and in the Madras Deccan on the 6th and 7th.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

November 2nd. Toungoo 1·81″, Kyaukpyu 6·46″, Akyab 2·58″, Lashio 1·95″, Cox's Bazar 3·09″, Balasore 2·35″, False Point 1·37″, Nagpur 0·92″, Raipur 1·69″ and Karwar 1·92″.

„ 3rd. Akyab 7·05″, Mandalay 1·07″, Maymyo 0·90″, False Point 2·08″, Gulbarga 1·53″ and Gopalpur 2·48″.

„ 4th. Victoria Point 1·90″, Akyab 2·55″, Bijapur 1·32″ and Cocanada 1·47″.

„ 5th. Mergui 2·48″, Tavoy 1·47″, Karwar 1·01″, Sholapur 3·05″, Hanamkonda 3·65″ and Masulipatam 3·50″.

„ 6th. Bangalore 2·64″, Kurnool 2·25″ and Madras 1·76″.

„ 7th. Rangoon 2·25″, Diamond Island 4·30″, Yamethin 1·01″, Ratnagiri 1·11″, Sholapur 2·98″, Gulbarga 1·02″, Cuddalore 1·00″ and Cuddapah 0·99″.

„ 8th. Moulmein 1·04″, Bijapur 2·31″, Belgaum 1·52″, Bangalore 4·51″, Mercara 1·18″, Masulipatam 2·75″ and Kodaikanal 0·99″.

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent. or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Assam, Bengal, Chota Nagpur, Bihar, the United Provinces, Kashmir, Central India East, Berar, Malabar and Madras Southeast, and 20 per cent. or more in excess in Burma, Orissa, the Central Provinces East, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. It was equal to the normal in the Central Provinces West. No rain fell in the following divisions, but the absence of rain is a normal feature of the weather there at this time of the year :— the Punjab, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Gujarat, and Central India West.

The rainfall from the 28th April to date is as much as 20 per cent. in defect in Kashmir alone. It is 20 per cent. or more in excess in Bihar, the United Provinces, the Punjab East and North, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Central India West, Berar, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. It is within 20 per cent. of the normal in all the remaining divisions.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 9th November 1916.			Rainfall data from 28th April to 9th November 1916.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal. This week.	Percentage departure from normal. Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	0·5	2·5	−2·0	102·6	100·0	+2·6	+3	+5
Lower Burma	3·7	1·1	+2·6	148·1	140·2	+7·9	+6	+4
Upper Burma	1·4	0·7	+0·7	42·1	41·8	+0·3	+1	−1
Assam	0	0·2	−0·2	72·0	77·8	−5·8	−7	−7
Bengal	0	0·4	−0·4	83·1	69·8	+13·3	+19	+20
Orissa	1·7	0·6	+1·1	66·4	58·2	+8·2	+14	+12
Chota Nagpur	0	0·1	−0·1	47·4	49·4	−2·0	−4	−4
Bihar	0	0·1	−0·1	63·5	49·7	+13·8	+28	+28
United Provinces, East	0	0·1	−0·1	49·0	39·3	+9·7	+25	+25
United Provinces, West	0	0·1	−0·1	51·0	39·2	+11·8	+30	+31
Punjab, East and North	0	0	0	30·3	21·3	+9·0	+42	+42
Punjab, South-West	0	0	0	9·4	8·1	+1·3	+16	+16
Kashmir	0	0·1	−0·1	6·9	8·8	−1·9	−22	−21
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0	0	11·0	5·8	+5·2	+90	+90
Baluchistan	0	0	0	4·2	2·3	+1·9	+83	+83
Sind	0	0	0	12·9	4·8	+8·1	+169	+169
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	23·1	11·3	+11·8	+104	+104
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	31·6	22·9	+8·7	+38	+38
Gujarat	0	0	0	26·6	23·4	+3·2	+14	+14
Central India, West	0	0	0	40·4	29·6	+10·8	+36	+36
Central India, East	0	0·1	−0·1	48·2	41·0	+7·2	+18	+18
Berar	0·1	0·2	−0·1	45·6	30·8	+14·8	+48	+49
Central Provinces, West	0·2	0·2	0	51·9	44·8	+7·1	+16	+16
Central Provinces, East	0·7	0·2	+0·5	50·1	48·0	+2·1	+4	+3
Konkan	1·6	0·4	+1·2	126·0	96·8	+29·2	+30	+29
Bombay Deccan	2·8	0·4	+2·4	38·3	27·2	+11·1	+41	+32
Hyderabad, North	0·5	0·2	+0·3	41·7	32·8	+8·9	+27	+26
Hyderabad, South	2·4	0·4	+2·0	47·4	30·1	+17·3	+57	+52
Mysore	3·2	1·0	+2·2	37·7	27·1	+10·6	+39	+32
Malabar	0·4	1·8	−1·4	98·3	96·1	+2·2	+2	+4
Madras, South-East	0·6	2·3	−1·7	24·9	24·9	0	0	+8
Madras Deccan	1·7	0·8	+0·9	36·3	23·7	+12·6	+53	+51
Madras Coast, North	2·6	2·1	+0·5	42·1	33·2	+8·9	+27	+27

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SIMLA;
Dated the 9th November 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 4th November 1916.

Burma.—Good rain fell in Lower Burma and in the dry zone heavy rain was recorded. Ploughing for the miscellaneous, upland and island crops is progressing. Sowing of wheat has commenced and of late sesamum has been completed. Reaping of autumn rice, gathering of groundnuts and plucking of cotton are proceeding. The condition of standing crops is good. The health of cattle is satisfactory. The price of unhusked rice is Rs. 120 per hundred baskets and is above normal. The market for white rice is weak.

Assam.—The weather is seasonable and generally favourable to standing crops. Flood water has subsided in Cachar. Ploughing of land for and sowing of mustard are in progress. Manufacture of tea, harvesting of jute and early rice and sowing of pulses are still going on. Prospects of tea, winter rice, sugarcane and cotton are fair. Damage by insects to paddy crops is reported from Cachar. Cattle disease is reported from three districts. Fodder is scarce in flooded areas in Sylhet and Nowgong. Slight fluctuation in the price of common rice occurred in four sub-divisions.

Bengal.—During the week the rainfall throughout the Province was moderate, causing slight damage to the standing winter rice crop in a few places in two Western Bengal districts. Preparation of lands for and sowing of spring crops are proceeding. Steeping and washing of jute have been nearly finished. Weeding of winter rice has been completed. The condition and prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder is reported to be insufficient in parts of Dinajpur, Tippera and Noakhali. Cattle disease is reported from three districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has risen slightly as compared with that of the previous week.

The weekly report on famine in Bankura is as follows:—The state of affairs in affected areas has improved. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of the early winter paddy has commenced. The condition of the people on relief works is good. Relief measures are adequate. Prices are stationary. The price of rice is 9 seers per rupee. The number of persons on relief works was 831. Only six works remained open during the week.

Bihar and Orissa.—The rainfall was general in the Orissa, Chota Nagpur and Bhagalpur divisions. The fall was very heavy in the coast districts of Orissa, generally moderate in Chota Nagpur and light in the Bhagalpur division. Sowings of spring crops are in progress. Harvesting of the early winter paddy has commenced in parts of Chota Nagpur and Orissa. Standing crops are, on the whole, doing well. The recent rainfall has, however, done some damage to paddy in Cuttack, Balasore and Ranchi. The average price of common rice has risen as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder is generally sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from sixteen districts. The attendance of persons on test works in Singhbhum was 518. Gratuitous relief was given to 220 persons in this district. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—The week was rainless. Harvesting of autumn crops, picking of cotton, sowing of winter crops and poppy and preparation of land for winter crops continue. Standing crops are doing well and prospects are good. The condition of agricultural stock is good but slight cattle disease is reported from twenty-one districts. Fodder and water are ample. Markets are full. Prices are generally falling except in the upper and central Doab where they are reported to be rising.

Punjab.—During the week the weather remained dry. Picking of cotton and harvesting of rice, millet and maize are in progress. The outturn is average to good. The condition of standing cotton, sugarcane and other crops is good. Sowings of wheat, barley, gram and oilseeds, etc., continue and are normal or above normal. Germination of the crops sown is good. Cattle are healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary and range between normal and warning rates. Those of autumn food grains have in some cases fallen to below normal rates. Price of wheat:— Lahore 9¾, Ferozepore and Lyallpur 10¼, Ambala 10½ and Rawalpindi 10¾ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—The week was rainless. Rain is required for autumn sowings on unirrigated areas in the Peshawar district. The weather is cold. The condition of standing irrigated and unirrigated crops is average in the Province. Sowing of spring and harvesting of autumn crops are proceeding. The outturn of the latter is reported to be average. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is not running. The public health is generally good. Prices are high but stationary in Dera Ismail Khan and are rising in Bannu and Peshawar.

Jammu.—No rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 14 and maize from 14 to 24 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Cattle disease prevails in the Ranbirsinghpura tahsil. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—No rain fell during the week. Autumn crops are being harvested. Prospects are fair. Agricultural operations for spring crops are in progress. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are normal.

Rajputana.—The weather is cool and clear. Standing crops are doing well. Harvesting of autumn and sowings for springs crops are in progress. Prospects are good. The condition of agricultural stock is good. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are falling in Marwar, Jaisalmere, Mewar, Shahpura, and Bunswara and generally stationary elsewhere.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was general in the Southern States and *nil* elsewhere. Harvesting of autumn crops is in progress in Gwalior, Bundelkhand and the Southern States Land for spring crops is being prepared everywhere and sowings have commenced in Gwalior, Bundelkhand, Malwa and the Southern States. Standing crops and their probable outturn are good in Gwalior, Baghelkhand, Bundelkhand, Malwa and the Southern States and fair in Indore and Bhopal. Cotton and rice have been damaged by excessive rain in Bhopal. Agricultural stock is in good condition except for some cattle disease. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are steady.

Central Provinces.—Report not received.

Bombay.—Rain fell during the week in the Konkan, the Deccan, the Karnatak, Savantvadi and Kolhapur. Standing crops are thriving except in parts of Sholapur, Satara, the Karnatak, Savantvadi, Kolhapur and four talukas of Poona where they have been damaged by rain. Harvesting of autumn crops generally continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh and Ahmednagar. Sowing of spring crops generally continues. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of the Panch Mahals and Kaira. Prices of food grains have fallen slightly in the Deccan, risen generally in the Konkan and are steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—The rainfall during the week was heavy and continuous in five districts. The highest fall was 14 inches 50 cents in Raichur. The average fall was 3 inches 52 cents. Autumn crops, cotton and the early rice crops have been seriously damaged by incessant rain and agricultural operations have been suspended. Cattle disease prevails in seventeen talukas. Prices of grains are high and steady. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 10 seers per rupee in Warangal and the lowest 24 seers per rupee in Aurangabad, Parbhani, Bidar, Mahbubnagar and Adilabad.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good in Kadur, Shimoga and Chitaldrug and light elsewhere. The price of rice has risen in Tumkur. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. *Ragi* and paddy are being harvested. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy in the greater part of the State. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 64 cents. The condition of the rice crop is good. Picking of cardamom continues. The public health is fair. Prices of food grains are rising. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was very heavy in Ganjam, Godavari, Kurnool, Banganapalle, Bellary, Sandur and South Canara, heavy in the Vizagapatam littoral, Kistna and Guntur, good in the Vizagapatam Agency, Anantapur, Cuddapah, Malabar and Coimbatore and light or *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally but have been damaged by heavy rain and floods in parts of three districts. More rain is required in parts of another. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowing of paddy and dry crops is proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water-supply is insufficient in parts of Anantapur, South Arcot, Chittoor, North Arcot and the southern parts except Tanjore and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is sufficient. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

Statement showing the number of persons in receipt of relief in districts in which famine has been declared.

Name of Province or State.	Preceding week (revised).			Present week.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
British Provinces.							
(*Bengal.*)							
Bankura	1,737	1,204	2,941	831	...	831	—2,110

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

(FAMINE.)

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 28th October 1916.

No.	Name of District or State.	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF.							TRACTS UNDER OBSERVATION AND TEST.	
		Area affected in square miles.	Estimated population of area in column 3.	Number of persons employed on relief works.	NUMBER OF PERSONS ON GRATUITOUS AND SPECIAL RELIEF.			Grand total on relief.	Number of persons on test works.	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief.
					Dependants of relief workers, relieved on works.	Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	BENGAL.									
1	Bankura	2,621	1,138,670	1,737	...	1,204	1,204	2,941	...	...
	BIHAR AND ORISSA.									
1	Singhbhum ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	778	45

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AN

ORDINANCE

To amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916.

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary to amend temporarily the Indian
IX of 1916. Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power con-
5 & 6 Geo. V, c. 61. ferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:—

ORDINANCE No. VI OF 1916.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 14th November 1916.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 1378.—A despatch by Lieutenant-General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., on the operations of Indian Expeditionary Force "D" from the 30th April to the 27th August 1916, is published for general information.

No. 168-33-O., dated 27th August 1916.

From—Lieutenant-General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., Commanding, Indian Expeditionary Force "D."

To—The Chief of the General Staff, Army Headquarters, India, Simla.

On relinquishing command of Indian Expeditionary Force "D," I have the honour to submit a short despatch, dealing with the operations of this Force since the fall of Kut on April 30th, and also describing in general terms the work carried out at the base and on the line of communications up to the present date.

1. *Operations.*—No operations on a large scale have been undertaken since the fall of Kut.

On the Tigris line the troops immediately facing the enemy were, with the exception of those actually on duty in the trenches, resting, recuperating and consolidating their position. Fatigues were very heavy, the heat of summer came on rapidly, and a good deal of sickness prevailed.

Nevertheless pressure on the enemy was never relaxed and every opportunity was taken to test his morale by bombardments and minor engagements whenever opportunity offered.

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2. During May the pressure of the Russian advance from Persia towards Baghdad must have begun to make itself felt by the enemy, for on the 19th May General Gorringe reported his apparent withdrawal from his advanced positions at and in front of Es Sinn on the right bank, though the Sannaiyat position was still strongly held. This withdrawal was followed up, and by the evening of May 20th, General Gorringe was able to report that, except for small rearguards covering the bridges over the Hai river, the right bank of the Tigris as far as the Hai was clear of the enemy.

3. As the enemy's retention of the Sannaiyat position prevented the passage of our supply ships up the river, our troops operating on the other bank towards the Hai had to depend for food, forage, and in some cases even water, upon land transport.

Consequently General Gorringe's occupation of the positions evacuated in the enemy's retirement could only be gradual, and was largely dependent upon the construction of new roads and a reorganisation of his supply system.

These conditions have continued practically unchanged up to the present date. The abatement of the floods and the intense heat have dried up the ground, caused the marshes to recede and made movement easier. On the other hand water difficulties have increased, and drinkable water away from the river is difficult to find, the soil being usually impregnated with various salts.

The Turks still hold the Sannaiyat position, and have constructed other lines behind it, on the left bank, which they appear to hold in force.

On the right bank their outposts reach the Hai river, which is now fordable. We hold positions from which we dominate the Hai and can deny its passage; while we could, if we pleased, bombard Kut itself.

4. One incident requires mention. On May 20th a strong Russian cavalry patrol of 3 officers and 110 other ranks arrived unexpectedly at Ali Gharbi. The patrol had started from the neighbourhood of Karind and had safely executed an adventurous march of some 200 miles, much of it through the Pusht-i-Kuh hills. The officers came to report themselves to me in person at Basrah, where, by command of His Majesty the King, I decorated them with the Military Cross, in recognition of their exploit, and of this the first meeting of British and Russian troops as allies in the field for 100 years.

The patrol left Ali Gharbi on their return journey on June 4th, and after skilfully surmounting various difficulties succeeded in reaching their main body in safety.

5. On July 11th, General Gorringe was succeeded in the command of the Tigris column by General Maude who has held it up to date.

6. As regards aviation, the superiority of certain of the hostile æroplanes over any of our machines in the matter of speed, combined with a large reduction in the number of our pilots (due to sickness partly attributable to overwork), enabled the enemy in May and June to establish what was very nearly a mastery of the air.

With the arrival of more pilots from home matters improved, until in August three of our machines working together forced the best enemy machine, a Fokker, to descend, seriously damaged, in its own lines.

7. Operations on the Euphrates have been confined to raiding expeditions, carried out in order to punish attacks on our vessels, damage to the telegraph line, or attacks on tribes who are our allies. Ibn Rashid, the leading hostile desert Arab chief, was driven away southwards in July with much diminished prestige. A very successful raid undertaken against Ajaimi, the chief Arab Shaikh hostile to us on the Lower Euphrates, was carried out on August 15th. All these expeditions have been well organised by Major-General Brooking.

8. On the Karun Line the only incidents worthy of note have been attempts by pro-German Persian tribesmen, who had been co-operating with the Turks against the Russians, to escape to their own mountains where they

were likely to make mischief. These attempts were frustrated by the 23rd Cavalry operating on the Kharkeh and Ab-i-Diz rivers. Lieutenant-Colonel Younghusband's arrangements were well conceived and resulted in the complete discomfiture of the tribesmen and the capture of their leaders.

9. During the hot season, now drawing to a close, the business of administration and the work of preparation for more active measures during the coming cold weather assumed relatively great importance. I make no excuse therefore for alluding at some length to the work performed.

10. The valuable co-operation of the Royal Navy under Captain W. Nunn has as usual been conspicuous during the period under review. The gunboats stationed on the Euphrates took a leading part in the successful minor operations referred to in paragraph 7 on that river and in the Hammar Lake.

I would also bring to notice the able assistance given by Mr. W. Grant, Admiralty Overseer at Abadan in preparing river craft for service.

11. In my previous despatch I alluded to the difficulties against which the Medical Services have had to contend.

Much thought and hard work have been devoted to overcoming these difficulties and meeting the medical needs of the force. The advance made in this direction is clearly shown by the fact that the total accommodation for sick and wounded in Mesopotamia, which on January 21st (exclusive of Kut) was 4,700 beds and by May 13th had risen to 9,425, amounted on July 1st to 15,745, with 2,700 more in process of organisation.

The advent of the hot weather early in May, with a sudden rise in the temperature, increased the number of sick rapidly. The intense heat was aggravated at the front by the total absence of shade and by the failure of the "shamal" or north wind, which, usually due about the middle of June, did not commence to blow till July 19th. The admissions to hospital then at once lessened and are still decreasing. The majority of the cases are not serious.

An outbreak of cholera occurred at the Tigris front at the end of April, but was got under control in the course of a short time, since when only a small number of isolated cases are reported from time to time from various parts of the country.

I am much indebted to Surgeon-General F. H. Treherne for the valuable assistance he has consistently rendered since his arrival in the country; also to Colonel W. H. Willcox, Consulting Physician, whose high professional knowledge has always been at the service of the force. Much credit is due to the Nursing Sisters, who have carried out their duties with great devotion, and have shown untiring zeal and energy in alleviating the sufferings of those who have passed through their hands.

By the untimely death of Colonel Sir V. Horsley, both the force and the medical profession sustained a severe loss.

12. In the Supply and Transport Corps much sickness followed by invaliding occurred, specially among the senior officers. As a result the duties of the corps fell heavily on those who remained, while the service of supply was much hampered by a shortage of river transport on a rapidly falling river. That the supply of food, clothing, etc., has nevertheless been maintained without serious deficiencies reflects credit upon the work of the corps.

13. During the flood season, from April to June, nine-tenths of the country round Basrah is under water, and in normal years a continuous belt of flood, from 6 to 9 miles wide and from 1 to 4 feet deep, separates the Basrah tract from the higher lying desert country to the south-west.

This flood water in 1915 forced its way into and inundated the Makina Masus Camp area. This year, in order to meet the needs of the constant stream of troops and stores pouring into Basrah, it was imperative to safeguard from floods the ground space required for camps, hutting, store depôts and additional hospital accommodation. This was done by constructing, first, a main

protective embankment or "bund" from the Tigris at Magil to the higher ground at Shaiba. This "bund" was 11 to 12 miles long, and completely shut off the belt of flood water above referred to.

It was supplemented by a second bund, which branched off from it about 2 miles from the river and was carried to the neighbourhood of the Zubair Gate of Basrah, some 3 miles. A series of smaller subsidiary bunds was constructed along the river front and the intermediate creeks. The whole system, covering a total length of some 20 miles, safeguards an area of some 48 square miles in all and of 1½ square miles at Magil and Makina Masus, which has been adopted as the main camp for troops in and near Basrah. Wharves have been constructed and ocean-going steamers are now able to come alongside and unload.

A large amount of hutting for hospitals and troops has been erected, providing accommodation for 8,700 sick and 15,000 troops; water supplies for the troops have been installed at Basrah and Amarah, and many important miscellaneous works have been carried out.

The amount of valuable work brought to completion reflects credit on Major-General J. C. Rimington, Chief Engineer, Colonel E. R. B. Stokes-Roberts, Director of Works, and those serving under them.

14. Two railways are now in course of construction. Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. White and his assistants are pushing on both lines with much zeal and energy in spite of considerable difficulties in the transport of materials.

15. A new powerful wireless station has been installed. Work was commenced on the 10th February 1916 and completed on the 25th August 1916. The rapid erection of this station is due to the energetic co-operation of the Director-General, Posts and Telegraphs, India, to Mr. E. L. Bagshawe, Director of Telegraphs, Force "D," and especially to the ability and energy of Mr. J. G. P. Cameron, Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs, the Engineer in charge of the construction work.

16. The Veterinary Services under Lieutenant-Colonel W. S. Anthony have done much to maintain the animals of the force in good condition in spite of hard work and unavoidable short commons in certain cases.

17. The administration of the Remount Services, the care and training of the horses reflects credit upon Captain J. F. H. Anderson, Army Remount Department.

18. I am anxious to place on record my deep sense of the good effect produced throughout this Force by the Army Chaplains of all denominations, whose devotion to duty and contempt of danger while performing it deserve the highest commendation.

19. Like other Departments, the Royal Indian Marine has suffered severely from sickness and invaliding especially among its superior officers. The rapid growth of its duties may be gathered from the fact that whereas in January 1916 there were 19 permanent and 21 temporary officers and 525 other ranks employed, by July the number had risen to 40 permanent and 163 temporary officers and 3,981 other ranks besides native labourers. The necessity for assimilating this large influx of newly appointed officers and men threw a heavy strain on the permanent cadres, who were also faced with many unforeseen demands. That under these conditions its duties have been carried out with a considerable measure of success is distinctly creditable to the service.

20. The thanks of the whole force in Mesopotamia are specially due to the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, the British Red Cross Society, including its Indian branch, and the Young Men's Christian Association.

The two former through their representative, Lieutenant-Colonel J. Gould, have devoted their resources to supplementing the medical appliances and comforts provided by the state for the care of the sick and wounded. All officers and men who have passed through the hospitals at any time would desire to express their gratitude to these Societies.

The Young Men's Christian Association, on the other hand, through its able officials, among whom I would specially mention Mr. L. A. Dickson, Revd. B. H. McLain, Revd. T. S. Riddle, and Mrs. Webley, has contributed most materially to the well-being, physical and moral, of the troops in general outside the hospitals in a manner deserving of the highest admiration.

21. The appointment of Sir G. C. Buchanan to the Force as Director-General of Port Administration and River Conservancy has been of undoubted value. Owing to the difficulty experienced in obtaining certain stores and equipment from India and Burma, and to sickness among the supervising staff, the work of developing the Port of Basrah, and of dredging and improving the water communications generally, was at first delayed. It is now, however, well in hand and the results already achieved are sufficient to show that the projected measures will have far reaching effect on the business of the port and our all important river communications. Sir G. Buchanan especially desires to mention the assistance he has received from Lieutenant J. G. Grant, R. E.

22. My thanks are due to Captain the Honourable Malik Sir Umar Hayat Khan for many valuable services rendered in connection with the Army of Occupation: also to 2nd-Lieutenant E. Ezra, I. A. R. O., attached General Headquarters, who held his fast motor launch at all times at my disposal.

23. The able services of Lieutenant-Colonel Sir P. Z. Cox and the officers of the Political Department, to which I referred in my previous despatch, have continued to be of high value to the state during the period under review.

24. The administration of the lines of communication has throughout been extremely arduous and difficult; to Major-General G. F. MacMunn, Inspector-General of Communications, and his staff, I am greatly indebted for the manner in which they have handled the many intricate problems of supply and demand with which they have been constantly confronted. The administration of the base depôts under Lieutenant-Colonel d'A. C. Brownlow, Base Commandant, has been carried out in a highly satisfactory manner.

25. In conclusion I desire to bring again to your notice the able and devoted assistance that I have at all times received from the general and administrative staffs at General Headquarters and from my personal staff, to all of whom I am deeply indebted. In this connection I would especially mention Major-General M. Cowper and Major-General A. W. Money, heads respectively of the administrative and general staffs, Brigadier-General C. B. S. F. Shore, Sub-Chief (now officiating as Chief) of the general staff, Lieutenant-Colonels W. H. Beach and H. R. Hopwood of the general staff and Captain L. G. Williams, Assistant Military Secretary. The work of all these officers has been of high value to the state.

The clerical establishment have one and all shown untiring zeal and energy in the performance of their arduous and responsible duties.

26. I have, in my previous despatch, submitted a list of officers and men whose services were deserving of reward. That despatch covered a period of active operations and the bulk of the names were those of officers and men who had distinguished themselves actively at the front.

I now submit a list composed chiefly of those officers and others who deserve commendation and reward for services, less interesting, but equally essential to the well-being of this force, rendered in connection with its administration.

LIST OF OFFICERS BROUGHT TO NOTICE.

Bingham, Commander A. G., R.I.M.

Birch, Rev. O. W., Chaplain.

Blaker, Major W. F., R.F.A.

Bridge, Revd. H. N., Chaplain.

Campbell, Lieutenant C. R., R.I.M.

Campbell, Lieutenant-Colonel W. N., I.A. (Ret.).
DeCourcy, Captain Hon. M. W. R., I.A.
Dent, Captain W., D.S.O., I.A.
Dick, Major R. N., Royal Sussex Regiment.
Dobbs, Mr. H. R. C., I.C.S., C.I.E., Political Department.
Douglas, Colonel (T.) A. P., Ordnance Department.
Edwardes, Major A. C., I.A.
Ewbank, Colonel W., Royal Engineers.
Fell, Brevet-Colonel M. H. G., R.A.M.C.
Fulton, Colonel (T.) F. C. R., Supply and Transport Corps.
Gaunt, Lieutenant-Colonel (T.) C. R., Reserve of Officers.
Gregson, Mr. E. G., C.I.E., Indian Police.
Hoskyn, Major J. C. M., I.A.
Ingram, Major C. R., R. W. Kent Regiment.
James, Lieutenant-Colonel S. P., I.M.S.
Jones, Commander B. H., R.I.M.
Knox, Lieutenant-Colonel S. G., C.I.E., Political Department.
Lewis, Captain (temporary) R. F., I.A.
Lindsay, Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. P., Supply and Transport Corps.
Noel, Captain E. W. C., Political Department.
Pirrie, Lieutenant-Colonel F. W., Survey of India.
Robertson, Chief Engineer H., R.I.M.
Rowland Hill, Mr. D., Postal Department.
Swiney, Colonel (T.) A. J. H., Royal Engineers.
Thomson, Mr. A. B., Postal Department.
Thyne, Commander W. K., R.I.M.
Ward, Lieutenant J. C., R.I.M.
Wilson, Captain A. T., C.M.G., D.S.O., Political Department.
Wilson, Captain R. C., I.A.
Winter, Lieutenant-Colonel C. B., I.A.
Wood, Lieutenant-Colonel C. B., Reserve of Officers.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 14th November 1916.

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1. After rule 11C the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

"11D. (1) Where in the opinion of the Governor General in Council the output of any mine can be utilised in connection with the present war the Governor General in Council or any officer of Government authorised by him in this behalf may, by order in writing, require the owner or any person in charge of such mine to place at the disposal of the Governor General in Council at such time and place as may be specified in the order the whole or any part which may be specified in the order of such output and the Governor General in Council may dispose of and use such output in such manner as he may consider necessary or expedient.

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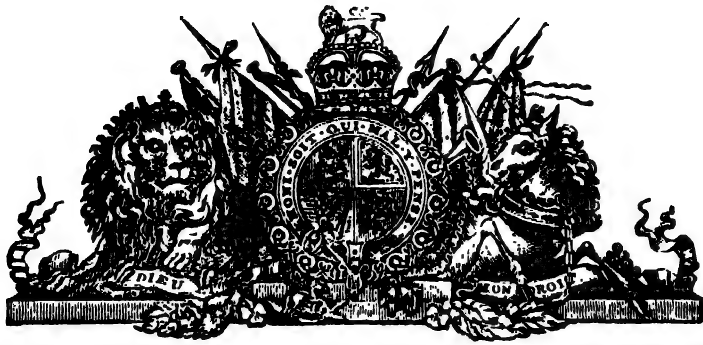
(2) Where in accordance with an order made in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1) the output of any mine has been placed at the disposal of the Governor General in Council, the Governor General in Council shall pay to the owner of such output such compensation for any loss immediately attributable to such order and for any services rendered or expenses incurred in complying therewith as in default of agreement may be decided to be just and reasonable, having regard to the circumstances of the case, by the arbitration of a person having knowledge of the particular class of mineral of which such output consists and of the trade therein to be nominated in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, and such decision shall be final.

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C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

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J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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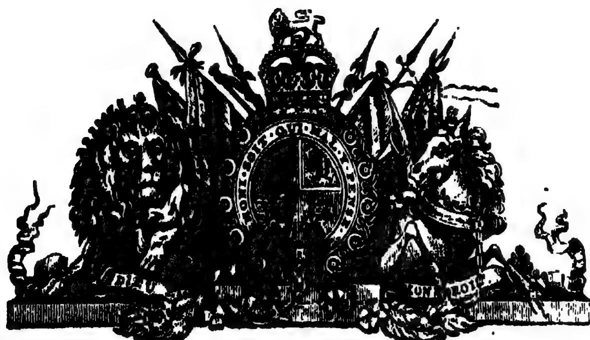
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C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

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J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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ORDINANCE

To amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment Act, 1916).

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916; IX of 1916

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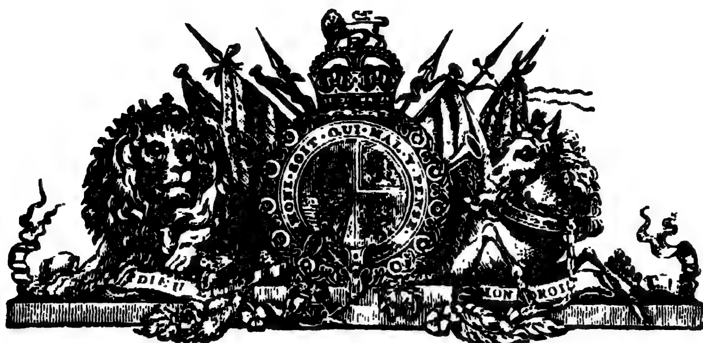
JAIPUR,

The 11th November, 1916.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 13115P.—The 24th November 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section *(1)*, of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (I of 1910), the Governor in Council hereby declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies, wherever found, of a Bengali leaflet entitled "Sandhya"-"Ram Thela", beginning with the words "Galo, Galo—Hoya Galo [Gone, Gone—it is almost all over (with them)], etc., and ending with the word "Chalou Mauser *katakat*" (kat kat let Mauser pistols go), etc., and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet, on the ground that the said leaflet contains exhortations to rebel against the British Government in India and to commit murder, and contains words which have a tendency to incite to acts of violence and to bring into hatred and contempt and excite disaffection towards the Government established by law in British India, and therefore appears to the Governor in Council to be of the nature described in section 4, sub-section *(1)*, clauses *(a)* and *(c)* of the said Act.

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POLICE.

The 16th November 1916.

No. 1-C.—The services of Major A. S. B. Roberts, Burma Commission, attached 2nd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Burma, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties.

PORT BLAIR.

The 11th November 1916.

No. 430.—Mr. G. E. Scott, Executive Engineer, Port Blair, is appointed to be an Assistant Commissioner in the Settlement for so long as he holds his present office or until further orders.

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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ARCHÆOLOGY AND EPIGRAPHY.

Delhi, the 14th November 1916.

No. 263.—Mr. H. Panday, B.A., Excavation Assistant sub. *pro tem.* in the Office of the Director General of Archæology in India, is appointed to be Assistant Superintendent, Archæological Survey, Eastern Circle, with effect from the 20th December 1916 or the subsequent date on which he takes over charge of his duties.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 14th November 1916.

No. 410.—The Reverend F. H. Bettison is appointed to be a temporary chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment with effect from the 13th October 1916 or the subsequent date on which he assumed charge of his duties. His services are placed at the disposal of the Army Department.

No. 411.—The Department of Education notification no. 389-Ecclesiastical, dated the 31st October 1916, appointing the Reverend G. R. M. Ellwood as a temporary chaplain is cancelled.

No. 413.—The services of the Reverend N. J. Poyntz, M.A., Chaplain of Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province, with effect from the forenoon of 26th October 1916.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

The 15th November 1916.

No. 513.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease at Chidambaram in the Chidambaram taluk of the South Arcot District, Madras Presidency, if persons from the Mysore State are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Arudradarsanam festival.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (1) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Alapakam, Puduchattiram, Porto Novo, Kille, Chidambaram, Vallampadugai, Coleroon, Arasur and Shiyali on the South Indian Railway shall be sold from the 25th December 1916 to the 7th January 1917 (both days inclusive) within the Mysore State to any person intending or believed to be intending to proceed to the Arudradarsanam festival at Chidambaram.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Delhi, the 13th November 1916.

No. 1265-F. E.—Mr. Ram Nath, Secretariat Assistant, class II, has been appointed to officiate as Secretariat Superintendent, class III, with effect from the 7th November 1916.

The 15th November 1916.

No. 1274-F. E.—Mr. R. V. Rege, an Accountant in the office of the Accountant General, Bombay, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, class II, in that office, with effect from the 5th November 1916 and until further orders.

No. 1275-F. E.—Mr. A. G. F. Napier has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Bihar and Orissa, with effect from the 3rd November 1916.

No. 1276-F. E.—Mr. P. G. Jacob has been posted as Comptroller, Assam, with effect from the 1st November 1916.

No. 1277-F. E.—Mr. C. C. Fink, an officer in class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department, attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal State Railway, was granted privilege leave for 23 days with effect from the 12th October 1916.

No. 1278-F. E.—Mr. H. C. Ganguli, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, United Provinces, has been apppointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 3rd November 1916 and until further orders.

No. 1279-F. E.—Mr. H. F. P. Judge has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Railways, with effect from the 3rd November 1916.

No. 1280-F. E.—Mr. C. V. Srinivasa Rao has been posted as Assistant Comptroller, India Treasuries, with effect from the 9th November 1916.

H. F. HOWARD,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 14th November 1916.

No. 1-W.-II.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department, No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915, as subsequently amended, namely :—

1. After rule 11C the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

Power to requisition output of mine.

"11D. (1) Where in the opinion of the Governor General in Council the output of any mine can be utilised in connection with the present war the Governor General in Council or any officer of Government authorised by him in this behalf may, by order in writing, require the owner or any person in charge of such mine to place at the disposal of the Governor General in Council at such time and place as may be specified in the order the whole or any part which may be specified in the order of such output and the Governor General in Council may dispose of and use such output in such manner as he may consider necessary or expedient.

(2) Where in accordance with an order made in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1) the output of any mine has been placed at the disposal of the Governor General in Council, the Governor General in Council shall pay to the owner of such output such compensation for any loss immediately attributable to such order and for any services rendered or expenses incurred in complying therewith as in default of agreement may be decided to be just and reasonable, having regard to the circumstances of the case, by the arbitration of a person having knowledge of the particular class of mineral of which such output consists and of the trade therein to be nominated in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, and such decision shall be final.

(3) If the owner or any other person in charge of any mine disobeys or neglects to comply with any order made in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1) such owner or other person shall be deemed to have contravened these rules and the authority making the order may forthwith take possession of the output specified in the order and may dispose of and use the same in such manner as he may consider necessary or expedient."

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 18th November 1916.

No. 3-W-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1915 (XIV of 1915), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Revenue Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province, to act as Custodian for the North-West Frontier Province for the purpose of receiving, holding and dealing with such money as may be paid to him in pursuance of the said Act.

No. 4-W-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1915 (XIV of 1915), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Custodian for the province of the Punjab to act as Custodian for the province of Ajmer-Merwara for the purpose of receiving, holding and dealing with such money as may be paid to him in pursuance of the said Act.

No. 5-W-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1915 (XIV of 1915), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Custodian for the Presidency of Bombay to act as Custodian for the Central Provinces for the purpose of receiving, holding and dealing with such money as may be paid to him in pursuance of the said Act.

No. 6-W-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1915 (XIV of 1915), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Custodian for Sind to act as Custodian for the province of Baluchistan for the purpose of receiving, holding and dealing with such money as may be paid to him in pursuance of the said Act.

No. 8-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz.*:—

Additions.

Cantorovitch, Is.
Cotta, J. M.
Joseph, R. M.
Rasool, C. G., and Sons.
Sadikoff, H. H. K.
Takaiwa, K., and Company.
Vaid, K. Edulji.
Wa Sun, . . . Canton.
Yue Loong Hing Kee, . . . Canton.

Alteration.

" Hong Sun, C." should read " Hong Sun."

The 18th November 1916.

No. 11255-W. II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in supersession of this Department Notification No. 7788-W. II., dated the 26th August 1916, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the import of all goods from and the export of all goods to any of the trading concerns mentioned in the annexed schedule :—

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall apply to goods imported or exported under a general license granted under the authority of "The Trading with the Enemy (Statutory List) Proclamation, 1916, No. 3," or any other power vested in His Majesty or by the Governor General in Council.

SCHEDULE.

AFRICA.

LIBERIA.

Bremer Kolonial Handelsgesellschaft.
Deutsche Liberia Bank.
Deutsche Sudamerikanische Telegraphen-gesellschaft A. G.
Freeman, T. & Company.
Freeman, D. (or T.)
Freeman, D. D.
Jantzen, C. F. W.
Monrovia Trading Company.
Robins, G. B.
Vietor & Huber.
West, J. W.
Wiechers & Helm.
Woermann, A.

MOROCCO.

Abekhzel, Aaron, Laraiche.
Abitbol, Moses, & Sons (Abitbol, Joseph M., Samuel M., Rafael M.), Laraiche.
Afergan, David, Laraiche.
Amar, Mesod J., Laraiche.
Amarti, Mohamed Ben Drees el, Laraiche.
Amir, Taher Ben, Laraiche.
Ankri, Yusef el, Laraiche.
Asharual, Abdelwahab, Arzila.
Assayag, Solomon, Laraiche.
Auni, Ahmed el, Laraiche.
Aztot, Abdeslam, Laraiche.
Aztot, Fedol Ben Mohamed, Laraiche.
Aztot, Siddek Ben Ahmed, Laraiche.
Baghar, Dris el, Alcazar.
Bakkali, El Ayashi el, Arzila.
Bakkali, Mohamed, Tetuan.
Benarrosh, Brahim, Laraiche.
Bendayan, Salomon, Laraiche.
Beniflah, Elias, Laraiche.
Benizri, Rafael, Laraiche.
Benmergui, Vidal E., Tetuan.
Benros, Isaac, Laraiche.
Bensabat, Jacob, Laraiche.
Benshiton, Joseph, Laraiche.
Benshiton, Moses, Laraiche.
Bessam, Oolad, Laraiche.
Botbol, Sentob Haim, Laraiche.
Bukhari, Hossein Abdeslam el, Tetuan.
Cadosh, Mesod, Laraiche.
Cohen, Mesod, Laraiche.
Cohen, S. & J. (Cohen, Simon J., Joseph J., Scialom J., Jacob S.), Laraiche.
Cohen, Simon D. (Cohen, Simon D., Jacob S.), Laraiche.
Dukali, Hadj Ben Maati el Hayani, Laraiche.
Dukali, Hamed Ben Fekik, Alcazar.

Eljarrat, Jacob (Eljarrat, Amram J., Judah J., Meir J.), Alcazar.
Eljarrat, Judah, Alcazar.
Escalant, Antonio Lopez, Laraiche.
Gelool, Mohamed Ben Abdel Krim Ben, Alcazar.
Glaser, Dr., Tetuan.
Hababi, Mohamed el, Laraiche.
Hadj, Ali Ben el, Arzila.
Harrack, Abdeslam el, Alcazar.
Hashmi, Hamed Ben el, Arzila.
Hashmi, Mohamed Ben el, Arzila.
Hashmi, Si Hamed el, Tetuan.
Hisu, Mohamed Ben, Arzila.
Hossein, Mohamed el, Laraiche.
H'sissen, Selam (Abdeselam), el, Alcazar.
Huss. Reichardt, Arzila.
Hussein, Ben el Hadj el Jemili, Alcazar.
Kell, J., & Company, Laraiche.
Kouira, Drees, Laraiche.
Lebady, Mohamed, Tetuan.
Levy, Solomon, Laraiche.
Maaroufi, Hadj Mohamed el, Laraiche.
Mesbahi, Mohamed el Kasri, Alcazar.
Mokhtar, Mohamed, Arzila.
Mokhtar, Ulad, Arzila.
Moryusef, Fortunate S. (Moryusef F. S., Judah S., Sliman, J.), Laraiche.
Moryusef, Joseph & Yahia, Laraiche.
Mudden, Mohamed el, Tetuan.
Muyal, Isaac & M., Laraiche.
Mzamzi, Mohamed el, Laraiche.
Odadiah, Joseph Brahim, Laraiche.
Oushihi, Abdelrahman el, Alcazar.
Ragonez, Abraham, Laraiche.
Renschausen, A., & Company, Laraiche.
Rohner, Friedrich, Laraiche.
Rohner, Werner, Laraiche.
Sabbag, Mokluf & Company, Laraiche.
Sabbah, Mesod, Laraiche.
Sabbah, Simon, Laraiche.
Sager & Woerner, Laraiche.
Salama, Mokhluf, Laraiche.
Schumacher, Otto, Tetuan.
Sherti, Mohamed, Tetuan.
Sherti, Mohamed Ben el, Arzila.
Simoni, Mesod Laraiche.
Soudry (Essoudry), Samuel (Soudry, Mordechai & Elias), Laraiche.
Soussi, Hadj Mailoud el, Laraiche.
Soussi, Hossein el, Laraiche.
Steinkampf, Heinrich, Alcazar.
Tarnow, Max L., & Company, Tetuan.
Tazzi, Abdel Wahab, Laraiche.
Wedele, Jehan, Tetuan
Zailachi, Abdeslam el Amri, Laraiche.
Zapatero, O., Tetuan.
Zegari, Hamed, Laraiche.
Zegari, Taib, Laraiche.
Zimmermann, Alcazar.
Zwartfeld, W., Laraiche.

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Becker, E., Beira.
Behrens, H., Lourenço Marques.
Bettman & Kupfer (East African Agency), Lourenço Marques.
Bosselmann, C., Beira.
Bredenkamp, Lourenço Marques.
Breyde, Johan (of the Mozambique Whaling Company).
Bruckmann, Lourenço Marques.
Christophides, Christo, Porto Amelia.
Cruz, Alipio, Francesco.
Da Souza, Luiz Moreira, Palma ; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
De Sousa, Bismark, Palma ; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Dencks, Alexander Lourenço Marques.
Deuss, Ludwig, & Company, Chinde, Tete, and Quelimane.

Deuss, Paul.
Deutsche Ost-Afrika Gesellschaft.
Deutsche Ost-Afrika Linie.
Felgenhauer (alias Ferguson), I. C., Lourenço Marques.
Fellman, H., Quelimane.
Ferguson, I. C. (alias Felgenhauer), Lourenço Marques.
Ferreira, Joaquim, Quelimane.
Frankel, Jacob, Lourenço Marques.
Fuchs, Lourenço Marques.
Goncalves, Paulino, Fontesville.
Grothkop, H., Lourenço Marques.
Haberer & Company.
Habib, Jacob, Porto Amelia; Palma and Ibo.
Herz & Schaberg.
Hueffer, A., Quelimane.
Hoffman, Hugo, Lourenço Marques.
Hoffman, Oswald.
Houben, Walter, Beira.
Hupfer, Beira.
Ismail Juma, Porto Amelia; Palma and Ibo.
Jung Lenz & Company.
Koch, J. H., Lourenço Marques.
Krutzfeldt, H. G., Lourenço Marques.
Kunsti, T., Ibo.
Limbrock, H., Tete.
Linder, F., Ibo.
Loeffelbein, F., Lourenço Marques.
Marcus & Harting.
Mozambique Whaling Company.
Neider, P., & Company, Ibo.
Niedner, Paul, Palma; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Oldenburg, E., Palma; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Orenstein-Arthur Koppel, Limited.
Pechner, H., Beira.
Petersen, R. H., Quelimane.
Philippi, William, & Company.
Piel, Albert, Lourenço Marques.
Porst, Kurt., Lourenço Marques.
Ragchand Premchand, Mozambique.
Ressmann, I., Lourenço Marques.
Reuter, Dr., Lourenço Marques.
Rewald, Martin, Lourenço Marques.
Reys, Fernandez & Baptista.
Ribeiro, Antonio Franciso, Beira.
Rolfes, Herman, Lourenço Marques.
Rolfes, Karl, Lourenço Marques.
Rolfes, Nebel & Company, Lourenço Marques.
Rosendorf, Lourenço Marques.
Sambado, Antonio Marques, Mozambique; Santa Maria; Palma; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Schnutz, H., Tete.
Schreiber, Beira.
Siemsen, T., Beira.
Springhorn, C., Lourenço Marques.
Steyn, Kuhn, Lourenço Marques.
Stuben & Company.
Stuhldreier, Palma; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Uebel, Beira.
Vogel, W., Lourenço Marques.
Vogler, W., Sena.
Wandschneider, Theodor, Lourenço Marques.
Wiese, Carl, Lourenço Marques.
Woerher, Fritz, Inhambane.
Woernher, Rudolf, Inhambane.

PORTUGUESE WEST AFRICA, PORTUGUESE GUINEA, FERNANDO PO, AND RIO MUNI.

Iniqo, Alfonso, Rio Muni.
Karsten, Friedrich, Bambadinca.
Lieb, Eugen, Santa Isabel and San Carlos.
Mannetter, Bolama.
Moritz, E. H., & Company, Santa Isabel.
Perez y Mora, Fernando Po.
Rolf, Luis, Bissao.

Schwartz, Hans, Geba.
Seifert, Paul, Bolama
Titzck, Rudolf, Bissao; Chinde; Bambadinca; Geba; Baffata; Cacheo and Farim.
Voss, Hans, Farim.
Woermann Linie, Fernando Po.

AMERICA.

ALL COUNTRIES IN CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA.

German Coal Depôt Company. (Compañia Alemana de Carbon, or Deutsches Kohlen Depôt.)
Hardt, Engelbert, & Company.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.
Sociedad Tubos Mannesmann Limitada.
Staudt & Company.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Aders, Alberto, & Company, Buenos Aires.
Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line), Argentina.
Allgemeine Electricitäts Gesellschaft Sudamericana, Calle San Martin 444, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina and Uruguay.
Argentine Real Estate & Finance Corporation, Limited, Calle Alsina 902, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Austro-American Steamship Company, Calle San Martin 470, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina and Uruguay.
Balzer, Carlos, Calle Cangallo 417, Buenos Aires.
Banco Aleman Transatlantico, (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Banco Germanico de la America del Sud (Deutsche Sud-Amerikanische Bank).
Barth, Eugenio, & Company, Calle Uruguay, 757, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bauer, P., & Company, Calle Piedras 132, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Bechtel, Kurtz & Company, Calle Tucuman 1575, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bernitt, Rodolfo (partner of Dorner & Bernitt), Misiones 1472, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Boker & Company, Calle Maipu 463, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina.
Bonino, E., & Schroeder, E. A., Misiones 1467, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bottini, Oscar, Calle Cerro Largo 851, Montevideo, Uruguay; and Argentina.
Brauss, Mahn & Company, Reconquista 80, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Calle Cerrito 407, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bromberg & Company, Calle Moreno 401, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Buch, A., & Company, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bunge, Ernesto A., & Born, J., B. Mitre 226, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Cadenas, Enrique, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Canto, Roberto, (c/o Staudt and Company).
Cassini & Company, Calle Cangallo 840, Buenos Aires and Rosario, Argentina.
Castillo, Gerardo, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Clarfeld, Federico, and Company, Passo Colon 746, Buenos Aires; Juncal 1461, Montevideo, and all branches in Uruguay and Argentina.
Clausen & Company, Misiones 83, esq. Piedras, 193, 201 and 450 Montevideo, Uruguay.
Campañia Alemana de Carbon.
Curt, Berger & Company, Calle 25 de Mayo 382-392; Calle Corrientes 344, and Colon 1384, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Daniel, Bruno, & Company, Paseo de Colon 464-68, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Delcampo, Carlos, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Delfino, A. M., & Hermano, Calle Sarmiento 442-448, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Deutsches Kohlen Depôt.
Deutsche Sud Amerikanische Bank.
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank.
Dorner & Bernitt, Misiones 1472, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Dorner, Arturo (partner of Dorner & Bernitt), Uruguay.
Duckwitz, Otto, Calle Araoz 2918, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Dyckerhoff & Widmann Schmidt, Calle Reconquista 37, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ellerhorst, Fernando (of "La Germano Argentina").
Franke, Otto & Company, Calle Bolivar 161, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Funck, Ph., & Company, Calle Upsallata 756 and 1056, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Gasmotorenfabrik Deutz, Moreno 550 and 554, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina and Uruguay.
German Coal Depôt Company (Compañia Alemana de Carbon, or Deutsches Kohlen Depôt).
Gomez, Pedro, Comodoro Rivadavia, Territory of Chubut.
Hamburg-American Steamship Company.

Hamburg-South American Steamship Company.
Hansa Line.
Hardt, Engelbert, & Company, Patricios 1937, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.
Hartrodt, A., Corrientes 685, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hasberg, P. (of "La Germano Argentina").
Hasenclever & Company, Calle Belgrano 673, and Ayolas 58, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Heinlein & Company, Avenida de Mayo 1402-1500, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hinderfeld, Martignoni & Company, Calle Lavalle 437; Calle Tandil 5900, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Cerrito 257, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Hirsch, Alfredo (of Sociedad Financiera é Industrial Sud Americana).
Hoffmann and Stocker, Calle Moreno 443, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Kobelt, G. (of "La Germano Argentina").
Koerting Brothers, Calle Bolivar 292, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Koppelmeyer, Carl Christian (Partner of Clausen and Company), Uruguay.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos"), Argentina.
Kropp & Company, Piedras 1448 and Rivadavia 751—761, Buenos Aires, Argentina; Misiones 158, Montevideo, Uruguay.
"La Germano Argentina."
Lagemann, F., & Company, Piedras 363, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Lahusen & Company, Casilla 51; Defensa 542, and P. Mendoza 3457, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and C. Orillas del Plata 927, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Larsen, Herbert, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Lasker & Company, Corrientes 534, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Calle Misiones 1430, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Marquez, Joaquin C. (partner of Dorner & Bernitt), Uruguay.
Martinez de Hoz, Florencio, & Company, Calle Reconquista 43, Calle Peru 475, and Calle Pueyrredon 320—326, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Massimino, Adolfo, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Metzen Vicenti y Cia, Misiones 1526, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Meyer, L. D., & Company, Calle Lima 387, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Meyer, Martin (of "La Germano Argentina").
Mitau & Grether, Calle Cangallo 840—850, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Moller & Company, Calle Bartolome Mitre 722, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Monje, Fernandez, Purteo Deseado, Patagonia, Argentina.
North German Lloyd.
Orenstein & Koppel, Argentina.
Osten & Company, Rondeau 303, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Oster, Jorge (of Sociedad Financiera é Industrial Sud Americana).
Pintos, Domingo, Argentina.
Portena Tug Company, Argentina.
Quincke, Ernesto, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Rabe, Walder & Company, Misiones 1373, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Rabe, Margarita N. de (partner of Rabe, Walder & Company).
Rabe, Otto (partner of Rabe, Walter & Company).
Rhodius & Company, Castilla 224, and Ribadavia 842, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Roehrs, E., & Company, San Martin 195, and Calle Agraciade 2412, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ruete & Guyer, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Sassoli, A., Buenos, Aires, Argentina.
Schelp & Schelp, Calle Bartolome Mitre 1123, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Schweitzer, Felipe, Santa Fé 951, Rosario, Argentina.
Siemens Schückert Companies, Calle Bernardo Irigoyen 330, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sociedad Anonima Argentina, Hidraulica, Agricola, Argentina.
Societa Anonima Transporti de Mestre, Argentina.
Sociedad Financiera é Industrial Sud Americana, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sociedad Tuvos Mannesmann Limitada, Calle Defensa 383, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Soteras y Val, Alsina 1251—55, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Staudt & Company, B. Mitre 665—9, Avenida Montes de Oca 1599, and Calle General Honos 1720, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Uruguay.
Steffens & Nolle, A. G., Calle Cangallo 499, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sternberg, H., Junior, & Company, Calle Cangallo 840, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Stofen, Schnack, Müller & Company, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Strothbaum, Felix (partner of Clausen & Company), Uruguay.
Strothbaum, Gmo. (partner of Clausen & Company), Uruguay.
Stubenrauch & Company, Puerto Deseado, Patagonia, Argentina.
Vasquez, Pablo, Salsipuedes 231, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Velasquez, Pedro, Uruguay.
Vilmar, Rimplar & Company, Defensa 569—571, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wagenknecht, E., & Company, Cerro Largo 791, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Walder, Enrique (partner of Rabe, Walder & Company), Uruguay.
Warburg & Goldschmidt, Calle Bartolome Mitre 1265, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wayss & Freytag, Calle Moreno 508, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Weil Hermanos & Company, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wentzky, R. Von, Calle Corrientes 685, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Weygand & Zum Felde, Calle Peru 1031, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wirth & Schiebeck, Calle Sarmiento 372, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wolff, Buchholz & Company, Calle 25 de Mayo 179, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

BOLIVIA.

Albrecht, C., & Company, La Paz.
Arnold & Company, Santa Cruz de la Sierre and Riveralta.
Bacovich, Marcos, Oruro.
Banco Aleman Transatlántico (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Barber, Alfred W., & Company, Cochabamba.
Bickenbach & Company, Oruro.
Blau, Stephen, La Paz.
Callenius, Gustavo, La Paz.
Colsman Boehme & Company, La Paz and Oruro.
Dauelsberg & Company, La Paz.
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank.
Dohrmann, Dahse & Company, Oruro and Potosi.
Elsner, Juan, & Company, Santa Cruz.
"El Tigre," La Paz.
Emmel Hermanos, La Paz.
Enss & Webber, La Paz.
Eulert, F. G., La Paz.
Fricke, Jerman, & Company, Oruro.
Gundlach, C. F., Oruro.
Günther, Ernest, Sorata.
Hardt, E. & W., & Company, La Paz; Sucre; Oruro and Cochabamba.
Hinke, Gustavo, & Company, La Paz and Oruro.
Hirschmann & Company, La Paz and Oruro.
Martins, F., & Company, La Paz.
Morales, Bertram & Company, Cochabamba; Potosi and Sucre.
Nolte, E., & Company, La Paz.
Quidde & Gatermann, Cochabamba and Sucre.
Reinecke, Findel & Company, Oruro.
Schluter & Company, Oruro.
Schubert, H. G., Oruro.
Schweitzer, Félipe, Santa Cruz.
Staudt & Company, Villa Montes, River Pilcomayo.
Stofen, Schnack, Muller & Company, Santa Cruz.
Zeller, Villinger & Company, Santa Cruz, Trinidad and Yacuiba.

BRAZIL.

Achim & Company, Joinville, Sta. Catharina.
Ahrns, Edouardo, Rua dos Algibebes, Bahia.
Andrade Pinto, Ernesto, Bahia.
AO Cylindro, Porto Alegre.
Araujo & Boavista, Rua Buenos Aires 4, Rio de Janeiro.
Arp & Company, Rua do Ouvidor 102, and Rua Coronel Moreira César 102, Rio de Janeiro.
Banco Aleman Transatlántico (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Banco Germanico de la America del sud (Deutsche Sud-Amerikanische Bank).
Barza & Company, Rua Marques de Dens 8, Pernambuco.
Bauer, Walter F., Rua General Camara 88, Rio de Janeiro; and Recife, Pernambuco.
Bayer, Federico, & Company, Travessa Scata Rita, 22-24, Rio de Janeiro.
Behrmann & Company, Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Bellingrodt & Meyer, Rua Sao Pedro 70, Rio de Janeiro.
Bercht Brothers, Rua Voluntarios da Patria 46, Porto Alegre.
Berringer & Company, Para.
Bezold, Otto, Ceara.
Bier, F. G., & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 106, Porto Alegre.
Bluhm, Bernhard, Rua 28 de Julho, S. Luiz, Maranhao.
Böckmann, A., & Company, Rua do Apollo 28, Pernambuco.
Borstelmann & Company, Pernambuco; and Rua Alfandega 121, Maceio.
Brando, Viuva Carlos & Company, Florianopolis.
Brasilianische Bank für Deutschland, Bahia; Porto Alegre; Rio de Janeiro; Santos and Sao Paulo.
Breithaupt, Victor, & Company, Rua Itororo 8, Santos.
Bromberg & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 96 and 98; Rua dos Andradas 182, Porto Alegre; Hospicio 22, Rio de Janeiro; Bahia and Sao Paulo.
Bromberg, Dandt & Company, Rua Voluntarios da Patria 54 and 56, Porto Alegre.

Bromberg, Hacker & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 96 and 98; Rua dos Andradas 182, Porto Alegre; Hospicio 22, Rio de Janeiro; Bahia and Sao Paulo.
Buhle, C., Porto Alegre and Rio Grande do Sul.
Campos, Alexandre & Company, Rio de Janoiro; Sao Paulo & Santos.
Campos, José Pinto, Para.
Casa Allema (Wagner, Schadlich & Company), Rua 15 de Novembro, Santos; Rua Direita 18, Sao Paulo.
Cia Lithographica Hartmann Reichenbach, Rua Gusmoes 93, Sao Paulo; and Santos.
Companhia Brazileira de Electricidad (Branch of Siemens Schückert Werke), Avenida Rio Branco 79 and 81, Rua General Camara 87, Rua do Hospicio 29, Rio de Janeiro and Rua Sao Joao, Bahia.
Companhia Commercial, Victoria.
Companhia Sul-Americana de Electricidade, A.E.G., Rua do Hospicio 59, Rio Janeiro.
Costa Almeida, M. de, Rua do Rosario 17, Sao Paulo; and Rio de Janeiro.
Da Motta, A. Alves (partner of Fonseca & Company), Para and Rio de Janeiro.
Dannemann & Company, Sao Felix; and Largo das Princezas 15, Bahia.
Dauch & Company, Rua Frei Gaspar 16, Santos.
Deffner, G., & Company, Manaos.
Demarchi & Company, Uruguayana.
Deutsche Süd-Amerikanische Bank.
Deutsche Süd-Amerikanische Telegraphen Gesellschaft A. G., Rua da Assemblea 8; Rua General Camara 62, Rio de Janeiro; and Pernambuco.
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank.
Diebold & Company, Rua Santo Antonio 56, Santos.
Domschke & Company, Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Dreher, Edmundo, & Company, Rua Barao do Triumpho 6, Porto Alegre.
Eiffler, Bernard, Manaos, Para and Pernambuco.
Empreza Graphica Rio Grandense, Rua dos Andradas 447, Porto Alegre.
Empreza Hoepcke, Florianopolis, Santa Catharina.
Engel, Fritz, Pelotas, Rio Grande do Sul.
Engelhardt, Carlos Rio Grande do Sul.
Ferreira Bastos, Antonio, Bahia.
Ferreira, José Germano, Rua Sao Bento 5, Rio de Janeiro.
Fischer, Christiano Julio (Hardware Merchant), Campo da Redempção, Porto Alegre.
Fonseca & Company (Coal Merchants), Para.
Fonseca, Abilio (partner of Fonseca & Company), Para.
Fonseca, Arthur, Sao Francisco do Sul.
Fraeb & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 90, Porto Alegre; and Pelotas, Rio Grande do Sul.
Freyer, Hugo, Porto Alegre.
Friedheim Aguiar & Company, Avenida Maranhense 11, S. Luiz, Maranhao.
Friedrichs & Timmann, Rua dos Droguistas, Bahia.
Fuchs, J., & Company (Casa Fuchs), Rua Sao Bento 83, Sao Paulo.
Gasmotorenfabrik Deutz, Avenida Rio Branco 11, Rio de Janeiro; Rua Floriano Peixoto 11, Pernambuco.
Gonczy, Porto Alegre.
Graeff, Gustaf, Para.
Green & Company, Belem, Para.
Griesbach, Max Para
Guimares, F., Bahia.
Guimaraes, N., & Company, Rua Luiz de Camoes 16, Rio de Janeiro.
Gunzberger, J., & Company, Manaos and Para.
Harm, Heinrich, Manaos and Itacoatiara.
Hartmann, H., Rua Barao da Victoria 25, Pernambuco.
Hasenclever & Company, Rio de Janeiro; Rua L. Badaro 70, Sao Paulo.
Hermanny, Louis, & Company, Rua Gonçalves Dias 54 & 57, & Avenida Rio Branco 126, Rio de Janeiro.
Hoepcke, Carl, & Company, Florianopólis, Santa Cathrina.
Hoffman, Rudolf W. H. Para.
Holdum, Maxim, Manaos.
Holzborn, Ernesto, Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Huland, Oscar, & Company, Ceará.
Jannowitzer, Wahle & Company, Rua de Candelaria 49; San Pedro 34, Rio de Janeiro; and Sao Paulo.
Joao Silveira de Souza, Joinville.
Jordan Gerken & Company, Sao Francisco do Sul.
Kopinsky, Joseph, Rua Sao Paulo 52, Rio de Janeiro.
Krahe & Company, Rua dos Andradas 497, Porto Alegre.
Krause Irmaos & Company (Krause Brothers), Rua da San Antonio 17, Belem, Para; Rua Lobo D'Almada 9, Manaos; Rua Primeiro de Marco 6, Pernambuco; and Maranhao.
Kroncke & Company, Parahyba do Norte.
Kuehlen, Otto, Para.
Landy, Carlos, von, Rua Barao do Triumpho 88A, Pernambuco.

Lemcke, Carlos, & Company, Porto Alegre.
Lima, Luzio Horacio (Berringer & Company), Para.
Lind, Von der, & Company, Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Linhares, Antonio P., Para.
Lobo, Manaos.
Lohse Para.
Louro Linhares, Florianopolis.
Luckhaus & Company, Rua General Camara 67, Rio de Janeiro.
Ludwig & Irmaos, Rua dos Andradas, Porto Alegre.
Magnus, James, & Company, Rua Sao Pedro 96, Rio de Janeiro.
Martin, Xiste, & Company, Rio de Janeiro; Sao Paulo and Santos.
Metzler, Hugo, Porto Alegre.
Meyer, Irmaos, & Company, Rua Sete de Setembro 165, Porto Alegre.
Monteiro, J. A., & Company, Rua de Candelaria 49, Rio de Janeiro.
Monteiro Santos & Company, Sao Paulo.
Moreira, Julio César (Moreira de Carvalho), Rua General Camara 1; and Praia Icarahy 21, Rio de Janeiro.
Naschold, Ricardo, & Company, Rua Henrique Dias 57, Sao Paulo, and Porto Alegre.
Noronha, Carlos de, Rua General Camara 22, Rio de Janeiro.
Officina Velhote Silva, Para.
Ohliger & Company, Manaos.
Ornstein & Company, Rua Sao Pedro 9, Rio de Janeiro.
Ostermeyer, Frederico, Rua da Quitanda 63 & 175, Rio de Janeiro.
Ottens, K. J., Bahia.
Overbeck, W., Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Pereira, Alfredo Martins, Manaos.
Pereira, E., & Company, Rio de Janeiro.
Peters, W., & Company, Manaos.
Petersen, Adolf, & Company, Rua do Apollo 36, Pernambuco.
Pintsch, (Julius.), Aktiengesellschaft, Rua Sao Pedro 9, Rio de Janeiro.
Pohlman & Company, Pernambuco and Maceió.
Pradez, Pierre, Rio de Janeiro and Santos.
Pralow & Company, Para and Manaos.
Prejawa & Company, Rua da Alfandega 70, Rio de Janeiro.
Reiniger, Schmitt, & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 118, Porto Alegre.
Reisch, Felix, Manaos.
Ribeiro, Armando, Rua Voluntarios da Patria 40 and 42, Porto Alegre.
Rieckmann & Company, Rua Bôa Vista 42, Sao Paulo.
Rombauer & Company, Rua Visconde de Inhauma 64, Rio de Janeiro.
Rothschild & Company, Rua 15 de Novembro 31, Sao Paulo.
Runes & Bark, Largo Monte Alegre 6, Santos.
Schaiblo & Kanitz, Rua José Bonifacio 40, Sao Paulo; Rua Sao Pedro 52, Rio de Janeiro.
Schar, Ernest, Pernambuco.
Schlee, Philip, Manaos.
Schlick Alfredo, & Company, Rua da Assemblea 14; Rua Quitanda 47, Rio de Janeiro.
Schoenn, Roberto, & Company, Rua Quitanda 147, Rio de Janeiro.
Scholz, Manaos.
Schroeter, J., Porto Alegre.
Schümann & Company, Para.
Seligmann & Company, Para.
Semper & Company, Manaos.
Siemens-Schückert Werke, Rio de Janeiro; Bahia; Porto Alegre and Sao Paulo.
Simoes, Angelino, & Company, Rio de Janeiro.
Simonck & Moreira, Rua do Bon Jesus 20, Pernambuco.
Sinjen, M., & Company, Novo Friburgo, Rio de Janeiro.
Sinner, Alfredo, Rio de Janeiro and Santos.
Smith, Kessler & Panke (Casa Kosmos), Rua Direita 12, Sao Paulo and Santos.
Sociedade Anonyma Armazens Andresen, Manaos.
Sociedad Tubos Mannesmann, Limited, Rua do Rosario 64, Rio de Janeiro.
Solheiro, Luiz (partner of Fonseca & Company), Para.
Steinberg Meyer & Company, Avenida Rio Branco 65, Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo.
Steiner, Pedro Maurico, Para.
Steinman, Emilo A., Manaos.
Steinder & Company, Bahia.
Stofen, Schnack, Müller & Company, Corumba.
Stoltz, Hermann, & Company, Avenida Central 66-74 (Rio Branco 66-74), Rio de Janeiro; Praça da Republica, Santos; Rua Alvares Penteado 12, Sao Paulo and Pernambuco.
Strassberger, E., & Company, Manaos.
Studer, J., & Company, Rua das Princezas, 20, Bahia.
Suerdieck & Company, Rua das Princezas Bahia.
Trommell, A., & Company, Praça Telles 11, Santos; Rua Alvares Penteado, Sao Paulo.
Urban, Eugen, & Company, Rua Conselheiro Saraiva 30, Rio de Janeiro; Rua Santo Antonio 63, Santos.

Vasconcelles, José de, & Company, Pernambuco.
Vianna, Elyseo, Rua 15 de Novembro, Pernambuco.
Viera de Mello, Francisco, Rio de Janeiro.
Vieria, Francisco Salles, Manaos.
Wachtel, Marxen, & Company, Rio Grande do Sul.
Wagner, Schadlich & Company (Casa Allema), Santos and Sao Paulo.
Weissflog Brothers, Rua Libero Badaro 70, Sao Paulo.
Weissflog, Alfredo, (of Weissflog Brothers), Rua Maranhâo 21 ; Sao Paulo.
Weissflog, Otto (of Weissflog Brothers), Avenida Paulista 112, Sao Paulo.
Weiszflog, Max, Sao Paulo.
Westphalen Bach & Company, Rua Cons. Saraiva, Bahia.
Wille, Theodor, & Company, Sao Paulo ; Rio de Janeiro and Santos.
Wolff, Eric, Pernambuco.

CHILE.

Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Armstrong, Enrique, Talcahuano.
Arrigoriaga, Saturnino, Valparaiso and Santiago
Banco Aleman Transatlantico, (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Banco de Chile y Alemania, (Banco für Chile und Deutschland), Antofagasta; Santiago; Valparaiso; Concepcion ; Temuco & Valdivia.
Banco Germanico de la America del Sud, (Deutsche Sud Amerikanische Bank).
Canelo, Nemesio, (of Gildemeister & Company), Iquique.
Chassin Trubert, Julio, Coquimbo.
Compania Salitrera Alemana, Taltal.
Compania Salitrera Constancia, Iquique.
Compania Salitrera H. B. Sloman & Company.
Curtze, Walter, Korner 1086, Punta Arenas.
Daube & Company, Prat 12, Valparaiso; Merced 798, Santiago; Arana 539, Concepcion; Latorre-Baquedano and Antofagasta.
Dauelsberg & Company, Antofagasta.
Deutsche Sud-Amerikanische Bank.
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank.
Escobar, Jose Ignacio, Calle Santa Domingo 1372, Santiago
Fölsch, H., & Company, Casilla 16A, Valparaiso.
Fonck, Carlos, & Company, Calle Brasil 126, Valparaiso; Calle Puente 571, Santiago.
Gildemeister & Company.
Gleisner, Mauricio & Company, Santiago; Valparaiso and Talcahuano.
Groothoff, A. & O., Iquique.
Guttmann & Maurer, Correa Casilla 85 and Calle Moneda 1065, Santiago; and Valdivia.
Hagnauer & Company, Blanco 122, Valparaiso.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.
Inojosa, Maximo, Concepcion.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").
Koster & Wyneken, Calle Lincoyan 427, Concepcion and Coronel.
Lange & Company, Casilla 953, Valparaiso.
Luck, Winkelhagen & Company, Valparaiso.
Manns, Ernesto, Pl. Munoz Gamero, Punta Arenas.
Neckelmann & Company, Valparaiso.
Nissen, Fischer & Company, Santiago and Concepcion.
Paarman & Krebs, Valparaiso.
Reitze, Leopold, & Company, Valparaiso.
Salpeterwerke Gildemeister Aktien Gesellschaft.
Schultz, Ricardo, and Company, 8, Coquimbo, Concepcion ; and Valparaiso.
Siemens Schückert Limited, Blanco 366, Valparaiso; and Santiago.
Sloman, H. B., & Company, Tocopilla and Valparaiso.
Smith, Charles Dudley (of A. & O. Groothoff), Iquique.
Stubenrauch & Company, Punta Arenas.
Stubenrauch, R., Punta Arenas.
Timmermann & Company, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Trede, H., Punta Arenas.
Trillo, Victor, Antofagasta.
Ureta, Oscar, Punta Arenas.
Vargas, Leonidas, Antofagasta.
Vorwerk & Company, Prat 231-239, Valparaiso.
Wagner, Klein & Company, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Weber & Company, Santiago and Valparaiso.

COLOMBIA.

Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Añes, Julio A., & Company, Cucuta.

Banco Aleman-Antioqueño.
Beck, Roberto, Bogota.
Beckmann & Company, Cucuta.
Berne, O., & Company, Barranquilla.
Breuer, Möller & Company, Barranquilla; Cucuta (and all branches).
Breymann, Wilhelm von, & Company, Cali.
Empresa Hanseatica, Barranquilla.
Hoz, P. de la, Barranquilla.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").
Lindemeyer, Heinrich (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).
Stegmann, Arthur (widow of) (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).
Vasquez, Martin (of Empresa Hanseatica).
Volkmann, Gustav, Bucaramanga.
Wiese, F. (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).

CUBA.

Barba, Vicente, Calle San Pedro 4, Havana.
Berndes, J. F., & Company, Calle Cuba 64, Havana.
Eppinger Alberto, Teniente Rey 61, Havana.
Heilbut & Company, Calle San Ignacio 54, Havana.
Michaelsen & Prasse, Obrapia 18, Havana.
Paetzold, M., & Company, Havana.
Seeler, Pi & Company, Obrapia 16, Havana.
Tillman, M., & Company, Havana.
Toennies, H., Havana.
Upmann, H., & Company, Amargura 1, and Mercaderes 34, Havana.

ECUADOR.

Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Balda, Manuel.
Bartels, Carlos, & Company, Bahia de Caráquez.
Bartels, Carlos (partner of Carlos Bartels & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Bartels, Guillermo (partner of Carlos Bartels & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Becdach Hermanos, Quito and Guayaquil.
Becdach Kamal (partner of Becdach Hermanos), Quito and Guayaquil.
Becdach, Rene (partner of Becdach Hermanos), Quito and Guayaquil.
Behreint, Frederick, Manta and Bahia de Caráquez.
Borchert, W., (partner of Jeremias & Borchert), Guayaquil.
Bunge, Julio (partner of Guillermo Kaiser), Guayaquil.
Burau, Juan, Manta.
*Cassinelli & Company, Guayaquil.
Castro, Allen, Calle 16A 205, Guayaquil.
Cattan Hermanos, Quito.
Dassum, Mustafa, Guayaquil.
Dehmlow, Alfred (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Dierks, Hugo (partner of Otte & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Donner & Blackett, Manta and Porto Viejo.
Donner, Roberto (partner of Donner & Blackett), Manta and Porto Viejo.
Duve, Federico (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Flemming & Schnabel, Bahia de Caráquez.
Flemming, George, Bahia de Caráquez.
Glesohen, Carlos (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Manta Branch).
Grim, Juan (partner of Adolfo Poppe), Guayaquil.
Grimmer, Karl (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Guzmann, L., and Hijos, Malecón 100, Guayaquil.
Haas, Max (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Esmeraldas Branch).
Harnack, H. (of Tagua Handels Gessellschaft, Bahia de Caráquez Branch).
Heinert, Leonard, Guayaquil.
Hinnaoui Hermanos, Avenida 2A 320, Guayaquil.
Hinnaoui, Arif (or Aref) (partner of Hinnaoui Hermanos), Guayaquil.
Hinnaoui, Azat (or Azzet) (partner of Hinnaoui Hermanos), Guayaquil.
Hinnaoui, Fuad (partner of Hinnaoui Hermanos), Guayaquil.
Jeremias & Borchert, Avenida Tercera 612, Guayaquil.
Jeremias, L. (partner of Jeremias & Borchert), Avenida Tercera 614, Guayaquil.
Jungnickel & Loose, Guayaquil.
Jungnickel, W. (partner of Jungnickel & Loose), Guayaquil.
Kaiser, Guillermo, Calle Octava 121; Pichincha 125, and Avenida Segundo 118, Guayaquil.
Koppel, Samuel, Avenida Tercera 1101 and 1103, Guayaquil.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").

Kruger & Company Avenida Segunda 400-402, Calle 11A, 118 and 120, and Pichincha 400, Guayaquil.
Kruger, Juan H. (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Kugelman, Ferd., Bahia de Caráquez.
Loose (partner of Jungnickel & Loose), Guayaquil.
Lopez, Romulo G., Guayaquil.
Lüders, Carlos W., Cordoba 506, Guayaquil.
Malheur & Company, Manta.
Maydoub (or Madub) & Ramadan, Ambato
Maydoub (or Madub) Amin (partner of Maydoub & Ramadan), Ambato.
Miketa, Rodolfo (partner of Otte & Company) Bahia de Caráquez.
Minerva Aerated Water Company.
Moller, Herman (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Orenstein & Koppel.
Otte & Company, Bahia de Caráquez.
Otte, Carlos, & Company, Manta.
Patrel, J., & Hermanos, Bahia de Caráquez.
Patrel, Juan (partner of J. Patrel & Hermanos), Bahia de Caráquez.
Patrel, Luis (partner of J Patrel & Hermanos), Bahia de Caráquez.
Poppe, Adolfo, Guayaquil.
Ramadan (partner of Maydoub & Ramadan), Quito and Guayaquil.
Rickert, Carlos (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Rickert, Edward (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Rickert, Enrique (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Rickert & Company, Guayaquil.
Rischanek, Max (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Ruperti, Emilio, Jipijapa.
Schnabel, A. (partner of Flemming & Schnabel), Bahia de Caráquez.
Tagua, Handels Gesellschaft, M.B.H., All branches.
Tresselt, W. (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Bahia de Caráquez Branch).
Urban, Gustavo, (partner of Carlos Luders), Guayaquil.
Voelcker, Carlos, Manta and Bahia de Caráquez.
Yauch, Theodore (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Esmeraldas Branch).
Zohrer, Adolfo, Guayaquil.

* NOTE.—The name of the firm with which trading is prohibited by the Order of the 18th July, 1916, is Cassinelli & Company, Guayaquil. The firm of Cassinelli Hermanos by Compañia of Maleoón 1811, 1812 & 1813, Guayaquil, has not been placed on the Statutory List, and trading with that firm is not prohibited.

PARAGUAY.

Staudt & Company.
Stofen, Schnack, Müller & Company, Asuncion.

PERU.

Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Arce, José Eliśes (of Emmel Hermanos), Arequipa.
Banco Aleman Transatlantico (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Bast, Rodolfo, Piura.
Brahm & Company, Carrera 458, Lima.
Casa Grande Zuckerplantagen Actien Gesellschaft, Trujillo.
Dauelsberg & Company, Mollendo.
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank.
Dolmann & Einfeldt, Lima.
Dunkelberg, F., Lima.
Emmel, Fernando, Arequipa.
Emmel Hermanos, Arequipa, Cuzco.
Freundt & Quistorf, Espaderos 586, 587 and 594, Lima.
Garcia, Antenor & Company, Paita.
Gildemeister & Company, Apartado 388, Lima; and Trujillo.
Gildemeister, Enrique (of Gildemeister & Company).
Gildemeister, Siegfried (of Gildemeister & Company), Trujillo and Lima.
Gulda, F., & Company, Lima.
Hardt, Engelbert, & Company.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.
Hassler & Michaelson, Trujillo.
Herklotz, A., Lima.
Hilbck, F., & Company, Piura.
Hilbck, Kuntze & Company, Cajamarca, Chiclayo and Pacasmayo.
Hillman (partner of Gulda and Company), Lima.
Justus, W. (partner of Brahm & Company), Casilla 89, Lima.
Klinge, F., & Company, Lima.
Knell, H., Callao.

Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").
Leon, Felix, Pacasmayo.
Ludoweig, C., & Company, Ucayali 300, Lima.
Muello & Dammert, Callao.
Oeschsle, A. F., Lima.
Ott, Ph., & Company, Lima.
Palleto, A. A., Pacasmayo.
Raygada, R. Y., Paita.
Schaefer, Carlos, Piura.
Schroeder, C. M., & Company, Lima.
Sociedad Industrial Infantas Limited, Lima.
Sociédad Tubos Mannesmann Limitada, Lima.
Soto, Bernadi, Iquitos.
Strassberger, E., & Company, Iquitos.
Trittau, George, Lima
Umlauff, F., Lima.
Weiss, Carlos, & Company, San Pedro 111, Lima; and Callao.
Welsch, G., & Company, Esquina de Mercaderes 493, Lima.
Wiebe, F., & Company, Salaverry and Trujillo.
Wiebe, S. (partner of F. Wiebe & Company), Salaverry and Trujillo.

PORTO RICO.

Barba, Vicente.
Stubbe, (of Gandia & Stubbe), San Juan.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Bauer, Philipp & Company, 68, Broad Street, New York City.
Beer, Sondheimer & Company, New York.
Blumenthal, Simon R., (of Zimmerman & Forshay).
Botzow, Herman (of O. C. Kanzow & Company).
Brasch & Rothenstein, Inc., 32, Broadway, New York.
Bunge, Mauricio, (of Maclaren & Gentles, Inc.).
Burin, Alf., (of Brasch & Rothenstein, Inc.).
Carlowitz & Company, 82, Beaver Street, and 35, West Houston Street, New York.
Cullen, Charles, Ocala, Florida.
Czech, Armin, (of International Import & Export Company).
Dietzgen, Eugene, Company, 166, W. Monroe Street, Chicago; and 218, E. 23rd Street, New York.
Erlanger, E. H., 60, Wall Street, New York.
Falk, Carlos, (of Maclaren & Gentles, Inc.).
Goldschmidt Chemical Company, 60, Wall Street, New York.
Goldschmidt Detinning Company, 60, Wall Street, New York.
Goldschmidt Thermit Company, 90, West Street, New York.
Grubnau, Carl, & Son, 14, Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa.; 74, Wall Street, New York; and Boston, Mass.
Gubelman, Oscar L., (of Knauth, Nachod & Kühne).
Hardy, Charles, 50, Church Stret, New York.
Hasenclever & Company, 24, State Street, New York.
Hasenclever, Joh. Bernhardt, & Soehne, 21, State Street, New York.
Hauser, Morgan H. (of Zimmerman & Forshay).
Hirsch, Alfredo (of Maclaren & Gentles, Inc.).
Hirschland, Franz H. (of Goldschmidt Thermit Company).
Howe, Robert W (of Brasch & Rothenstein, Inc.).
Humburg, William E., 25, Beaver Street, New York.
International Hide & Skin Company, 59, Frankfort Street, New York.
International Import & Export Company, 136, South Fourth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
Isaacs, J. (of John Simon & Brothers).
Jaffe, Max, 15, William Street, New York.
Kahl, J. A., 82, Beaver Street, New York.
Kanzow, O. C., & Company, 11, Broadway, New York.
Kanzow, Otto C. (of O. C. Kanzow & Company).
Kempner, H., Cotton Exchange, Galveston, Texas.
Knauth, Nachod & Kühne, 15, William Street, New York.
Knauth, Mary I. (of Knauth, Nachod & Kühne).
Knauth, Wilhelm (of Knauth, Nachod & Kühne).
Maclaren & Gentles, Inc., 222, Produce Exchange, New York.
McNear, George W., Inc., Insurance Exchange Building, 433, California Street, San Francisco, California.
Magenheimer, A., 68, Broad Street, New York.
Maier, Marx, 200, Fifth Avenue, New York.
Merchants Colonial Corporation, 45, William Street, New York.

Muller, Carl (of Muller, Schall, & Company).
Muller, Ernest (of Schuchardt & Schutte).
Muller, Schall & Company, 45, William Street, New York.
Muller-Schall, Frederick (of Muller, Schall & Company).
Nachod, Maris, 15, William Street, New York.
National Zinc Company, 2, Stone Street, New York.
Neumond, K. & E., 25, Broad Street, New York.
Newton, Rollin C., 15, William Street, New York.
Norfolk Refining & Smelting Company, Virginia.
Orenstein & Koppel, Pennsylvania.
Pavenstedt, Edmund (of Muller, Schall & Company).
Perutz, Leopold, 17, Battery Place, New York.
Petroleum Products Company of California, Inc., San Francisco, California.
Rees, Louis J. (of Zimmerman & Forshay).
Reuter Broeckelman & Company, 59, Pearl Street, New York.
Richter, Alfred (of Reuter Broeckelman & Company).
Roessler & Hasselacher Chemical Company, 100, William Street, and 14, Jay Street, New York.
Rubber & Guayule Agency Inc., 108, Walter Street, New York.
Rushmore, Townsend 82, Beaver Street, New York.
Schall, William, Junior (of Muller, Schall & Company).
Schenker & Company, 17, Battery Place, New York.
Schloetelborg, G. F., 318, Globe Buildings, Seattle, Washington.
Schmidt, Paul (of Rubber & Guayule Agency Inc.).
Schuchardt & Schutte, 90, West Street, New York.
Schütte, Bünemann & Company, 15, William Street, New York.
Scully, John S. (of Zimmerman & Forshay).
Siemssen & Company, 82, Beaver Street, New York.
Simon, John, & Brothers, Cotton Exchange Building, 15, William Street, New York.
Sonneborn, L., Sons Inc, 262, Pearl Street, and 206, Water Street, New York.
Southern Products Trading Company, Cotton Exchange Building, 15, William Street, New York.
Stegemann, Edward, Junior (of Brasch & Rothenstein Inc.).
Superior Export Company Inc., 90, West Street, New York.
Texas Export & Import Company, Galveston.
Ulrich, Ernst, 15, William Street, New York.
Weber, Edward (of Rubber & Guayule Agency Inc.).
Wehrenberg, Otto (of Philipp Bauer & Company).
Weingardt, Arend H., 15, William Street and 120, Broadway, New York.
Zimmerman & Forshay, 9, Wall Street, New York.
Zimmerman, Leopold (of Zimmerman & Forshay).

VENEZUELA.

Afanador, J., & Company, Ciudad Bolivar.
Afanador, Doctor J. E. Sanchez, Ciudad Bolivar.
Añez, Julio A., & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Becker, George, Caracas.
Beckmann & Company, Maracaibo.
Behrens, Adolfo, (Partner of Blohm & Company).
Blohm & Company, Ciudad Balivar; Caracas; La Guayra; Puerto Cabello; Valencia; Barquisimeto and Maracaibo.
Breuer, Möller & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Christern, Zingg & Company, Maracaibo.
Diaz, Alfred, La Guayra.
Dissel, (van), Rode & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Gathmann Hermanos, Caracas.
Henriquez, Daniel, Maracaibo.
Herrenbruck, E., Maracaibo.
Hess, Carlos, Caracas.
Kehrhahn, Adolf, & Company, Maracaibo.
Mestern & Company, Puerto Cabello.
Otamenda & Company, Maracaibo and San Cristobal.
Pineda, Joviniano, Maracaibo.
Rayhrer & Firnhaber, Maracaibo.
Rincon, Angel Renato, Maracaibo.
Rodriguez, Luis, M., Ciudad Bolivar.
Rossi, Jesus Belloso, Maracaibo.
Schnell, (Partner of Blohm & Company).
Schreier, (Partner of Blohm & Company).
Steinvorth & Company, Maracaibo.
Vasquez, Tomas Rodriguez, Puerto Cabello.
Wenzel, Gmo., & Company, Ciudad Bolivar and Caracas.

ASIA.

JAPAN.

Aachen & Munich Fire Insurance Company, c/o Simon Evers 25 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 100 Yedomachi Kobe.
Accumulatoren Fabrik Aktien Gesellschaft, 32B Tsukiji, Tokyo.
Ahrens, H., & Company, Nachf, 29 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 10 Bund, Kobe.
Akino Genziro, 154, Yokohama.
Akino Kunizo, 154, Yokohama.
Bayer, F., & Company, 183, Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 47 Akashimachi, Kobe.
Becker & Company, 89B Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 31A Akashimachi, Kobe; and 14 Hamacho, Nichome, Nihonbashi, Tokyo.
Benicke, F., Nachf, 4, Honkawaya-cho, Nihonbashi-ku, Tokyo; 81 Kyo-Machi, Kobe.
Berg, Werner, 4 Shichome Nakayamatedori, Kobe.
Bergmann & Company, 154 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; and 40 Akashimachi, Kobe.
Bleifus, F. R., 92 Yamashitacho, Yokohama.
Boeddinghans, C. E., 4 Deshima, Nagasaki.
Bohler Keitei Goshi Kaisha, Nakanoshima, Osaka; 8 Uchisaiwaicho, Tokyo.
Borkowsky, G., 169 Sannomiyacho, Itchome, Kobe.
Bretschneider & Company, 160A Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Carlowitz & Company, 124 Higashi-machi, Kobe; 11 Isogami-Dori, 5 Nichome, Kobe.
Cassella Senryo Kaisha, Murai Building, Ninonbashi-ku, Tokyo, and 31A Akashi-machi, Kobe.
China Export, Import and Bank Company, Kobe and Yokohama.
Chu Sheang Dong, Chemulpo, Korea.
Club Concordia, 117 Itomachi, Kobe.
Club Germania, 235 Yokohama.
Delacamp & Company, 121 Higashi-machi, Kobe.
Delacamp, Piper & Company, 202 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 70 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Deutsche Apotheke (Kote Dispensary), 16 Narima-Machi, Kobe.
Deutsch-Asiatische Bank, 180A Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 25 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Doi, Nagashi, Minami Rokuchome 122, Aoyama, Tokyo.
Fachtmann & Company, R., 45 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Feicke & Company, J., 80 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Fischer, R. E., Kobe.
Gartner-Gebruder, Otaru, Hokkaido.
Geiser & Gilbert, Limited, Surugadaishita, Tokyo.
Gutmann, E., Yayesucho, Itchome, Tokyo.
Harada Kakujiro, Kobe.
Hattori, Y., Benton-Dori, Yokohama.
Hirschfeld, G. C., 43 Sannomiya-cho, Kobe.
Hoffman, F., Kobe.
Ichikawa, Kiyoshi, 14 Nichome, Iidawao , Kojimachi-ku, Tokyo.
Ikeda Tokuzo, 12 Kaigandori, Kobe.
Illies, C., & Company, 54 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 12 Bund, Kobe; 15 Tsukiji, Tokyo; 40 Kitahama, Sanchome; Osaka & Moji.
Imada Takehiro, 39 Akashimachi, Kobe.
Jantzen, F., Kobe.
Japan Herald, P. O. Box 279, Yokohama.
Kalle & Company, Kobe.
Kato Shoten, 91 Kitamachi, Kobe.
Kenshin Yoko, 211, Yokohama.
Kobe Dispensary (Deutsche Apotheke), 16 Harima-Machi, Kobe.
Konishi Kikujiro, 54 Yokohama.
Langfeldt & Company, 73 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Lessner, S. D., 25 Nakamachi, Kobe; 6 Megasaki, Nagasaki.
Levedag, E., 4 Yurakucho, Sanchome, Tokyo.
Leybold, Shokwan, L., 26 Himonocho Nihonbashi-ku, Tokyo; 29 Nishi Hommachi, Moji.
Liesecke, J., 80 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Meier & Company, A., 25 Yamashita-cho Yokohama; 68 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Munster, B., 23 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Nakamura Yushutsuten, 169 Sannomiya-cho, Itchome, Kobe.
Nigo Shoten, 154, Yokohama.
Normal Dispensary, 77D Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Oestmann & Company, A., 196 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 47, Kobe.
Oldenburg, E., 49 Harimamachi, Kobe.
Pieper & Thomas, 202 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; and 24 Teppo-cho, Nihonbashi, Tokyo.
Pietzkar, W., 45 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 17 Maye machi, Kobe.
Ramseger & Company, 17 Mayemachi, Kobe.
Raspe & Company, M., 91 Kitamachi, Kobe; 18A Tsukiji, Tokyo.
Ratjen, Rud, 122 Aoyama Minamimachi Rokuchome, Tokyo.
Reimers, Otto & Company, 198 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.

Retz, F., 214 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Retz, F., & Company, 214 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Ritter, W., P. O. Box 234, Yokohama.
Rohde & Company, Carl (Japan Export Company), 70A Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 104 Yedo-machi, Kobe.
Romisch, Leo, 33 Tsukiji, Tokyo.
Saaga Shokai, Giuza, Tokyo.
Sawada & Company, 40, Akashimachi, Kobe.
Schmidt, Scharff & Company, R., 52 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Schmidt Shoten, 1 Yayesucho, Itchome, Kojimachi, Tokyo.
Schramm & Company, Paul, 21 Yurakucho, Itchome, Kojimachi, Tokyo, and Ono Hamabedori, Kobe.
Schuchardt & Schutte, 1 Yurakucho, Itchome, Kojimachi-ku, Tokyo.
Siemens Schückert Denki Kabushiki Kaisha, 65 Bojima Hamadori, Osaka; 48 Akashicho Tsukiji, Tokyo; 130 Tsutsui-cho, Kobe and Moji.
Simon Evers & Company, 25 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 101 Yedomachi, Kobe.
Sugimoto Boyeki Gomei Kaisha, 160A Yokohama.
Takashiro Arazo, Isagamidori, Kobe.
Tanigawa Masajiro, 12 Kaigandori, Kobe.
Terauchi Shohai, 40 Akashimachi, Kobe.
Ukita Yasumasa, 70, Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Van Nierop's, Ed. L., Japan Trading Company, 39 Akashimachi, Kobe; and 153 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Vehling & Company, 92 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Vogt, Dr. Carl, 67 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Weinberger & Company, C., 46 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 76B Kyomachi, Kobe.
Wilckens, A., 45 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Winckler & Company, 256 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 100 Yedomachi, Kobe; 2 Minami Konyamachi, Tokyo; and 9 Shumokumachi Sanchome Nagoya.
Wolf, Hans, 81 Nakamachi, Kobe.
Wolter, Carl & Company, Honmachi, Chemulpo, Korea.
Wong Ching Hung, Chemulpo, Korea.
Zeiss, Carl 33 Tsukiji, Tokyo.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Adler Warenhuis (Moritz Adler), Sourabaya.
Assahan Syndicat Gesellschaft, Medan and Palembang.
Auerbach, H., Oxe & Company, Sourabaya.
Barmer Export Gesellschaft Batavia.
"Bataviaasch Handelsbad," Batavia.
Behn Meyer, H. M., & Company, Batavia and Sourabaya.
Biedermann & Company, Samarang and Sourabaya.
Birnbaum, S. & W., Kali Bisar West, Batavia.
Borneo Import & Export Company, Dutch Borneo and Batavia.
Braunschweigsche Maschinenbauanstalt, Sourabaya.
Breitfeld, Danek & Company, Sourabaya.
Cultuur Maatschappy Montaja, Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy Pasoemah, Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy Plaboean Ratoe, Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy Silau Doenia, Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy "Soekabiroes."
Cultuur Maatschappy "Soengei Langka," Batavia.
Cultuur Maatschappy Tji-Karang.
Cultuur Maatschappy "Tjikopo-Zuid."
Cultuur Maatschappy Wangoen Wattie.
Diehn, August, Medan and Palembang. Sumatra; and Java.
Eckstein. P., Medan and Palembang.
Ehrlich, S., Medan and Palembang.
Elten, Van, Medan.
Erdmann & Sielcken, Samarang, Batavia, and Sourabaya.
Export Maatschappy Austria, Bandoeng.
Filamont, Engelen & Company, Menado and Celebes.
Forsyth, Douglas, Batavia.
Giesbers & Rosenkrantz, Sourabaya.
Goldenberg & Company, Medan and Palembang.
Gummi Fabriek Harburg-Wien, Sourabaya.
Gumprich & Strauss, Batavia.
Guntzel & Schumacher Handelsmaatschappy, Medan, Palembang and Sumatra.
Hallermann, J., Medan and Palembang.
Hallesche Machinenfabriek, Sourabaya.
Handel Maatschappy A. F. Van Den Berg and Company, Batavia.
Handel Maatschappy Paré Paré, Macassar.

Harland Kantoor, Batavia.
Hennemann, R., & Company, Dutch Borneo ; Batavia and Siboga.
Herrmann, C. H., Batoe Toelis 2, Batavia.
Hilckes, E. A., Bandjermasin.
Hinloopen, W., Tandjong Balei, Asahan, Sumatra.
Hinlopen, K., & Company, Sourabaya.
Horak, F.
Import Maatschappy Zikel & Company, Samarang and Bandoeng.
Jongeneel, Medan.
Katz, S., & Company, Medan and Palembang.
Kehding, F., Medan and Palembang.
Keil, K. E., Buitenzorg.
Kina Cultuur Maatschappy.
Kölner Handelsgesellschaft, Sourabaya.
Koning, Carel A., & Company, Medan.
Koppel, Arthur, Sourabaya.
Ledeboer, W. B., & Company, Macassar, Menado, and Gorontalo.
Leezenberg, P., Medan.
Liebenschütz & Company, Samarang and Sourabaya.
Lind, J. A., Handelsvereeniging, Medan and Palembang.
Look, H., Hulkenbachstrasse 43, Medan.
Luppe, Th., & Company, Bandoeng.
Maatschappy Limbangan Industrie, Batavia.
Maatschappy Tot Exploitatie Van Het Land Semplak, Batavia.
Machine en Rijwielfabriek Tropical, Samarang.
Mohrmann & Company, (Handels Vereeniging Voorheen J. Mohrmann), Macassar and Celebes.
Naessens & Company, Sourabaya and Medan.
Neumann & Company, Batavia.
Oei Boen Soei.
Ong Eng Tee, Medan.
Ong Seng Kwie, Batavia.
Orenstein & Koppel, Sourabaya.
Ott, E., Medan and Palembang.
Pang Kie Ngan, Batavia.
Plantagen Gesellschaft Boenisari, Batavia.
Plantagen Gesellschaft Neglasari, Bandoeng.
Plantagen Gesellschaft Tjiganitri, Batavia.
Prottel & Company, Sourabaya.
Reichler & Company, Medan and Palembang.
Schaap, F. L., Samarang.
Schild, J., Padang, Sumatra.
Schliepar, Carl, and Company, Samarang.
Siemens & Halske, Allgemeine Gesellschaft, Sourabaya.
Siemens Schückert Werke, Sourabaya.
Societé, Coloniale Indo-Belge, Batavia.
Sourabaya Oliefabriek, Sourabaya.
Spier, F. C., Sourabaya.
Straits und Sunda Syndikat, Batavia.
Tan Soen Tjiang, Macassar.
Technische Bureau Altmann, Bandoeng.
Technische Bureau Behn Meyer & Company, Sourabaya.
Technische Bureau Sunda, Bandoeng
Thee-Plantagen Gesellschaft Tjiémas, Bandoeng.
Valk, G. H., Macassar.
Vankhee, Macassar ; Menado and Gorontalo.
Vlielander Hein & Company, Batavia.
Wirbatz, Otto (or Wirbatz & Company), Sourabaya.
Wolf & Petschek, Sourabaya and Samarang.

PERSIA.

Abdul Rahim Arab.
Abramiantz & Company, Lalezar, Tehran.
Agha Muhammad Yusuf Khabbez Beglaroff, Kazvin.
Agha Muhammad Ismail Isfahani, Meshed.
Baue, Tehran.
Bonati (Schwerin), Tehran.
Carnik Khan Dalguidjan, Tehran.
Eger Brothers, Meshed.
Farbwerke Vorm, Meister Lucius & Brunig, Ispahan.
Fars Company, Shiraz.
Haim, Ezra, Hamadan.
Haji Abbas Arab, Ispahan.

Haji Ahmedagha Teheranji, Tehran.
Haji Amin, Ispahan.
Haji Amin-ut-Tujjar Brothers, Ispahan.
Haji Gholem Ali, & Haji Mohamed Bagher Behbehani & Sons, Bushire.
Haji Goulam Hussein, Sons of, Resht.
Haji Mihammed Ibrahim (Malik-ut-Tujjar), Ispahan.
Haji Mohamed Ibrahim, Tehran.
Haji Muhammad Hussain Kazeruni, Ispahan. (Trading as Shirkat Masoodieh and Shirket Islamieh.)
Haji Muhammad Reza, Ispahan.
Haji Muhammad Ibraham Tenrani Sakkon, Tehran.
Haji Muhammad Welinkani, Kerman.
Haji Saleh Arab, Successors of, viz.—Haji Amin, Haji Mohammed Reza and Zafar, Ispahan.
Hanemoglou, Resht.
Herold, M., Meshed.
Hoffman, Meshed.
Ismaloff, (Georges & Jean), Kazvin.
Lascarides Frères, Resht.
Maison Hollandaise (Prins, C. F.), Tehran.
Malik-ut-Tujjar (Haji Muhammed Ibrahim), Ispahan.
Meshedi Ismail Salmasi, Kerman.
Meshedi Goulam Ali, Resht.
Minassiantz, A., Tehran.
Muhammad Mehdi Samsar Isfaman.
Muhammad Saleh, Resht.
Mustafa Husseini, Tehran.
Papadopoulo, Hariles, Resht.
Pascalidi Frères, Resht.
Persische Teppiche A/G., Ispahan.
Prins, C. F. (Maison Hollandaise), Tehran.
Pugin.
Roever, Wilhelm, Shiraz.
Sadie Afshar, Yezd.
Safa & Company, Limited, Bushire.
Serushian, Kerman.
Seskiel Nawi, Tehran.
Shebarek, Georges, Tehran.
Société du Tombac, Ispahan.
Tehallis, Demetri, Resht.
Tehallis, Leandros, Resht.
Tehallis, Sotiri, Resht.
Wassmuss.
Wonckhaus & Company, Bushire.
Yavash Oohli, Resht.
Zafar, Ispahan.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Arend, A. Von, Manila.
Asinga Company, Limited.
Asuncion, Roman, Manila.
Basilan Plantation Company, Zamboanga.
Behn Meyer & Company, Limited, Manila.
Botica Boie, Manila.
Cooper Company. P. O. Box 189, Manila.
Determann, A. (of Manila Commercial Company), Manila.
Duft, Charles, G., Manila.
El Siglo, Manila.
Fressel & Company, Manila.
Froehlich & Kuttner, Iloilo.
Fua Matas Company, Manila.
Germann & Company, Manila.
Gmür, Otto & Company, Manila.
Hashim, N. T., & Company, Manila.
La Perla Del Oriente (Oriente Cigar Factory), P. O. Box 430, Manila.
La Prueba Cigar Factory, P. O. Box 856, and Guuao 4, Manila.
La Yebana Cigar Factory, Manila.
Lampe, O. (of E. A. and Otto Weber), Manila.
Landahl, J., (of Secker & Company), Manila.
Lohmann, J. (of E. A. and Otto Weber), Tuguegarao.
Der Helios, Manila.
Maack, A., (of Manila Commercial Company), Manila.

Manila Commercial Company, P. O. Box 442, Manila.
Manila Drug Company, Manila.
Manila Import Company, Basmarina, 107, Manila.
Meller, P., (of Manila Commercial Company), Manila.
Menzi, J. M., Manila.
Merlo, Timeteo.
Muller, Heinrich, Manila.
Nagel, P., (of Juan Seiboth & Company), Manila.
Oriente Cigar Factory, (La Perla del Oriente) P. O. Box 430, Manila.
Richter, Adolpho, & Company.
Roensch, Alfred, & Company.
Rosello, B., Manila.
Santos & Jahrling, Botica de Santa Cruz, Manila.
Schmidt & Ziegler, David 64, Manila.
Schubert, R.
Schulz & Company, Manila.
Secker & Company (Secker's Store), Manila.
Seiboth, Juan, & Company, Limited, Manila.
Siegart Siebrand, Manila.
Stahl & Rumcker, Manila.
Strohecker, P., Manila.
Struckmann & Company, S. Vincenta 65, Manila.
Velhagen, (of Oriente Cigar Factory), Manila.
Vellguth, Rudolf, Manila.
Viegelmann & Company, Manila.
Weber, E. A. and Otto, Cagayan, Manila and Tuguegarao.

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DENMARK.

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Allegemeine Elektricitäts Gesellschaft, Vestergade 23, Copenhagen.
Andersen & Jensen, Istedgade 3, Copenhagen.
Anglo-Russian Trading Company, Dron. Tværg, 3, Copenhagen.
Atlantisk Handelsselskab (Atlantic Trading Company), Vestre Boulevard 9, Copenhagen.
Beldring and Company, Vodroffsplads 2, and Vestre Boulevard 47, Copenhagen.
Biel, G., Tordenskjoldgade 22, Copenhagen.
Bohm, J. M., Stettin Spedition (Manager, Aage Larsen), Ny. Toldbodgade 37, Copenhagen.
Bonne, C. Riis, Linoleum Company, Limited, Kronprinsensgade 6, Copenhagen.
Brennabor-Werke, (Gebr. Reichstein), Tordenskjoldsg 3, and Christian IX's Gade 3-5, Copenhagen.
Brix-Hansen & Company, Amaliegade 36, Copenhagen.
Carstensen, Ph., Frederiksholm Kanal 4, Copenhagen.
Continental Caoutchouc & Guttapercha Company, Amaliegade 28, Copenhagen.
Copenhagen Coal & Coke Company (Kjobenhavns Kul and Koks Kompagni A/S.), Islands Brygge 22, Copenhagen.
Costa & Ribeiro, Copenhagen.
Dansk Russisk Handelsselskab, Skt. Marcus Sideallé 2, Copenhagen.
General Import and Export Company, Mikkel Bryggersgade 18 (formerly of Frederiksholm Kanal 4), Copenhagen.
Goldstück Hainze & Company, S. Annæpl. 16, Copenhagen.
Grauballe, Christian, Frederiksberggade 32, and Bredgade 45, Copenhagen.
Henriques, R., Jr., Höjbroplads 9, Copenhagen.
Hommel, Valdemar, Hestemollestraede 6, Copenhagen.
Jensen, Albert, Islands Brygge 22, Copenhagen.
Jensen & Fode, Ny. Vestergade 7, Copenhagen.
Keil, Otto, Vesterbrogade 28, Copenhagen.
Kjobenhavns Kul & Koks Kompagni A/S. (Copenhagen Coal and Coke Company), Islands Brygge 22, Copenhagen.
Kraeft, Walter, Norregade 7, Copenhagen.
Nordisk Kommissions Kompagni, Rådaustraede 11, Copenhagen.
Petersen, P. Carl, Kolmens Kanal 9, Copenhagen.
Rasmussen, Alf., and Company, Martinsv. 9; Vestre Boulevard 9, Copenhagen.
Rothapfel, Max, Ostbanegaarden 19, Copenhagen.
Sachs, Ignace, Palads Hotel, Copenhagen.
Scandinavian British Syndicate, Islands Brygge 21, and Holmens Kanal 5, Copenhagen.
Schaltz, K. A., Frederiksholm Kanal 4, Copenhagen.
Seelk, Alfred, Strandv. 118, Vimmelskaftet 42, and Borsen, Copenhagen.

Skandinavisk Produkt Import Company, Skindergade 31, Copenhagen.
Winkel & Wendt, Borsen 7, Copenhagen.

GREECE.

Antovitch, Pierre, Chios.
Assael, Peppo, Allatini Han, Salonika.
Baruch, Solomon & Levi, Volo.
Baumann, Angelo (of Baumann & Beckmann), Athens.
Baumann, Hermann, Rue Ossakaloff 31, Athens.
Baumann & Beckmann, Pl. Dimokratirion, Athens.
Beck, Karl, 13 Rue de l'Université, Athens.
Bensussan, N., Piræus.
Bloch, Eugene, Piræus.
Brazzafoli, Domenico, Syra.
Callimasiotis, Dimitrios, Piræus.
Damalas, Pavlos (Paul), Piræus.
Damas, Constantine, Calamata.
Daniolos Frères, Andros.
Defner & Edelmann, Athens.
Dimitrelias, John, Vathy, Samos.
Fels & Company, Corfu.
Frandzis, P., & Fiorentino, G., Vathy, Samos.
Galanis & Goldstein & Hadjiandreou, Samos.
Goldstein, Albert, Samos.
Gottlieb, Martin, Candia.
Gromann, George, Athens.
Hampartchoumian, Aram, Athens.
Hamparzum, Aram (Aram Hampartchoumian), Athens.
Harr, Gustave, St. Theodore Square, Athens.
Heidmann, Hans, Salonika.
Hoffmann, Alfred, Piræus.
Jenny & Vock (Fridolin Jenny; Emil Vock), Rua Franque, Salonika.
Kloebe, Karl, & Company, Athens.
Kloebe, Friedrich (of Karl Kloebe & Company), Athens.
Kloebe, Karl (of Karl Kloebe & Company), Athens.
Koeing, I. & H., & Company, Athens.
Kouremetis, Michael, Athens and Calymnos.
Kouremetis, Pandelis, Athens and Calymnos.
Kruger, Max., Canea.
Kruger, Richard, G., Canea.
Lianos, C., Frères, Piræus.
Lianos, Soulakas & Goumas, Piræus.
Lochner, Hermann, Patras.
Lochner, Max, Patras.
Lucas & Company, Patras.
Mehmed Baldji Frères, Aelion Han, Salonika.
Michaelides & Milch, Panghion Hotel, Athens and Piræus.
Moretti, Louis, Zante.
Müller, Carl Ferdinand, Rue Apollo 37, Athens.
Muller, Karl, Patras.
Ornstein, Dr. Otto, Chios.
Palaiologos, George, Patras.
Pfister & Assael (Rudolph Von Pfister & Peppo Assael), Allatini Han, Salonika.
Procopiou, Patras.
Rossini, Alexander (*alias* Rosalini), Odos Vasilissa Olga 162A, Salonika and Porto Lagos.
Schachtel & Jacobson, Salonika.
Scheffel, Helmuth, Volo.
Schenker & Company, Salonika.
Schewend, August, Candia, Crete.
Seefelder & Company (Hans & Michel), Salonika.
Stoltenhof & Lucas, Patras.
Stringos, George, Piræus.
Tiring, Victor, & Frères, Salonika.
Wein, Jacob, Canea.
Yeni, Samuel Judah, Salonika.
Zachariou, Alexandre, & Company (Alexandre Zachariou & Athanasios Papatheodorou), 54 Stadium Street, Athens.
Zahn, Henry, Calamata.

ICELAND AND FAROE ISLANDS.

Braun, Rich. N., Reykjavik, Iceland.
Braun Verslun, Reykjavik, Iceland.

Krossanes Oil and Guano Factory, Krossanes, Iceland.
Obenhaupt, A., Templarasund 5, Reykjavik, Iceland.
Thomsen, H. Th. A., Reykjavik, Iceland, and Thorshavn, Färoe Islands.

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Allgemeine Electricitäts Gesellschaft, Install. Bur., Keizersgracht 121, Amsterdam.
American Importing Company, (M. Kattenburg), Keizersgracht 197, Amsterdam.
Anthraciet Handelsvereeniging, Boompjes 70, Rotterdam.
Asteroth, Friedr., Maaskade 132, Rotterdam.
Bächer, August, Sons, Wijnhaven Z.Z. 108, Rotterdam.
Bakker, S. W., Ymuiden.
Barmat, J., Keizersgracht 302-304, Amsterdam.
Bella, M. de la, 2e Jan van der Heydenstraat 2, Amsterdam.
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Jacobsen & Braastad, Toldbodgt. 35, Christiania; and Aalesund.
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"Correo Español," Madrid.
Crosa, Angel, Tenerife.
Cruz, Calmarino Manuel de la, Rios Rosas 11, Malaga.
"Debate," Madrid.
Deutsch, Charles, Atocha 151, Madrid.
Deutscher Nachrichtendienst für Spanien, Calle Santa Teresa 8, Barcelona.
Deutsches Kohlen Depôt Gesellschaft, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
Diego, César de, Colegiata 13, Madrid.
Diego, de, & Falkenstein, Colegiata 13, Madrid.
Ditmer, Carl, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Dorr & Lensten, Malaga.
Duran, José, Barquillo 26, Madrid.
"Edén Bebé," Consejo de Ciento 159, Barcelona.
"El Siglo Futuro," Madrid.
"El Tradicionalista," Grand Canary.
Engelhardt, Otto, Calle San Pablo 30, Seville.
Erhardt & Company, Bilbao.
Escuder, José, Valencia.
Espana, Antonio, Malaga.
Falkenstein, Felix, Calle Colegiata 13, Madrid.
Feustel, Otto, Consejo de Ciento 322, Barcelona.
Figueras, Manuel, Tarragona.
Fliedner, Jorge, Madrid.

Frade, Francisco, Madrid.
Freudenthal, Gustaf, Calle del Coso, Zaragoza.
Gaissert, Emilio, & Company, Calle Princesa 61, Barcelona.
Gaissert, Emilio M., Ronda de San Pedro 17 (esquina Claris), Barcelona.
Gallegos y Armosa, José Luis, Seville.
Gans, Richard, Princesa 63, Madrid.
Garzon (see M. Garrigan Lorente).
Gaswerk Company, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
German Cable Company, Tenerife.
Gil, Juan, Paseo de Colon 19, Seville.
Goncalves, Francisco, Las Palmas and Tenerife.
Goncalves Hermanos, Las Palmas and Tenerife.
Gonzales, Julio, Alameda de Mazarredo 1, Bilbao.
Gottschalk Hermanos, Calle Bailen 27, Barcelona.
Götz, Anton, Hotel Moderno, Tuy.
Grösch, Federico, Calle Corcega, Barcelona.
Gutierrez, Leopoldo, Madrid.
Gutkind, Felix, Trinidad Grund 7, Malaga.
Haasenstein & Vogler, Rambla Capuchinos 15, Barcelona.
Hamm, Luis S., Rambla de Cataluna 35, Barcelona.
Hanne, Antoine, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Hartmann, Pablo, Valencia and Calle Cortes 591, Barcelona.
Heindsdorf & Lemcke, Atocha 4, and Alameda de Colón 6, Malaga.
Heise, Georg, Calle Pópulo 24, Prăl Der., Seville.
Hengsternberg, Hermann, Seville.
Hernandez, Juan Castro, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
Heusch, Hugo & Company, Calle Diputacion 112-118, Barcelona and Palma Mallorca.
Hielscher, Adolfo, Calle Zorrilla 31, Madrid.
Hinderer, Carlos, Madrid.
Hispano (La) Alemana, Viladomat 83, Barcelona.
Hoppe, Carlos, & Company, Alameda de Mazarredo 1, Bilbao; Calle Muelle 17, Santander.
Hoppe Carlos y Sylvi, Alameda de Mazarredo 1, Bilbao.
Iturriagagoitia, Viuda é Hijo de J., Bilbao.
Joannides, Temistocles, Calle General Menacho 9, Cadiz.
Kalle & Company, Trafalgar 37, Barcelona.
Kalle Kniesling, Guillermo, Trafalgar 37, Barcelona.
Knappe, Carlos, Calle Alcalá 38, Madrid.
Koehler, Guillermo, Esparteros 1, and Plaza del Cordon 1, Madrid.
Koppel, Arturo, Carrera San Jeronimo, Madrid.
Korting, Sociedad Anon. Espanola, Plaza Palacio 11, Barcelona; and Valencia.
"La Defensa," Malaga.
Lainez, Hijos de Evelio, Cadiz.
Laschütza, Oscar, Vigo.
Lehmann & Company, Consejo de Ciento 159, Barcelona.
Lence, Carlos, Calle Colón 13, Valencia.
Longo, Arturo, Almeria, Garrucha, Malaga and Aguilas.
Lenher, Amande, Alicante.
Leonhardt, E., & Company, Trafalgar 23, Barcelona.
Leopold, Guillermo, Caputxas 4, and Plegamans 3, Barcelona.
Linan, Antonio Ruiz, Lagunillas 30, Malaga.
Linhoff, Carlos (sucesores de Cross & Linhoff), Malaga.
Llombet, Andres, Rosario 2, Santa Cruz de Tenerife.
Lluck y Cia, Paseo de Gracia 51, Barcelona.
Lluck y Vinals, Salvador, Paseo de Gracia 51, Barcelona.
Loeck, Walter, Bilbao.
Lohr, Maximilio, Tenerife.
Lopez & Company, Malaga
Lopez, José, Calle Diputacion 112-118, Barcelona.
Lorente, M. Garrigan (commonly called Garzon), Calle de al Regente 2, Malaga.
Malaga Dried Fruit Company, Malaga.
Manau, Mariano, Barcelona.
Marra & Company, Malaga.
Marten, Martin, Calle Adriano 38, Seville; Calle Cortes 604, Barcelona.
Martin, Juan Gonzales, Calle Cabello 2, Malaga.
Maximo, Otto, Carrera San Jeronimo, Madrid.
Medem, Otto, Calle Bailen 2, Barcelona; Calle A. Calderon 15, and Calle Atazazanas 15, Valencia; Alicante; Bilbao and Malaga.
"Mentidero," Madrid.
Meyer, Carlos, Cadiz.
Meyer y Bacharach, Calle Serrano y Grao, Valencia and Malaga.
Mittelstrass, Otto, Las Palmas.
Monguio y Scharlau, Calle Aragon 219, Barcelona.
Mulder, Enrique, Vigo.

Muller, Alfred, Palma de Mallorca.
Muller Harmanos, Avinó 20, and Fernando 32, Barcelona.
Muller, Hugo, Seville.
Muller, William, Seville.
Murillo, Marcelino, Bilbao.
Navarro, Salvador (Sucesor de Navarro y Capo), Rambla Capuchinos 8 & 10, Barcelona.
Neufville (de), Sucesor de J., Santa Teresa 8 and 10, Barcelona.
Nolla y Badia, José, Cortes 612, Barcelona.
Norregaard, Luis, Tarragona.
Oliver, Ladislau, Barcelona.
Ornstein, Leon, Calle Mariana Pineda 5, Madrid.
Paetow, Carl, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Palacios, Lusi Asin, Calle de Preciados, Madrid.
Pares, Pedro, Calle Alcala 46, Madrid.
Pfeil, Emil, Calle Obispo Lago 37, Tuy.
Pflugger, Karl, Las Palmas.
Postigo, Manuel, Trinidad Grund 21, Malaga.
Postigo, Salvador, Trinidad Grund 21, Malaga.
Rafols, Jaime, Dormitorio San Francisco 5; Vila y Vila, Barcelona; and Port Bon.
Ramirez, Antonio, Trinidad Grund 7, Malaga (Transport Agent).
Reder, Gustav, Calle Zorrilla 23, Madrid.
Rein & Company, Malaga.
Ries, Isidor, Colón 72, Valencia.
Ries & Company, Colón 72, Valencia.
Rodriguez, Adolpho Hielscher, Calle Zorrilla 31, Madrid.
Rodriguez, Andres Llombet, Rosarioz, Santa Cruz de Tenerife.
Rojas, Claudio, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
Romeo, Joaquin, Rambla Santa Monica 13, Barcelona.
Roock, Jorge, Hurtado de Amézaga 12, and Fueros 2, Bilbao.
Rose, Louis, Hotel España Calle Mayor, Madrid.
Rosenow, Hermann, Monte Esquinza 10, Madrid.
Ruiz Garcia, Fernando, Infantas 1, Santander.
Saggese Hermanos de Binisalem et de Palma, Palma, Balearic Islands.
Salvador Hermanos, Falcó 10, Castellon.
Schimmelpfeng's Information Agency, Madrid, and Ronda de la Universidad 17, Barcelona.
Schlayer, Felix (Sucesor de Alberto Ables & Company), Alcalá 46, Madrid; Paseo de Aduana 15 and 17, Barcelona.
Segalerva, Rafel Baquera, Malaga.
Serra, Juan, Tarragona.
Serra, Pedro, Pares, Calle Alcala 46, Madrid.
Serrano, Augustin, and Cia, Malaga.
Siemens Schückert Industria Electrica, Barcelona; Madrid and Valencia.
Siemens, Enrique, & Company, Las Palmas.
Sociedad Anónima Fabrica de Lámparas de Filamento Metalico, Paeso de Santa Maria de la Cabeza, Madrid.
Sociedad Española Anonima Para Fabricación de Perlas Imitacion, Calle Diputacion 87, 91, 108 and 110, Barcelona.
Sociedad Vinicola, Tarragona.
Soujol, Carlos, Villamari 25, Barcelona.
Tannenbaum, Juan, Cármen 24, Madrid.
Tapias, José, Tarragona.
Teickner (or Teikner), Máximo, Mercado del Ensanche 5, Bilbao; Barcelona and Valencia.
Teschendorff, Steiner & Company, Travessa S. Vincente and Calle Peaña 25, Grao de Valencia.
Thonet Hermanos, Madrid.
Traumann, Enrique, Madrid.
"Tribuna," Madrid.
Uhthoff, Ludolfo, Calle San Pedro 16, Cadiz.
Union de Destiladores de Esencias de España Sociedad Anonima, Malaga.
Valdes, Antonio A. P., Avenida de Pries 16, Malaga.
Valls, Hijos de Magin, Barcelona.
Vogt, Conrad, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
Wackonnigg, Wilhelm Bilbao.
Weinhagen, Gustave, & Company, Calle de Napoles 107, Barcelona.
Wertheim, Carlos, Calle Avino 9, Barcelona.
Wimmer, J., & Company (Hans, Johannes, & Max Wimmer), Puerta del Sol 6, Madrid.
Winter, Emilio, Calle General Menacho 9, Cadiz.
Wittmack, Otto, & Company, Carmen 21, Malaga.
Woermann Line, Las Palmas.

SWEDEN.

Abrahamsson, Runö, Kungsträdgardsg, 4, Stockholm.
Akermann & Dahl, Norrköping.
Allgemeine Electrictäts Gesellschaft, Kard ansmakareg 9, Stockholm.
Allmänna Handels (A/B), Hamngatan, 5B, Stockholm.
Almquist, Carl, Ystad.
Alpen, H., Magasinskvarte 3A, Gothenburg.
Andersson, Axel, Tornea.
Andersson, Leopold, Fjällgatan 6, Gothenburg.
Andersson & Linberg (A/B), Stora Badhusgatan 6, Gothenburg.
Andersson, S. August, Skeppsbron 3, Malmö.
Apoteket Kronan, Korsgaten 3, Gothenburg.
Appelbom, Nils (of P. L. Engstam (A/B), Drottningg. 81, Stockholm.
Arvum (A/B), V. Hamng. 14, Gothenburg.
Bagges Import Agentur, Ö., Hamngt. 50B, Gothenburg.
Beijers, John, Skofabrik (A/B), Flemminggatan 59, and Kronobergsg. 9, Stockholm.
Berg, Victor Malmtorgsg. 5, Stockholm.
Bergmann & Company, Birgerjarlsgaten 15, Stockholm.
Bexelius, Henrik, G., la Kungsholmsbrog. 27, and Valling 42, Stockholm.
Biehl, G., Malmö.
Blomquest, Olof, & Company, Oscarshamn.
Böhm (A/B), J. M., Skeppsbron 40, Stockholm.
Bojsen, C. V. S., Hamngatan 59, Gothenburg.
Bojsen, Sture, Föreningsgatan 52, Malmö.
Brattström, Johann, Kungsholms Hamnplan 7, Stockholm.
Burchard, Adolf, Drottningg. 4, and Strandvägen 29, Stockholm.
Christiernin, C., Vasag 15/17, Stockholm.
Dahlström, Otto, Bredgr. 2, Stockholm.
Daumichen, Max, Stockholm.
Deijenberg, Carl, Sorda Vagen 30, Gothenburg.
Dressfalls Grufvor Och Malmförädlingsverk (A/B), Rosenbad 2, Stockholm.
Edstrand Brothers, Jorgen Knockg. 2, and Skeppsbron, Malmö.
Edström, Simon, Skeppsbron 11, Malmö.
Engeström & Jaeppelt, Per Veijersg 3, Malmö; and Gothenburg.
Engstam, P. L. (A/B), Drottningg. 81, Stockholm.
Fallenius & Lefflers (A/B), V. Hamngatan 5, Gothenburg, and all branches in Sweden.
Fraenckel, Moritz, & Company, Gothenburg.
Fredriksson, G., [of P. L. Engstam (A/B)], Drottningg. 81, Stockholm.
Fridafors Fabriks (A/B), Fridafors.
Gleitsman, E. T., Trälleborg.
Goldstück, Hainze & Company, Drottningg. 5, Gothenburg.
Grafford, J., Katarinavägen 11, Stockholm.
Gredt, Paul, Stockholm and Malmö.
Hammar, John, & Company, Wahrendorffsg. 6, (formerly of Vasagatan 6), Stockholm.
Hamren, J. S., [of P. L. Engstam (A/B)], Drottningg. 81, Stockholm.
Hansen's, M., Fabriker (A/B), Arsenalsgat, 3, Stockholm.
Hanson, Wilhelm, & Company, Vasagatan 6, Stockholm.
Hansson, Elof, Packhuspl. 2, Gothenburg; and Stockholm.
Harbeck, Doctor Ernst, Partille, Gothenburg.
Harmsen, Wilhelm, (A/B), Vasag 15-17, Stockholm.
Hartig, Hugo, Wahrendorffsg. 4, Stockholm; and Gothenburg.
Henriksson, Axel, Brunkebergstorg 15, Stockholm.
Herrström, Sigfrid, Kungsgatan 30, Malmö.
Humbert, Hermann, Artillerigatan 6, Stockholm.
Jaeppelt & Son, Malmö.
Jäger, Wilhelm, Lulea.
Johnson, Eric R., Kommendörsg. 17, Stockholm.
Jonsson & Krafft, V., Hamngt. 14, Gothenburg.
Klippans Chromläder Fabriks (A/B), Klippan near Malmö.
Kronans Droghandel, Gothenburg.
Kürzel, Fr., Frederiksborg, Malmö.
Lagerlöf's, Sam., Maskinbyra, Centralpalatset, Stockholm.
Larsson, Adolf, Orebro.
Lassen, Carl, Slüssplan 63, Stockholm; Kungsg. 4, Gothenburg.
Levin, Sigismund, Landskrona.
Linden & Lindström, Gothenburg.
Lublin & Company (A/B), St. Vattug. 9, Stockholm.
Malmö Yllefabriks (A/B), St. Nyg. 50, Malmö.
Melin, Peder, and Company, N. Hamng. 6, Gothenburg; and Malmö.
Meyerson, Joseph, Norrlandsgatan 16, Stockholm.
Pettersson, Miss L., Brunkebergstorg 15, Stockholm.
Rapp, David (A/B), Skeppsbron 18; Kammakareg 12, Stockholm.
Reinheimer, Phillip, Stockholm.

Ritter, A., Sodra Promenaden 57, Malmö.
Roberg, Tycho, Skeppsbron 1, Gothenburg.
Rondorf, Conrad, Norrtullsg. 55, Stockholm.
Rudeberg, A., Drottningatan 11, Stockholm.
Sahlberg, Th., & Company, Kaptensgatan 15, Stockholm.
Schaub & Company (A/B), Lindvägen, Stockholm.
Schipmann, Heinrich (A/B), Bredgr. 2, Stockholm.
Schmitz, August, Stora Nyg. 50, and Malmborgsg. 7, Malmö.
Schuchardt & Schütte's Filial, Vasagatan 24, Stockholm.
Specialjärn (A/B), Kungsholmsgatan 14 (formerly of Kungsgatan 56), Stockholm; and Gothenburg.
Steinmetz & Knetsch (A/B), Jakobsbergsgatan 26, Stockholm, and Sodergatan 26, Malmö.
Stockholms Skofabrik (A/B). Hornsgatan 160, and Brännkyrkagatan 167, Stockholm.
Stockholms Yllefabrik, Reymersholm, Stockholm.
Svenska Hud and Skinnaffären (James Meyer), Pildamsvägen 3B; Rosenlundsgatan 19, Malmö.
Svenska Limämmesfabriken Komanditbolag, Franz Meyer & Company, Landskrona.
Svensson, C V, & Company (A/B), Exercisgatan 16, Malmö.
Svensson, Henry W., Helsingborg.
Winkler-Rathlew, S. W., Helsingborg.

NOTE (1).—Under the trading with the Enemy Proclamations of the 25th June, and 10th November, 1915, (which were re-published as Notifications in this Department Nos. 1222-W., and 861-W., dated respectively the 24th July and 11th December, 1915), all Proclamations relating to Trading with the Enemy apply to all persons or bodies of persons of enemy nationality, resident or carrying on business in Persia, Morocco or Portuguese East Africa and consequently it is an offence to trade with any person or body of persons of enemy nationality, resident or carrying on business in Persia, Morocco or Portuguese East Africa, even though such person or body of persons is not included by name in the above Schedule, and the omission of the name of any such person or body of persons from such Schedule is not an authority or license to trade with such person or body of persons.

NOTE (2).—Where a firm named in the Schedule has more than one branch in the same country, all branches in the country are held to be included in the Schedule even in cases where no address, or several addresses one only is specifically mentioned.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

he 18th November 1916.

No. 23-W.-II-C.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, and in supersession of this Department Notification No. 10307-W.-II, dated the 23rd October 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Defence of India (Wool) Rules, 1916, published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 5134-W.-II, dated the 28th June 1916, namely:—

At the commencement of rule 3 *before* the word "No" the words "Save as otherwise provided in this rule", shall be inserted and *after* the words "the Dhond-Baramati Railway" the following words shall be inserted, namely:—"the Bengal and North-Western, Oudh and Rohilkhand, Rohilkhund and Kumaun, Delhi-Umballa-Kalka, Kalka-Simla and North-Western Railways (the prohibition in the case of these six railways extends to Thibet wool only)."

CUSTOMS.

The 18th November 1916.

No. 22-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or land into British India, of any goods in which or in the production, export or insurance of which, the Chief Customs Officer at the place of import has reason to believe that any person, firm or body of persons residing, established or carrying on business in enemy territory, or any person, firm or body of persons to whom the export or from whom the import of goods has or may hereafter be specifically prohibited, is or has been as producer, exporter, insurer or otherwise interested

Provided that nothing in this notification shall apply to goods in respect of which a certificate of interest or a certificate of origin and interest is required by the terms respectively of Notifications Nos. 9954-W.-II. or 9961-W.-II., dated the 14th October 1916.

(TELEGRAPHS.)

The 18th November 1916.

No. 11169.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that, with effect from the 1st December 1916, the following amendments shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6975-137 (Telegraphs), dated the 16th September 1909, as subsequently amended, namely :—

"In rule 44, for the words 'six annas' the words 'eight annas' shall be substituted."

"In the third column of the statement appended to rule 59, against 'Ordinary', 'annas 8' shall be substituted for 'annas 6'."

"In rule 93 for the words 'not less than six annas' the following shall be substituted 'not less than eight annas'."

"In rule 107 for the words 'six annas' the words 'eight annas' shall be substituted."

"In rule 121(3) for the words 'with a minimum of six pence or six annas' the words with a minimum of nine pence or nine annas' shall be substituted."

In the same rule the following shall be substituted for the illustrative table of charges :—

——	If sent as Express.	Ordinary.
	Rs. a.	Rs. a.
(1) *On Indian Section.*—18 words (including the instruction "*c/o Telegraphs, Bombay*").	1 12	0 11
(2) Postage (including registration) from Bombay to London	0 1	0 1
(3) *On British Section.*—15 words (excluding the instruction "*c/o Telegraphs, Bombay*").	0 10½	0 10½
TOTAL .	2 7½	1 6½

(POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.)

The 18th November 1916.

No. 11204.—The following officiating appointment and reversion in the grades of Postmasters General are made with effect from the dates noted against each, and until further orders :—

Mr. H. L. Duncan, Deputy Postmaster General, 1st grade, is appointed to act as Postmaster General, 4th grade, Bengal and Assam, with effect from the 21st October 1916. He acted as Postmaster General, 3rd grade, Bengal and Assam, up to and including the 20th October 1916.

Mr. W. A. Roussac reverts to Deputy Postmaster General, 1st grade, and Inspector General, Railway Mail Service and Sorting, Southern Circle, with effect from the 21st October 1916.

No. 11220.—The following transfer and officiating appointments in the grades of Postmasters General are made with effect from the date noted against each, and until further orders :—

Mr. D. J. Murtie, I.S.O., Postmaster General, 4th grade, officiating in the 3rd grade, to be Deputy Director General of the Post Office, from 22nd October 1916.

Mr. H. A. Sams, I.C.S., Postmaster General, 2nd grade, to act in the 1st grade, from 22nd October 1916.

Mr. H. S. H. Pilkington, M.V.O., Postmaster General, 3rd grade, to act in the 2nd grade, from the 22nd October 1916.

A. H. LEY,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 13th November 1916.

No. 2038-G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of Mr. K. Aibara to be in charge of the Consulate for Japan at Bombay, during the absence of Mr. Y. Yatabe.

No. 2586-Est. A.—Mr. C. P. Skrine, Indian Civil Service, is posted temporarily as Assistant to His Britannic Majesty's Vice-Consul, Kerman, with effect from the 10th November 1916.

The 15th November 1916.

No. 2053-G.—Under section 3 of the Persian Coast and Islands Order in Council, 1907, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Augustus Keppel Gough, His Britannic Majesty's Consul at Shiraz, to be a Judicial Assistant to His Majesty's Consul-General for Fars and the Coasts and Islands of the Persian Gulf.

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Simla, the 14th November 1916.

No. 2494-I. B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 527, sub-section (1), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the transfer of the criminal case noted in the margin from the Court of the Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan, to the Court of Sessions of the Gorakhpur District in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Crown *versus* Yar Khan, son of Faraz Khan, Qureshi, a native of Gomal village, Dera Ismail Khan District Charge, Section 302, Indian Penal Code.

Delhi, the 16th November 1916.

No. 137-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3441-I. B., dated the 17th August 1906, appointing certain persons to exercise the powers of a Political Agent for the purposes of the Indian Extradition Act, 1903 (XV of 1903), for States in the Central Provinces and Bihar and Orissa, namely :—

In the Schedule, for entries 2 and 3, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"2. The Political Agent, Orissa Feudatory States.	Athgarh, Athmalik, Bamra, Baramba, Baud, Bonai, Daspalla, Dhenkanal, Gangpur, Hindol, Kalahandi (Karond), Keonjhar, Khandpara, Kharsawan, Mayurbhanj, Narsingpur, Nayagarh, Nilgiri, Pal Lahara, Patna, Ranpur, Raira Khol, Seraikela, Sonpur, Talcher, Tigiria."

No. 138-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and in supersession of the notifications of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, Nos. 4366-I. B. and 5119-I B., dated respectively the 20th October 1905 and 28th December 1906, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the persons for the time being holding the offices specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto annexed, being European British subjects, to be Justices of the Peace within the territories of the States mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule opposite their respective names.

Schedule.

Office.	States.
1. The Political Agent, Orissa Feudatory States.	Athgarh, Athmalik, Bamra, Baramba, Baud, Bonai, Daspalla, Dhenkanal, Gangpur, Hindol, Kalahandi (Karond), Keonjhar, Khandpara, Kharsawan, Mayurbhanj, Narsingpur, Nayagarh, Nilgiri, Pal Lahara, Patna, Ranpur, Raira Khol, Seraikela, Sonpur, Talcher, Tigiria.
2. The Commissioner of Chota Nagpur	Kharsawan, Seraikela.

No 139-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act, 1886 (VI of 1886), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department. No. 4570-I. B., dated the 20th October 1905, as subsequently amended, appointing the Political Agent, Orissa Feudatory States, to be Registrar of Births and Deaths in respect of certain classes of persons for the local areas mentioned, namely :—

In the Schedule, for the entries in the second column, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Athgarh, Athmalik, Bamra, Baramba, Baud, Bonai, Daspalla, Dhenkanal, Gangpur, Hindol, Kalahandi (Karond), Keonjhar, Khandpara, Kharsawan, Mayurbhanj, Narsingpur, Nayagarh, Nilgiri, Pal Lahara, Patna, Ranpur, Raira Khol, Seraikela, Sonpur, Talcher, Tigiria.

No. 140-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and in continuation of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 205-I.B., dated the 28th January 1910, as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the Political Agent, Orissa Feudatory States, shall, subject to the general and special orders of the Commissioner of Chota Nagpur, exercise, in respect of criminal cases occurring within the limits of the States of Seraikela and Kharsawan in Chota Nagpur, the powers of a District Magistrate and those of a Sessions Judge, as defined in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898).

In the exercise of such powers the Political Agent will follow the procedure laid down in the notification cited above.

No. 145-D.—Major L. B. H. Haworth of the Political Department, on return from leave, is posted as Political Agent and His Britannic Majesty's Consul at Maskat, with effect from the 8th November 1916.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 13th November 1916.

No. 27.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 36(1) of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910 (IX of 1910), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Chief Inspector of Mines in India as an Electric Inspector and to direct that he shall exercise the powers and perform the functions of an Electric Inspector under the said Act in all mines, as defined in the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), situated within the Presidency of Bengal and the province of Bihar and Orissa.

F. C. ROSE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 17th November 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1379.—The undermentioned appointments are made :—

Brigade Commander.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) C. H. Davies, D.S O., 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force). Dated 6th July 1916.

Brigadier-General, General Staff.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) H. R. Hopwood, 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry. Dated 12th October 1916.

Deputy Inspector General of Communications.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) O. B. S. F. Shore, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army. Dated 12th October 1916.

GENERAL STAFF OFFICERS.

1st Grade.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Norman, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse) Dated 14th September 1916.

2nd Grade.

Captain S. B. Orton, 1st Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles. Dated 24th July 1916.

Captain J. I. Eadie, 97th Deccan Infantry. Dated 1st August 1916.

Major M. G. D. Rowlandson, 38th Dogras. Dated 4th August 1916.

Major R. Gardiner, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force). Dated 17th September 1916.

Major D I. Shuttleworth, 1st Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles. Dated 19th October 1916.

Assistant Adjutant General.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Norman, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse). Dated 25th September 1916.

Deputy Assistant Adjutant Generals.

Captain J. A. Yates, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry. Dated 4th August 1916.

Major B. C. Kauntze, 86th Carnatic Infantry. Dated 8th August 1916.

Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster Generals.

Captain F. E. W. Venning, 31st Punjabis. Dated 24th August 1916.

Major B. P. Ellwood, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers. Dated 16th September 1916.

Deputy Assistant Quartermaster Generals.

Captain E S. Vicary, 16th Cavalry. Dated 8th September 1916.

2nd Lieutenant (temporary Captain) S. F. Pope, 2-5th Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment. Dated 22nd September 1916.

Brigade Major.

Captain G. C. B. Buckland, D.S.O., 2nd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 12th May 1916.

Staff Captains.

Captain J. D. Crawford, 89th Punjabis. Dated 10th May 1916.

Captain R. D. Inskip, M.C., 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force). Dated 11th May 1916.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) C A. Gouldsbury, 2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force). Dated 24th August 1916.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) C. Patterson, 1-5th Battalion, The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment). Dated 1st September 1916.

Captain R. D. Brewis, 1-5th Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment). Dated 22nd September 1916.

2nd Lieutenant (temporary Captain) H. Tresawna, 2-4th Battalion, The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. Dated 27th October 1916.

Captain J. H. G. Palmer, 21st Punjabis. Dated 29th October 1916.

SPECIAL SERVICE OFFICERS.

Graded for purposes of pay as General Staff Officers, 2nd Grade.

Major C. P. Gunter, Royal Engineers. Dated 1st June 1916.

Major W. McG. Cairncross, 11th (Reserve) Battalion, The Black Watch. Dated 11th August 1916.

Graded for purposes of pay as General Staff Officers, 3rd Grade.

2nd Lieutenant J. Marshall, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. Dated 1st April 1916.

2nd Lieutenant E. C. F. Moore, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. Dated 1st April 1916.

PERSONAL APPOINTMENTS.

Aide-de-Camp.

Captain Aga Cassim Shah, Native Indian Land Forces. Dated 11th June 1916.

Assistant Military Secretaries.

Captain C. F Cahusac, 36th Jacob's Horse. Dated 23rd August 1916.

Captain K. O Goldie, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse). Dated 14th October 1916.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Assistant Censors (graded for purposes of pay as General Staff Officers, 3rd Grade).

2nd Lieutenant W. H. Watts, 7th Battalion, The Gloucestershire Regiment. Dated 17th July 1916.

2nd Lieutenant J. H. Morrish, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment). Dated 14th August 1916.

Camp Commandant.

Captain Sir W. Peek, Bart., Royal 1st Devon Yeomanry. Dated 1st July 1916.

Staff Officer, 2nd Class.

2nd Lieutenant A. L. Hill, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. Dated 25th August 1916.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES AND DEPARTMENTS.

Director of Supplies and Transport.

Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) R. E. Vaughan, Supply and Transport Corps. Dated 24th July 1916.

Deputy Director of Remounts.

Captain (temporary Major) J. F. H. Anderson, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers. Dated 12th January 1916.

ATTACHED TO HEADQUARTER UNITS.

Colonel, Royal Artillery.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) G. F. White, British Service. Dated 3rd March 1916

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1380.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Third Supplement dated the 12th October 1916, to the London Gazette of the 10th October 1916, pages 9841, 9842 and 9843.

War Office,
12th October, 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made :—

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Staff Captains.

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Captain H. B. Le D. Tree, 112th Infantry, Indian Army, *vice* Captain H. M. Burrows, 28th Punjabis, Indian Army. 7th September 1916.

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The undermentioned temporary appointments are made :—

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D. A. A. G.—Captain R. E. G. Berkeley, 86th Carnatic Infantry, Indian Army, *vice* Major W. E. S. Tyler, Reserve of Officers. 26th September 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) G. W. Robinson, C.B., Indian Army, relinquishes his temporary rank on ceasing to be employed as a Brigade Commander. 2nd September 1916.

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London Gazette dated the 13th October 1916, pages 9863, 9864 and 9869.

War Office,
13th October, 1916.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

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Adjutant.—Captain J. C. R. Gannon, 23rd Cavalry, Indian Army, *vice* Quarter-Master and Honorary Lieutenant (temporary Captain) S J. Payne, Royal Flying Corps. 1st September 1916.

INFANTRY.

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West Riding Regiment.—The promotion to the rank of temporary Lieutenant-Colonel of Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) D M. Watt, D.S.O., Indian Army, whilst commanding a T. F. unit, is antedated to 28th May 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels, Indian Army, to be temporary Brigadier-Generals :—

L B. Walton, 26th Punjabis, whilst employed as a Brigade Commander. 1st July 1916.

C. O. O. Tanner, 127th Baluch Light Infantry, whilst commanding the Troops in Sistan. 11th July 1916.

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Secon i Supplement dated the 16th Octo[illegible] October 1916, pages 9933, 9939 and 9940.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made :—

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(G[illegible]ded for purposes of pay as a Staff Captain)—

Captain P. J. Goût, 94th Infantry, Indian Army. 25th September 1916.

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Service Battalions.

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East Lancashire Regiment.

Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel A. C Gabbett (Major, retired, Indian Army) relinquishes his temporary rank on vacating the command of a Battalion on account of ill-health. 17th October 1916.

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London Gazette dated the 17th October 1916, page 9955.

War Office,
17th October, 1916.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

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Adjutants.

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The appointment of Lieutenant (temporary Captain) B. H. Bonham-Carter, 40th [illegible], Indian Army, notified in the Gazette of 28th September 1916, is cancelled.

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1381.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's [illegible]

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

8th November 1916.

Robert Edward Archibald Hamilton, Supernumerary List.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

15th November 1916.

Eric Raymond Sanders Dods, attached 102nd King Edward's Own [illegible]

Arthur Eustace Stirling Miller-Stirling, Indian Army.

Douglas David Gracey, 1st King George's Own Gurkha [illegible]

Colin Sutherland Lynden-Bell, attached 99th [illegible]

[illegible] Eric Greenhouse, 83rd Wallajahbad [illegible]

[illegible] Logan, M. C., [illegible]

(Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).

Gerald Antony Gordon Young, 6th Jat Light Infantry.

Harold Rawdon Briggs, attached 31st Punjabis.

Reginald Humphrey Loder Minchin, attached 45th Rattray's Sikhs.

Henry James Hambleton, attached 88th Carnatic Infantry.

Henry Gerrard Reed, attached 411th Mahrattas.

Donald Franklyn Hubert, attached 83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Ronald Leslie Piper, 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).

James Clyde Johnson, attached 97th Deccan Infantry.

Humphrey Norman Loch, attached 6th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

John Lionel Miller-Hallett, attached 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Roger Eustace Le Fleming, attached 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

Robert Babington Everard Upton, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Douglas Albert Christie, 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.

Francis Robert Roy Bucher, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.

James Donald Fraser, attached 32nd Lancers.

Clarence Moores Childe Barker, 126th Baluchistan Infantry.

John Waugh Davidson, 12th Cavalry.

George Francis Bunbury, 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.

Mark Symonds Teversham, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.

Charles Herbert Harberton Eales, M. C., attached Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).

Harold Douglas Kyrle Money, attached Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).

Leslie Faithfull Mercer, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Southern Army.

No. 1382.—Commissary and Honorary Captain Alexander Sidney Dawson-Moray is granted the honorary rank of Major, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 8th November 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry.

No. 1383.—Jemadar James Jati Ram, appointed on probation in Army Department Notification No. 1119, dated the 12th November 1915, is confirmed in that rank, with effect from the 3rd September 1915.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

57th Silladar Camel Corps.

No. 1384.—The following promotion is made:—

Kot-Dafadar Ghulam Sarwar Khan to be Ressaidar, to complete the establishment, with effect from the 30th September 1915.

REWARDS.

INDIAN ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 1385.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admissions to the Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit:—

For admission to the 2nd Class of the Order.

Subadar Bir Singh, 21st Field Company, 3rd Sappers and Miners, for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the 17th April 1916. During the enemy's counter-attack our

bombers were driven back but he did not cease in the work of making a block until 4 men of his party had been killed and wounded by rifle fire and bombs at 10 yards' range. He then assisted in checking the enemy's advance at the block and immediately after the enemy's retirement completed the work with the survivors of his party.

No. 42 Sapper Bhag Singh, 32nd (Divisional Signal) Company, for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during the attack on the 17th April 1916. While performing the duty of linesman he, together with one other man, went out under heavy rifle fire to repair a cable; on approaching to within 200 yards of a trench which they thought was still occupied by our troops, they came under very heavy fire from two machine guns and a number of rifles from the trench.

Bhag Singh's companion was killed instantly, while he had three bullets through his clothes. He flung himself down and continued to crawl for a distance of 200 yards and delivered a priority message and brought back the receipt to Brigade Headquarters, again under machine gun and rifle fire when exposure meant instant death.

This man has been with his company since the beginning of the war and was present at all the battles in France, including Ypres, Neuve Chapelle, Festubert, etc., and has invariably behaved with the utmost gallantry.

Subadar (now Subadar-Major) Loknath Singh, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry and coolness during operations on the 8th March 1916.

He commanded the remnants of the 2nd Rajputs when there were no British officers left. He was of great assistance in controlling the men and set them a fine example of coolness and bravery. He refused to retire until a general retirement was ordered.

Subadar Multan Singh, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the 17th-18th April 1916, when in command of an outpost line 800 yards in advance of our line during the Turkish counter-attack after both his British officers had been wounded. After the outposts on both his flanks had been driven back he maintained his position for half an hour. When the enemy were 50 yards from him he withdrew his picquets in good order and delayed the hostile advance. The casualties in his position were 3 British officers and 26 Indian ranks. He brought in all the wounded.

No. 1782 Sepoy Multan Singh, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the 8th March 1916, when, as a stretcher bearer, he searched for and brought in wounded who were lying within 80 yards of the enemy's trenches. He was under fire most of the time. He also assisted the Medical Officer to dress wounds under fire.

No. 3266 Sepoy Mahmud Ali Khan, 5th Light Infantry (attached 9th Bhopal Infantry), for conspicuous gallantry and coolness on the 12th April 1916, when the water in the marsh was blown into the forward trenches, filling them rapidly, and forcing the garrison to evacuate them. The enemy took advantage of this opportunity to pour in a heavy shell and machine gun fire. On his own initiative, in full view of the enemy, regardless of personal risk, he erected a barricade in the trench with the assistance of a comrade, to enable two badly wounded men to be got away. There is no doubt that but for this act these wounded men would have been drowned.

No. 2472 Sepoy Sadi, 6th Jat Light Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry and coolness on the 22nd April 1916, when he assisted in carrying a machine gun and ammunition boxes across 60 yards of open ground to a sap-head, the enemy's trenches being 400 yards away. Three of the party of seven were wounded. Sepoy Sadi had also to expose himself when making the gun emplacement and remedying jams which occurred. He was wounded while serving his gun.

No. 2495 Sepoy Kalu Ram, 6th Jat Light Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry and coolness on the 22nd April 1916, when he assisted in carrying a machine gun and ammunition boxes across 60 yards of open ground to a sap-head, the enemy's trenches being 400 yards away. Three of the party of seven were wounded in doing this. Sepoy Kalu Ram went back three times to the front line for ammunition boxes.

No. 3943 Sepoy Mugli Khan, 9th Bhopal Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry and coolness on the 12th April 1916, when the water in the marsh was blown into the forward trenches filling them rapidly, and forcing the garrison to evacuate them. The enemy took advantage of this opportunity to pour in a heavy shell and machine gun fire. On his own initiative, in full view of the enemy, regardless of personal risk, he erected a barricade in the trench with the assistance of a comrade, to enable two badly wounded men to be got away. There is no doubt that but for this act these wounded men would have been drowned.

Subadar Bhagat Singh, 27th Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry and good leadership during operations on the 17th April 1916. He was well to the front during the attack after both his Double Company Commander and Double Company Officer were wounded. Every Indian officer and Havildar in his half company was either killed or wounded.

Subadar Kahn Singh, 27th Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry in the attack on the 17th April 1916. He was the first Indian officer in the enemy's trenches before our bombardment lifted. He was conspicuous for gallantry and calmness during the retirement and in his endeavour to reform parties of various units until wounded and incapacitated.

No. 465 Naik Adam Khan, 28th Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry during the operations on the 6th April 1916, when he went out with a party under heavy fire to try and bring in their commanding officer who had been wounded and was lying in an exposed position. The party were unable to bring away the wounded officer at first owing to heavy fire being opened on them when they lifted the stretcher. Later, they again went out under heavy fire and succeeded in bringing him in. They then went out a third time under heavy fire and brought in a wounded Indian officer who was lying in front of the firing line.

No. 4573 Lance-Naik Jan Baz, 28th Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry on the 6th April 1916, when he went out with a party under heavy fire to try and bring in their commanding officer who had been wounded and was lying in an exposed position.

The party were unable to bring away the wounded officer at first owing to heavy fire being opened on them when they lifted the stretcher. Later they again went out under heavy fire and succeeded in bringing him in. They then went out a third time under heavy fire and brought in a wounded Indian officer who was lying in front of the firing line.

Subadar Sundar Singh, 36th Sikhs, for conspicuous gallantry, during the operations on the 12th April 1916. He was severely wounded while leading two sections forward under heavy rifle and machine gun fire and although in great pain from a shattered thigh he continued to encourage and hold together his remaining men, who had been severely tried by heavy losses and were still subjected to a heavy fire.

Jemadar Massa Singh, 36th Sikhs, for conspicuous gallantry during the operations on the 12th April 1916. He commanded his company with coolness and skill during the action. His Double Company Commander was killed while going forward under a heavy fire to the assistance of a wounded British officer; seeing this, Jemadar Massa Singh at once went out and was severely wounded while bandaging him.

No. 3013, Naik Pritam Singh, } 36th Sikhs, for conspicuous gallantry during the
No. 3648, Lance-Naik Prem Singh, } operations on the 12th April 1916. These two non-commissioned officers of the Machine Gun Section kept their gun in action after all the rest of the detachment were either killed or wounded. They finally succeeded in bringing away their gun when the retirement was ordered.

No. 2948, Naik Hari Singh, 36th Sikhs, attached 47th Sikhs, for conspicuous gallantry at the action on the 15th April 1916, when he gallantly seconded his leader and assisted in the bombing and very materially helped in making it a success.

Jemadar Makhmad Din, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the 6th April 1916, when leading his platoon to within 600 yards of the enemy's trenches under very heavy rifle, machine gun and shell fire. At this point a British officer was killed and the Commanding Officer dangerously wounded. Jemadar Makhmad Din and the remaining nine men of his platoon maintained their position during the day and at night-fall buried the dead officer and then withdrew, bringing the wounded Commanding Officer with them.

No. 840, Havildar Mangal Singh, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry and initiative on the 6th April 1916; when left in command of a platoon he led it forward under very heavy rifle, machine gun and shell fire and, although he had only one man left, continued to do so until level with the troops on his right and left. He maintained his position within 600 yards of the enemy throughout the day, and only withdrew at night-fall when ordered to do so.

No. 1193 Havildar Suhel Singh, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the 6th January 1916, when he showed an example of coolness and bravery in the advance on the Turkish trenches under very heavy fire. The zeal with which his section followed his example was in a great measure responsible for the successful advance of his double company. He was also observed on the following day as being far in advance of the double company during the assault with fixed bayonets on the enemy's position. He was also brought to notice for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during the action of the 8th March 1916 in bringing up ammunition to the regiments in the firing line.

Subadar Buta Singh, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry on the 7th April 1916, when he applied first aid to a wounded British officer who was lying in an exposed position under heavy shell, machine gun and rifle fire. He assisted in removing him to a less exposed position and in digging him in there and attended to him until it was possible to remove him after dark, further advance having been stopped by order.

Jemadar (now Subadar) Khan Gul, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry on the 8th March 1916. When the Subadar in command of his company was wounded, this newly promoted Jemadar took command and continued to handle it with skill and gallantry. He was specially helpful to his Double Company Commander during the difficult retirement when the company lost its way in the dark.

No. 194, Sepoy Shingar Singh, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry on the 8th March 1916, when he went three times to the rear and brought up ammunition to the firing line and distributed it with great coolness under heavy fire.

Subadar-Major Harnam Singh, *Bahadur*, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry during operations on the 8th March 1916, when he commanded and led his double company with great ability and courage after the Double Company Commander had been wounded.

Subadar Khan Gul, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry and most valuable and loyal assistance on the 8th March 1916, during the attack on the enemy's trench and during the retirement. After his Captain had been hit the third time, Subadar Khan Gul collected the remainder of the men and took up a position from which he covered the retirement of the left of the Brigade. This Indian officer has always set a fine example to his men, notably at Givenchy and Neuve Chapelle.

Subadar Gauri Charan, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the 17th-18th April 1916, during the Turkish counter-attack. As soon as the line was heavily attacked he organised ammunition and grenade carrying parties and led them to the line. During the night he made 7 or 8 journeys under very heavy fire. By his prompt and gallant action his regiment was not only able to maintain its own ammunition supply but also to assist other units. Subadar Gauri Charan was the only officer present when the massed 1st Line Transport of the Brigade was heavily shelled. He conducted the transport to another place, kept it together and undoubtedly saved a stampede of mules and consequent loss.

No. 2551, Havildar (now Jemadar) Sunit Chand, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry and coolness on the 8th March 1916, when in command of the regimental machine guns. The machine gun teams suffered very heavily, half the personnel being either killed or wounded and one gun was placed out of action by a direct hit by a shell.

No. 4040, Havildar Kalandar Khan, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the 17th-18th April 1916, during the Turkish counter-attack. Throughout the night he was engaged in carrying ammunition up to the front line and continually crossed and recrossed the fire swept zone. He was particularly successful in getting his tired men to work with energy and speed, he himself displaying exceptional energy and daring.

Subadar Zaman Shah, 89th Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry, marked ability and great coolness, on the 12th-13th April 1916. While commanding a platoon on the extreme left of the line and separated from the next unit by 400 yards he maintained his position at the most critical time under very heavy rifle fire, and in spite of heavy casualties, until fresh troops could be brought up to fill the gap. The enemy made several attempts to dislodge him but were unable to do so owing to his excellent fire control. He inspired his men with confidence and refused to yield any of the ground gained in the advance.

No. 1749, Havildar Ram Persan Tiwari, 89th Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry and marked ability on the 12th-13th April 1916. On the British officer in charge of the machine gun section being wounded early in the advance, Havildar Ram Persan Tiwari took command and ably controlled the section. He was solely responsible for the eventual excellent tactical dispositions of the 4 guns in the new line, which materially enabled our line to maintain its position in spite of counter-attacks. Under very heavy rifle fire and at great personal risk he went from gun to gun encouraging his men and making most effective use of his fire.

Subadar-Major Farman Ali, *Bahadur*, 92nd Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry and meritorious service in action on the 6th January 1916, when in command of his half company in action. He was twice wounded in this action but carried on until disabled. Also for gallantry, initiative and coolness in the advance on the 7th April 1916 under heavy shell, rifle and machine gun fire. He was in charge of the 1st Line Supports of No. 4 Company when No. 2 Double Company Commander was dangerously wounded in the firing line. He at once pushed up his supports and took over command of No. 2 Company. He continued to advance until ordered to halt and dig in. On the line he then formed the rest of the Brigade was aligned. His example and initiative were most valuable and conspicuous throughout the day.

Subadar-Major Muhammad Bakhsh, *Bahadur*, 93rd Burma Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry on the 17th-18th April 1916, during the Turkish counter-attack, in controlling and reforming parties of all units under a heavy fire. He once wrestled with a Turk and killed him without using any firearms.

Jemadar (now Subadar) Indar Singh, 93rd Burma Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry on the 17th-18th April 1916, during the Turkish counter-attack, in controlling and re-forming parties of all units under a heavy enemy fire during a critical time. He several times formed firing lines on his own initiative which drove the enemy off.

Subadar (acting Subadar-Major) Kalu Gurung, 1st Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles, for conspicuous gallantry during operations on the 8th March 1916. Throughout the day this officer displayed great coolness and handled his platoon with marked ability, taking command of the Double Company when the Double Company Commander became a casualty.

Subadar Dirjai Thapa, 1st Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles, for conspicuous gallantry and ability on the 17th April 1916 when in command of his platoon under very heavy fire. He led his platoon in the attack with most conspicuous dash and coolness. During the counter-attack at night when surrounded by the enemy he charged with his platoon, drove off the enemy and extricated his platoon with great skill.

No. 2820 Rifleman Randhoj Karki, 1st Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles, for conspicuous gallantry and absolute disregard of danger during the attack on the 17th April 1916. This man

belonged to a party that captured two Turkish field guns. After the guns had been captured Rifleman Randhoj Karki ran across the open about 400 yards to where the enemy's gun horses were dug in, carrying only a kukri and a bomb. He threw the bomb and rushed into the trench and reappeared with 8 prisoners. Another man who was following joined him and together they brought the prisoners in. This was done under fire, both men being wounded.

2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Riyazuddin, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, attached 27th Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry and coolness during operations on the 17th-18th April 1916. When some of our advanced troops in their first retirement passed through the aid-post positions, forcing him to withdraw, he withstood the surrounding influences and in spite of the increasing closeness of the enemy's fire established by far the most advanced post in that part of the field, and worked it throughout the night under most trying conditions. At dawn he took the first opportunity of rejoining his regiment.

No. 1219 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Kundan Lal, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, attached 56th Punjabi Rifles, for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the 8th March 1916, in attending to and collecting the wounded. He has shown gallantry and devotion to duty during previous battles in Mesopotamia.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Lal Singh, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, attached 93rd Burma Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during the action of the 17th-18th April 1916; when forced by the approach of the enemy, he personally supervised the evacuation of the Regimental Aid-post during the absence of the Medical Officer. On the way he found an abandoned machine gun and carried it himself about 400 yards to a safe position in rear while under heavy fire.

During the action of the 8th March 1916, he also displayed great devotion to duty in tending the wounded.

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 1386.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned for distinguished service in the field :—

33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.

3382 Lance-Dafadar Darbara Singh.

Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).

4830 Havildar Arsala Khan, attached 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

107 Havildar Ram Bharose Misr, 3rd Field Company.

3rd Sappers and Miners.

3120 Naik Sahib Singh, 21st Field Company.

4171 Lance-Naik Genda Singh, 21st Field Company.

4074 Sapper Jhanda Singh, 21st Field Company.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.

1889 Havildar Bakhtawar Singh.

1875 Sepoy Munshi Singh.

6th Jat Light Infantry.

4301 Lance-Naik Mangli.

23rd Sikh Pioneers.

4459 Havildar Phumman Singh, attached 34th Sikh Pioneers.

24th Punjabis.

640 Sepoy Thakar Singh, attached 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

25th Punjabis.

2811 Havildar Mir Afzul, attached 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).

27th Punjabis.

4277 Havildar (now Subadar) Fateh Khan.

4619 Lance-Naik Natha Singh.

261 Sepoy Mohommed Khan.

28th Punjabis.

913 Sepoy Isa Khan.
717 Sepoy Amir Khan.
929 Sepoy Mohommed Amin.

31st Punjabis.

4489 Lance-Naik Pakhar Singh, attached 47th Sikhs.

35th Sikhs.

3788 Sepoy Budh Singh, attached 47th Sikhs.

36th Sikhs.

Subadar Thakur Singh, attached 47th Sikhs.
2123 Havildar Sundar Singh.
2210 Havildar Dall Singh.
2320 Havildar Natha Singh.
2324 Lance-Naik Indar Singh.
2042 Sepoy Raulla Singh.
3672 Sepoy Bishen Singh.

47th Sikhs.

Subadar Mit Singh.
790 Havildar Mal Singh.
1835 Lance-Naik Amar Singh.
1672 Lance-Naik Kehr Singh.
1742 Sepoy Nikka Singh.

51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).

436 Lance-Naik Karram Singh.

52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

2099 Colour-Havildar Kapur Chand, attached 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).
1955 Havildar Sohnu, attached 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).
3026 Lance-Naik Ranja, attached 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).

53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

2534 Bugle Major Fateh Mahommed.

56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

449 Colour-Havildar Wazir Singh.
1303 Havildar Mangal Singh.
1794 Naik Sujawal Khan.
2414 Sepoy Bishan Singh.

59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).

4111 Havildar Nathu.
4770 Lance-Naik Phumman Singh.

72nd Punjabis.

No. 3146 Sepoy Baz Khan, attached 93rd Burma Infantry.

89th Punjabis.

1476 Havildar Bur Singh.
2278 Lance-Naik Santa Singh.
2370 Lance-Naik Amir Dad.
1647 Sepoy (Ward Orderly) Ram Dhyan Tewari.
1773 Sepoy Mit Singh.
2588 Sepoy Hazura Singh.
1991 Sepoy Kishen Singh, attached 35th (Divisional Signal) Company.

92nd Punjabis.

2638 Lance-Naik Dalip Singh.

93rd Burma Infantry.

3060 Sepoy Alam Khan.
3133 Sepoy Fateh Khan.

105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

Jemadar (now Subadar) Daulat Rao Bhosle.

107th Pioneers.

Jemadar Abdul Rahman.
Jemadar Habib Khan.
4230 Colour-Havildar (now Jemadar) Krishna Ghorpade.
2753 Havildar Basawa Singh.
4572 Lance-Naik Sobat Khan.
3757 Lance-Naik Ganiya Singh, attached 35th (Divisional Signal) Company.

112th Infantry.

3243 Sepoy Mehr Khan, attached 32nd (Divsional Signal) Company.

116th Mahrattas.

2149 Lance-Naik Rama Pokle.

121st Pioneers.

2488 Sepoy Kana Ram, attached 107th Pioneers.

124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

4435 Sepoy Narayan Singh, attached 47th Sikhs.

125th Napier's Rifles.

Jemadar (now Subadar) Munshi Singh.
No. 1922 Havildar Hakim Khan.

1st Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Subadar Harkbir Limbu.
Subadar Jit Bahadur Thapa.
1963 Havildar Kharak Sing Thapa.
2598 Lance-Naik Kharak Bahadur Gurung.

1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Jemadar Pertab Sahi.

1st Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Tikaram Khattri.
2219 Naik Ran Bahadur Sahi.
2456 Naik Puran Bahadur Karki.
2771 Rifleman Kubir Sing Thapa.
2856 Rifleman Astal Rai.

Assam Military Police.

Jemadar Gajman Rai, attached 1st Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles.

4th Mule Corps.

1006 Lance-Naik Ghulam Haidar.

INDIAN ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 1387.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotion in, and admissions to, the Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit:—

For promotion to the 1st Class of the Order.

No 3108, Naik Gurmukh Singh, 21st Field Company, 3rd Sappers and Miners, for excellent work during operations in the end of February and beginning of March in advancing our trenches against the enemy's position. On the night of 1st-2nd March 1916 he accompanied Lieutenant Tedman in tracing sap head 1 B and was shot through the clothes. His pick was broken by a bullet fired by Turks at about 20 yards range. He always seized opportunities of crawling forward with a few men and digging in to expedite the work.

For admission to the 2nd Class of the Order.

No. 4116, Sapper Mahtab Khan, 20th Company, 3rd Sappers and Miners, for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in March 1916, when engaged in sapping operations against the enemy's lines. He specially distinguished himself on the 22nd-23rd March 1916 in crawling out in the open under a heavy close range fire and in removing one of the enemy's land mines which menaced the safety of the working party and the progress of the sap.

No. 1194, Lance-Naik Lal Khan, 19th Punjabis [attached 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force)] for conspicuous gallantry on the 8th March 1916, when he fought with magnificent courage in the enemy's trenches. He was one of a party who met the hostile bombers and held them back while their own supply of grenades lasted, though attacked from both sides. With one of their officers they were the last of their company to leave the enemy's trenches. During the retirement the officer was wounded and these men refused to leave him and brought him in under very heavy fire and at great risk of capture.

No. 2103, Havildar Bir Singh, 35th Sikhs (attached 47th Sikhs), for conspicuous gallantry and skill on the 15th April 1916; when in command of a picquet of 14 rifles he organised and led an attack on a hostile picquet over 200 yards of open ground in broad daylight. The attack was made by a rush over the open to bombing distance whence bombs were thrown until the enemy surrendered. This non-commissioned officer led the charge himself and threw the first bomb. The enemy picquet consisted of 1 officer and 21 other ranks of which the officer and 17 other ranks were captured, 2 were killed and 2 escaped. The attack was made under flanking fire from the remainder of the enemy's picquet.

No. 1561, Sepoy Mahantu, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force), for marked gallantry and coolness on the morning of the 6th April 1916 in advancing under heavy shell and rifle fire to dress the wounds of his Commanding Officer. In doing so he was killed.

His widow (if any) is admitted to the pension of the Order with effect from the date of his death.

No. 1189, Naik Khan Khel, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force) for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the 8th March 1916. When the regiments in the firing line were running short of ammunition he, with several others, volunteered to take up an extra supply under heavy fire from rifles and machine guns. Nearly all the boxes reached the firing line though many men were hit.

No. 2665, Naik Ghulam Hassan, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force) [attached 59th Rifles (Frontier Force)], for conspicuous gallantry on the 8th March 1916, when he fought with magnificent courage in the enemy's trenches. He was one of a party who met the hostile bombers and held them back while their own supply of grenades lasted, though attacked from both sides. With one of their officers they were the last of their company to leave the enemy's trenches. During the retirement the officer was wounded and these men refused to leave him and brought him in under very heavy fire and at great risk of capture.

Subadar Tola Singh, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry on the 8th March 1916 during an attack. Both his British officers being wounded he took command of his Double Company. During the withdrawal from the redoubt he held his men well in hand. He placed himself under the orders of the Officer Commanding, 47th Sikhs, and rendered invaluable service in rallying the men of his regiment as they reached the line of the 47th Sikhs. He collected and led parties of men to recover wounded from the ground under an enemy redoubt under very heavy fire. Eventually he retired with the 47th Sikhs and was wounded during this movement. He has been in every action with his regiment since October 1914 and has always been conspicuous for his good work.

No. 4551, Lance-Naik Ali Faqir, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry on the 8th March 1916, when he fought with magnificent courage in the enemy's trenches. He was one of a party who met the hostile bombers and held them back while their own supply of grenades lasted, though attacked from both sides. With one of their officers they were the last of their company to leave the enemy's trenches. During the retirement the officer was wounded and these men refused to leave him and brought him in under very heavy fire and at great risk of capture.

No. 1443, Sepoy Kesar Singh, 82nd Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry, meritorious service and initiative on the 8th March 1916. This sepoy took command of his section when his non-commissioned officer was killed and led it forward under heavy fire. He was seen to shoot 10 of the enemy and although wounded he assisted to withdraw the only two remaining men of his section.

No. 1841, Naik Mahtab Ali, 89th Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry during the attack on the 11th March 1916, when he went forward five times from the trench in which he was and brought in wounded from a small fold in the ground 150 yards from the enemy under intense rifle fire. He was severely wounded when bringing in the last man. He was previously recommended for good patrol work in France.

Jemadar (now Subadar) Abdul Akbar, 92nd Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry and coolness in the attack on the 22nd April 1916, when he led his company to the furthest point reached in the attack under very heavy rifle and machine gun fire. He reported the loss of one of his British officers to the Subadar-Major, went to look for another British officer, and found him killed and all the Indian officers of the company severely wounded. He took command of this latter company and directed them with ability until ordered to retire. He did good service in the action on the 6th January 1916 where he was wounded and again in the action on 7th April 1916 where he was again wounded.

Jemadar Partab Singh, 92nd Punjabis, for conspicuous gallantry, meritorious service and coolness in the attack on 22nd April 1916; when his British officer fell mortally wounded at an early stage of the attack he promptly took command of the Double Company which was the leading line and carried it forward to the furthest point reached. He commanded his company with ability and coolness until he had only 9 men left, all British officers being either killed or wounded. He retired only under orders of the Subadar-Major. He has shown the same coolness, competence and disregard of danger when in the firing line in the actions of 6th, 7th, 13th, 20th and 21st January, on the 7th April 1916 and on various minor occasions. He is the only Indian officer of the regiment who has been present in all actions with the regiment in Mesopotamia and on the Suez Canal in 1915. He has never been off duty and has frequently commanded his double company in action.

Jemadar (now Subadar) Murari Sinde, 116th Mahrattas (attached 102nd Grenadiers), for conpicuous gallantry and coolness on the 7th January 1916 in advancing at night, with two privates, up to within 300 yards of the enemy's trenches and bringing back under a heavy rifle fire from both the enemy's trenches and our own, 6 mules laden with ammunition which had broken loose. Also for marked gallantry and ability on the 17th January 1916 when in command of a patrol specially called for by the General Officer Commanding, 35th Infantry Brigade, to reconnoitre towards the enemy's position which was about 900 yards away; he actually passed through the enemy's trenches and brought back useful information. He ca ried out this duty under heavy rifle fire from both sides.

Jemadar Munshi Singh, 125th Napier's Rifles, for conspicuous gallantry and ability on the 22nd April 1916, when he led his platoon forward in a very able manner, rallied them and led them forward again, under very heavy rifle and shell fire, until he was killed.

His widow (if any) is admitted to the pension of the Order with effect from the date of his death.

No. 1771, Havildar Sher Khan, 125th Napier's Rifles, for conspicuous gallantry and coolness on the 22nd April 1916, when he led his men forward under very heavy shell and rifle fire. Notwithstanding his being hit through both cheeks he continued to advance and was twice wounded through the arm; he still continued to lead his men forward and was shot through the left lung. He again went forward and was only stopped when the fifth bullet hit him in the leg. Even then he went back to the Aid Post unassisted.

No. 2436, Rifleman Goru Ram, 125th Napier's Rifles, for conspicuous gallantry and coolness on the 22nd April 1916, when he remained behind to help a seriously wounded comrade after his company had been ordered to retire. Having bound up his comrade's wounds he put him on his back and succeeded in bringing him in under very heavy machine gun and shell fire.

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 1388.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned for gallantry in the field :—

4th Cavalry.

No. 2100, Dafadar Shoo Ram.

7th Hariana Lancers.

Ressaidar Chet Ram.

Jemadar Thakur Singh.

No. 3590, Dafadar Tulsi Ram.

9th Hodson's Horse.

No. 2570 Sowar (Ward Orderly) Mir Hussain, attached No. 111 Indian Field Ambulance.

27th Light Cavalry.

No. 891 Dafadar Dalpat Singh.

23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (Frontier Force).

No. 103 Gunner Naik Ali Akbar.
No. 34 Gunner Mehr Singh.

1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

Jemadar Harnam Singh I, No. 3 Company.
Jemadar Alam Khan, No. 2 Bridge Train.
No. 185 Havildar Ramayan Singh, No. 3 Company.
No. 764 Naik Sawan Singh, No. 3 Company.
No. 785 Naik Bhullan Khan, No. 3 Company.
No. 939 Naik Sharaf Din, No. 3 Company.
No. 1178 Naik Kirpal Singh, No. 3 Company.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.

Subadar Hanumantu, No. 13 Company.
No. 1427 Naik David, No. 12 Company.
No. 3604 Lance-Naik Krishnasami, No. 12 Company.

3rd Sappers and Miners.

No. 3167 Havildar Chanda Singh, No. 20 Company.

31st (Divisional Signal) Company.

No. 10 Havildar Puran Singh, attached 35th (Divisional Signal) Company.

32nd (Divisional Signal) Company.

No. 57 Lance-Naik Allah Dad Khan.
No. 73 Sapper Sowar Khan.

35th (Divisional Signal) Company.

No 19 Lance-Naik Saif Ali, 41st Wireless Company.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.

Jemadar Pahlad Singh.
Jemadar Raghubir Si gh.
No. 1424 Havildar Desraj Singh.
No. 1859 Havildar Mukund Singh.
No. 1860 Sepoy Ramsarup Singh.
No. 2241 Sepoy Kanhaiya Singh.
No. 2304 Sepoy Chunni Singh.

6th Jat Light Infantry.

No. 3619 Naik (Temporary Havildar) Sukh Ram.
No. 3574 Sepoy Kanaya.
No. 3751 Sepoy D sram.
No. 4075 Sepoy Ram Singh.

10th Jats.

No. 3363 Sepoy Bhola, attached 6th Jat Light Infantry.

17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).

No. 2251 Lance-Naik Abdul Gaffoor, attached 36th (Divisional Signal) Company.

25th Punjabis.

Subadar Hakam Khan, attached 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).
No. 2361 Havildar Kajir Khan, attached 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).

26th Punjabis.

No. 4711 Sepoy (Ward Orderly) Sher Singh.

27th Punjabis.

Subadar-Major Mir Akbar.
Jemadar Basawa Singh.
No. 2244 Havildar Hira Singh.
No. 4642 Lance-Naik Makhmad Din.
No. 4851 Lance-Naik (Drummer) Santa Singh.

28th Punjabis.

No. 4186 Havildar Multan.
No. 810 Lance-Naik Gul Baz.

34th Sikh Pioneers.

No. 1560 Havildar Sham Singh.
No. 1740 Havildar Mangal Singh.

36th Sikhs.

No. 3402 Sepoy Nahar Singh.
No. 4157 Sepoy Bakshish Singh.
No. 4439 Sepoy Atma Singh.

47th Sikhs.

No. 1090 Havildar Dewa Singh.
No. 728 Naik Mastan Singh.
No. 2362 Sepoy Dial Singh.
No. 3319 Sepoy Jowala Singh.

51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Subadar Bhagwan Singh.
Subadar Sher Gul.
Jemadar (now Subadar) Labh Singh.
Jemadar (now Subadar) Akbar Khan.
No. 225 Havildar Sundar Singh.
No. 1288 Havildar Prem Singh.
No. 1446 Havildar Barkat Shah.
No. 2042 Sepoy Habib Shah.
No. 2843 Sepoy Sundar Singh.

52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

No. 2266 Havildar Indar Singh, attached 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).

53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

No. 2710 Havildar Arjan Singh.
No. 376 Sepoy Bazm Ali.

54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).

No. 28 Sepoy Jhanda Singh, attached 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

No. 2498 Sepoy (Ward Orderly) Suba Singh.
No. 2694 Sepoy Dheru Khan.

59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).

No. 3590 Havildar Mit Singh.
No. 3601 Lance-Naik Saida Khan.

62nd Punjabis.

No. 558 Havildar Mahl Singh.

66th Punjabis.

No. 1903 Sepoy Santa Singh, attached 92nd Punjabis.

69th Punjabis.

No. 1209 Sepoy Mahommed Fazal, attached 35th (Divisional Signal) Company.

82nd Punjabis.

Subadar Hira Singh.
No. 2000 Sepoy Sadda Ram.

89th Punjabis.

No. 1354 Colour-Havildar Ghulam Muhammad.
No. 1653 Havildar Gurdit Singh.
No. 1766 Havildar Jageo Dube.
No. 2495 Sepoy Harnam Singh.
No. 2578 Sepoy Sher Mu mmad.

92nd Punjabis

No. 2052 Naik Tek Singh
No. 2353 Lance-Naik Harnam Singh.
No. 1585 Lance-Naik Manga Khan.
No. 2907 Lance-Naik Channan Singh.
No. 2470 Sepoy Mast Khan.
No. 2484 Sepoy Sampooran Singh.
No. 2022 Sepoy Sohan Singh.

102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

Jemadar (now Subadar) Khan Muhammad.

106th Hazara Pioneers.

No. 829 Colour-Havildar Haidar Ali, attached 107th Pioneers.
No. 1239 Sepoy Raz Ali, attached 107th Pioneers.

107th Pioneers.

No. 3293 Naik Nizam Khan.

116th Mahrattas.

No. 826 Naik Vithal Rao Kathar, attached 117th Mahrattas.

120th Rajputana Infantry.

No. 912 Lance-Naik Ashgar Ali, attached 125th Napier's Rifles.

125th Napier's Rifles.

No. 2370 Lance-Naik Seochand Ram.
No. 2327 Lance-Naik (Stretcher Bearer) Mukanda Ram.
No. 2398 Rifleman (Stretcher Bearer) Jeysat Ram.

127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.

No. 672 Sepoy Fateh Muhammad, attached 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

128th Pioneers.

Subadar Krishna Bhosle.

Subadar Karm Singh.

1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

No. 4487 Rifleman Khamba Sing Gurung.

Supply and Transport Corps.

No. 533 Naik Mir Zaman, 2nd Mule Corps.

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

No. 1074 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Jaswant Singh.

No. 1105 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Karta Ram.

No. 1271 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Sudama Ram.

No. 1164 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Chuhar Singh.

No. 1329 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Harnam Singh.

Army Bearer Corps.

No. 8032 Lance-Naik Beni, No. 8 Company, No. 113 Indian Field Ambulance.

No. 3513 Bearer Ram Singh, No. 3 Company, attached No. 19 British Field Ambulance.

No. 3369 Bearer Fatha, No. 3 Company, No. 7 British Field Ambulance.

No. 4304 Bearer Mahomed Khan, No. 4 Company, attached No. 128 Indian Field Ambulance.

No. 7405 Bearer Pitam, No. 7 Company, attached 129th Indian Field Ambulance

No. 7159 Bearer Komil, No. 7 Company, attached 128th Indian Field Ambulance.

No. 1389.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the grant of a gratuity of three months' pay to each of the undermentioned for general good service in the field :—

Army Hospital Corps.

No. 11001 1st grade Ward Servant Mahomed Khan Pathan.

No. 10010 1st grade Ward Servant Maduray Nappen.

No. 11001 1st grade Ward Servant Abdul Jawhir Khan.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 1390.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admissions to the Order of British India. Dated the 17th November 1916.

To the Second Class with the title of "Bahadur."

Risaldar-Major Agia Ram, 16th Cavalry.

Subadar-Major Sundar, 28th Punjabis.

Subadar Agdi Singh, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

Subadar Chagar Singh, 37th Dogras.

Subadar Govind Singh, 9th Bhopal Infantry.

Subadar Hari Singh, 107th Pioneers.

Subadar Fazl Shah, No. 3 Company, 1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

Subadar Jaimal Singh, 36th Sikhs.

Subadar Abdul Aziz Khan, No. 3 Company, 1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

The above appointments will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment.

INDIAN ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 1391.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admission to the Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit :—

For admission to the 2nd Class of the Order.

No. 2455 Rifleman Dal Bahadur Thapa, 2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force), for conspicuous gallantry and coolness in action on the 11th September 1916, in twice returning under heavy fire at close range during a withdrawal and bringing in wounded men. He also rendered great assistance in carrying messages under heavy fire.

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 1392.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned for gallantry in the field :—

No. 2936 Sepoy Man Singh, 90th Punjabis.

No. 2298 Lance-Naik Dharm Sing Gurung, 2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

No. 2068 Rifleman Balbir Rana, 2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

No. 2627 Rifleman Gambak Sing Mal, 2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 15th November 1916.

No. 78-P.-16.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a preliminary survey being carried out by the Agency of the Eastern Bengal Railway for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Pandu, a station on the Eastern Bengal Railway, to Shillong, a distance of about 70 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Pandu-Shillong railway preliminary survey.

No. 1696-E.-16.—Mr. E. Verrières, Executive Engineer, State Railways, is, on return from leave, posted to the North Western Railway, and appointed to officiate as Engineer-in-Chief, Construction, with the officiating rank of Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, until further orders

No. 1696-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1013-E.-16, dated the 19th June 1916, and No. 1696-E.-16, dated the 15th November 1916, Mr. H. D. Green, Officiating Engineer-in-Chief, Construction, North Western Railway, will, on relief by Mr. Verrières, revert to his substantive appointment of Executive Engineer.

No. 1750-2-E.-16.—Mr. A. E. S Fletcher, Assistant Carriage and Wagon Superintendent, in class III, grade 3, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways (on Military duty) held the officiating rank of District Carriage and Wagon Superintendent in class II (Supernumerary) from the 31st August to the 11th October 1916.

The 16th November 1916.

No. 1683-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1683-E.-16, dated the 24th October 1916, Mr. U. C. Sandys, Officiating Deputy Traffic Manager, North Western Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of District Traffic Superintendent in class II, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways with effect from the 3rd October 1916.

No. 1683-2-E.-16.—Mr. U. C. Sandys, District Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, in class II, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, officiated as Deputy Traffic Manager in class I of that Establishment from the 9th to the 21th October 1916.

No. 1830-E.-16.—Railway Board's Notification No. 1830-E.-16, dated the 3rd November 1916, transferring Mr. F. E. Goodall, Store-keeper, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, to the North Western Railway, is cancelled.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

No. 11320.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

EMIGRATION.

RESOLUTION.

Delhi, the 15th November 1916.

The following paper is published for the information of those interested in the subject:—

Despatch from the Government of India, to His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 41 (Emigration), dated the 15th October 1915.

We have the honour to address you regarding the present system under which Indian labourers are recruited for certain Crown colonies. It will be remembered that in the year 1910 the Committee over which Lord Sanderson presided submitted a report which contained certain criticisms and suggestions regarding the conditions under which the emigration of Indian labour to the colonies should be conducted ; but the general trend of its conclusions was in favour of the continuance of the present method of indenture which was considered to be 'to the great benefit,' not only of the colonies, but equally of the main body of emigrants. It may be remarked incidentally that this Committee sat in London, and did not visit any of the colonies, though it examined a number of representative witnesses from each of them. The Committee's report contained a recommendation to the effect that officers of the Indian Government should visit each of the colonies employing indentured Indian labour at regular intervals, and report on the condition of the emigrants and on the measures which may be desirable to promote their welfare.

2. In pursuance of this recommendation, the Government of India deputed Mr. McNeill, I.C.S., and Mr. Chimman Lal, an Indian gentleman from the United Provinces, which is an important recruiting ground for colonial emigration, to visit the colonies concerned and submit a report on the conditions under which Indian labour was employed. The report was received by the Government of India in July 1914. These two gentlemen agreed with Lord Sanderson's Committee in their approval of the system. They considered that 'its advantages far outweighed its disadvantages,' and that 'the great majority of the emigrants exchanged grinding poverty with practically no hope of betterment for a condition varying from simple but secure comfort to solid prosperity.' They also made certain recommendations for the improvement of the system and for the elimination from it of certain undesirable features to which they drew attention.

3. Apart from these recommendations, there are certain significant facts and figures in the report, which have attracted the special attention of the Government of India, and have led them to consider carefully whether the economic benefits which, it has been claimed, are conferred on the Indian labourer by indentured emigration, may not be outweighed by other and more serious drawbacks, and whether the popular feeling in this country, which has

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been setting more and more strongly against the practice of recruitment on indenture, is not after all based on solid as well as sentimental reasons. The colonies which at present receive Indian indentured labour are Trinidad, Demerara, Jamaica, Fiji and Dutch colony of Surinam. We do not propose to consider in any detail the arguments regarding emigration to the latter colony, for it is clear that, if our views regarding British colonies meet with your acceptance, it will be impossible for the Government of the Netherlands to demand the application of any different policy to Surinam. The varying degrees of dependence of the different colonies on imported Indian labour, and the history of the system under which it has been worked in the past in each case, are fully set forth in the report of Lord Sanderson's Committee; it is not necessary, therefore, to repeat these, nor do we desire to discuss the housing, sanitary and medical arrangements that exist in the various colonies: it may be at once admitted that they are generally satisfactory and often excellent, while the weak spots are mostly capable of, or in process of, removal. It is rather to the social, administrative, and economic conditions under which Indian labour is employed that we desire to direct attention. We shall first discuss the death and suicide rates, the proportion of the sexes, the prosecutions for labour offences in the colonies, and the method of recruitment in India. We shall then consider the economic advantages of emigration from the Indian point of view. And, finally, we shall explain the objections which Indian public opinion has raised against the continuance of the system.

4. *Death-rate.*—The statement below represents the death-rate in the colonies of indentured and, so far as figures are separately available, of unindentured Indian labour:—

Year.	Colony.	Population.		Death-rate per 1,000		General Indian death-rate in colony.
		Indentured.	Unindentured.	Indentured.	Unindentured.	
1911	Trinidad	9,627	15,873	18·2	...	9·8
1912	Trinidad	10,982	14,169	17·0	...	...
1913	Trinidad	12,747	13,306	15·5	...	...
1911-12	British Guiana	9,141	54,804	17·7	26·4	25·6
1912-13	British Guiana	9,453	57,442	12·1	19·4	18·9
1913-14	British Guiana	9,114	57,336	9·4	20·2	18·6
1911-12	Jamaica	2,910	...	30·9	...	...
1912-13	Jamaica	3,066	...	22·1	...	...
1913-14	Jamaica	4,047	...	23·0	...	..
1911	Fiji	14,462	29,758	27·3	13·3	17·8
1912	Fiji	15,369	32,482	25·9	11·8	16·9
1913	Fiji	15,961	35,644	22·7	10·7	14·4

The above figures do not enable a contrast to be made in all cases between indentured and unindentured population. But the figures are particularly striking in Fiji. Here the death-rate has been decidedly high, considering that the island is free from malaria and that the majority of indentured coolies are adults in the prime of life selected after medical examination. The death-rate, however, shows signs of diminution which may be attributed to the improvement effected by the colony in sanitary, and medical arrangements. The death-rates for persons of all ages and for persons of 20-30 years of age, the age which most nearly corresponds to the

average age of indentured immigrants, in the United Provinces and Madras were as follows :—

Year.	Ages 20-30.				All ages and sexes.	
	United Provinces.		Madras.		United Provinces.	Madras.
	Per 1,000 men.	Per 1,000 women.	Per 1,000 men.	Per 1,000 women.	Per 1,000	Per 1,000
1910	20·43	21·66	11·5	11·9	38·67	24·7
1911	23·09	26·71	10·9	11·6	44·95	23·1

The average death-rates in 1914 in Madras and the United Provinces jails, where the inmates are cared for on somewhat similar principles but much more closely than in the colonies, were 11·83 and 11·9, respectively. Allowing for the fact that indentured emigrants are all medically examined before leaving India, and that the housing, sanitaton and medical supervision of coolies in the colonies are far superior to anything available for the Indian village population, it is clear that the mortality among indentured coolies is decidedly high, especially in Fiji, although more conscientious and sustained efforts are probably made in this colony for the medical care and sanitation of Indian labourers than anywhere else in the world.

5. As a special feature of the death-rate, the high number of suicides among indentured coolies has for long attracted attention. This subject is dealt with* in considerable detail in Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report. We reproduce the figures below :—

Colony.	Average rate, for ten years ending 1912, of suicides per million of Indian population.	
	Free.	Indentured.
Trinidad	134	400
British Guiana	52	100
Jamaica	...	396
Dutch Guiana	49	91
Fiji	147	926
These figures may be compared with the figures given below for various parts of India.		
Bombay City	75	
Bombay City (ages 20-30)	107	
Madras	45	
United Provinces	63	
India	51	

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The average rate amongst the unindentured population is high: but that among the indentured is a most serious matter, and not the less so in that it is seen at its very worst in the colonies with the largest population basis of indentured labour. We may admit at once that a more careful record is probably maintained for indentured than for unindentured Indians. But the difference is too marked and the ratio too constant to admit of this being at all a complete explanation. We may admit also that the indentured population includes practically all the new comers. But this again cannot explain such high figures. Messrs McNeill and Chimman Lal's report abstains from drawing very definite conclusions as to the causes; among possible factors are home sickness, lack of freedom, the abnormal sex ratio, which will be discussed below in greater detail, and the unaccustomed surroundings.

6. *Proportion of the sexes.*—The coolies despatched from Calcutta in the year 1913 comprised 4,281 males and 1,845 females. The corresponding figures for 1912 were 5,960 and 2,569. From Madras 1,517 men and 605 women embarked in 1913 for Fiji and British Guiana. The proportion of sexes among the average Indian population of various colonies concerned was stated in the report presented to Parliament by the Colonial Office in March 1914 to be as under :—

Colony.	Adult males.	Adult females.	REMARKS.
Trinidad, Tobago	21,989	17,159	These figures were compiled from the 1911 Census Reports of the various colonies.
British Guiana	53,083	34,799	
Jamaica	7,137	4,775	
Fiji	20,062	8,785	

This disproportion affects both indentured and unindentured labour, the latter of course to a much less extent.

7. The high suicide rate and the disproportionate sex ratio are not, it is true, evils peculiar to a system of indentured labour. At the same time, suicides are undoubtedly of far greater frequency among indentured colonial labourers than among the unindentured The latter class is largely composed of persons who have passed the dangerous period of hopeless home-sickness, which is said to be one of the main causes of suicide. But it is possible enough that the feeling of being bound to serve for a fixed period and on the same estate is often the last straw that turns the scale in the mind of a man who is already depressed by home-sickness, jealousy, domestic unhappiness, or any other cause. Even if indentured labour were abolished, the effect of unusual surroundings, inability to return at will, or other causes might be sufficient to maintain the suicide rate above a normal figure. But it is most probable that the ability of the coolie to change his surroundings and his employer would, in this event, cause a very great diminution in the rate. As regards the question of sexual immorality, though this very important subject has not been dealt with in any great detail in the reports of the two previous Committees, there is a considerable amount of unofficial evidence, which shows that the moral conditions in the Indian coolie lines in Fiji at any rate are indescribable: and in view of the proportion of the sexes shown in the official figures, we feel certain that these accounts are little, if at all, exaggerated. The only suggestion that is made in Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report for its removal would take a great length of time to exercise its full effect, which after all would be comparatively slight. The evil seems inseparable from the maintenance of emigration under present conditions and on its present scale. Immigrants, except where a system of seasonal emigration by families prevails, are bound to include more men than women; and the latter are equally bound to include, as is the case at present, a large proportion of persons who are prostitutes, social outcastes, or have been unhappy in their domestic relations. Choice of partners

is thus necessarily limited, both as to quantity and quality; and it is still further restricted by the obligation to reside on a particular estate. It thus appears impossible to effect any improvement in the present state of things, which forms one of the darkest blots on the system, without a radical alteration in the sex ratio; and the necessity for bringing this about calls for serious consideration. But until this is done, the moral responsibility, which we incur, would be infinitely less under a system of free emigration, than under the present system. The law which allows the coolie to enter into a binding agreement in India is an Act of the Indian Government, and enforceable in its courts.

8. *Prosecutions.*—The figures for prosecutions are very significant, though they have decreased in number in recent years.

TRINIDAD.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1909	11,620	2,800	24	2,457	87	597
1910	10,200	2,726	26	2,289	84	538
1911	10,660	2,373	22	2,031	85	397

Almost all the cases dismissed were on account of want of prosecution or evidence and most of these were presumably cases in which the employer himself did not wish to proceed to extremities.

BRITISH GUIANA.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1912	9,671	1,857	19	1,012 and 118 reprimands.	60	No given.

JAMAICA.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Number of prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Number of convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1912-13.	4,152	513	12	498	97	Not given.

FIJI.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Number of prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Number of convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1908	11,978	2,237	19	1,981	88	405
1909	11 988	1,924	10	1,747	90	510
1910	12,673	1,911	15	1,717	90	449
1911	15,352	1,520	10	1,372	90	446
1912	16,111	1,256	8	1,135	90	186

In Fiji, as in certain other colonies, conviction often involves extension of the period of indenture, a very undesirable form of punishment.

Imprisonment for labour offences, except after three previous convictions, was abolished in Fiji in 1912.

It may be noted that many of the prosecutions involve more than one charge against the same coolie, and that the same men are sometimes prosecuted more than once in the same year, so that the actual number of coolies prosecuted is somewhat less than the number of cases. With this explanation, it may be stated that the average percentage of prosecutions on population concerned over the periods for which figures are given above was for Trinidad 23, for British Guiana 19, for Jamaica 12, and for Fiji 13. By far the larger proportion of these prosecutions arose out of the provisions of the labourer's contract.

There is no need to suppose that all these prosecutions were unreasonably undertaken: in fact, it is fairly clear that in most estates, prosecutions are kept down to the minimum number consistent with what has hitherto been considered efficient management. There are, however, not wanting signs that in Fiji at any rate, the unwisdom of the system hitherto pursued is being recognized : but as long as a labourer is bound to serve a particular master, kind or cruel, it will be impossible to avoid retaining some means of compulsion to make the coolie keep to his bargain.

The extraordinarily high proportion of convictions to prosecutions is significant even in such simple cases as labour offences. It is alleged by the opponents of the system that justice is not done; that the coolie is largely in the hands of the interpreter who is apt to take the side of the employers; that the magistrates are in many cases themselves employers, or necessarily favour the employers; and that the witnesses are servants of the prosecutor. Some of these facts are obviously true ; but of the truth of others no authoritative evidence is forthcoming, while Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report states that justice is usually properly administered. But the possibilities of injustice which obviously exist, coupled with the very high percentage of convictions, give rise to uncomfortable suspicions.

9. *Method of recruitment.*—The recruitment of coolies by contractors, whose earnings depend on *per capita* payments for coolies recruited, has for long been regarded by the Government of India as unsatisfactory. In the case of labour required for Assam the system was made illegal from 1st July of this year. No specific local enquiry has as yet been made into the conditions under which labour is recruited in upcountry districts for the colonies, but there is no reason to believe that colonial emigration, controlled as it is only by Crown agents at comparatively distant centres, is on any better footing than was contract

recruitment for Assam, while the complaints that appear in the press, or reach the ears of local officers, regarding occasional abuses, are of a very similar nature to those which led the Government of India, after careful enquiry, to abolish contract recruitment for Assam labour. Those responsible for the management of tea gardens, in Calcutta or upcountry, though they usually desire to work on clean lines, have proved quite unable to control the abuse which seem inseparable from the system of contract recruitment. The coolie contractor and his agents have for long borne a decidedly unsavoury reputation with their fellow villagers or townsmen. The policy of the Government of India in respect of Assam emigration has been to replace these men by *sardars*, who are labourers of a superior class from the tea gardens themselves, and who come back from time to time to their own villages and return with the recruits which they have collected there to the garden of their own employer, where they again work side by side with the recruits they have brought. This is the only system now permitted for Assam recruitment, and the *kangani* system under which recruitment for Ceylon and the Straits Settlements is mostly conducted, while it has certain drawbacks of its own, resembles it in its main features. It will readily be appreciated that there are serious difficulties involve in the maintenance of a system for the benefit of overseas colonies, which we have found it necessary to abolish in the case of Assam, one of our own Provinces.

Regarding the class of persons collected by the recruiters, the last annual report on emigration from the Port of Calcutta bears eloquent testimony. Of 5,210 persons received into the upcountry depôts, 1,186 were rejected as medically unfit; of the balance 3,837 persons reached the Calcutta depôts, of whom only 2,678 left for the colonies, the balance having been returned as unfit or having absconded. The nature of the miscellaneous scraps of humanity collected by the recruiters in the first instance can be readily imagined.

10. *Economic aspect.*—We turn now to the economic aspect of the question. It has often been stated that the economic advantages gained by the Indian labourer are so great that they outweigh the moral and social evils which we have just described. We do not think it possible to apply a common measure which will enable such a comparison to be made. But the extent of these economic advantages has been too readily assumed. The rise in wages and in the standard of comfort among the labouring population of India has been great, and in certain particular areas, very great indeed. It is necessary, therefore, to compare the economic conditions of Indian labour in the colonies with those existing in various parts of India itself in order to decide precisely what degree of weight can be allowed to this argument.

Trinidad.—On the estates visited by Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal, the wages averaged about 4*s*. 6*d*. a week for indentured men. On a few of the best estates, the earnings were about 5*s*. The women earn from half to two-thirds of the above. The food of an industrious worker with a healthy appetite costs from 2*s*. 9*d*. to 3*s*. a week. Infants get rations at the employer's expense. Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's Report states that a good worker can save 2*s*. a week and all but inferior workers can save on the average about 1*s*. In point of fact, with average earnings of 4*s*. 3*d*. and food costing 3*s*., it does not seem very probable that the labourer will clothe himself and his children, pay for petty luxuries, etc., of the type he affects, and yet save as much as 1*s*. It may be noted that rice, which sells at 4 seers to the rupee, pays an import tax of 20 per cent *ad valorem*, and *dhal* 12 per cent. Coolies have little or no chance of adding to their earnings while under indentures. No separate particulars are given for remittances or savings by indentured Indians.

British Guiana.—The average for all workers, including females and children, is 11¾*d*. a day, for an average week of 5 days. On field work, the weekly average for shovel-men was 8*s*. 9½*d*. and 6*s*. 5½*d*. for all others. Good workers sometimes earn £1-5-4 a fortnight, and earnings of 18*s*. 8*d*. are not uncommon. The average earnings per day actually worked by men is about 12*d*. A man, it is stated, ought to be able to save upwards of 2*s*. a week, if of average physique.

Indentured coolies are rewarded by being allowed to cultivate plots of rice. Repatriated emigrants took back with them the following sums :—

Year.	Returned emigrants.		Sums brought back.	
	Men.	Women.	Deposited for transmission.	Estimated additional sums.
			Dollars.	Dollars.
1910	558	220	43,451	7,242
1911	460	179	36,897	4,800
1912	404	158	39,860	6,644
1913	446	154	29,253	4,875

These amounts were saved after a period, presumably, of ten years, and represent an average saving of 70 to 80 dollars a head, or say R240.

Jamaica.—Men's wages per day worked averaged from 10½*d.* to 1*s.* 5¾*d.* The average labourer works on two days out of three. Women's wages average from 7½*d.* to 1*s.* ¾*d.* per day worked. A fair estimate of the daily cost of living would be, it is stated, 3*s.* 6*d.* weekly for an able-bodied man. Plots of land are rarely given to indentured coolies, nor are they encouraged to keep cows, for fear of deteriorating the type of animals kept by their employers.

Returned emigrants took back with them the following sums :—

Year.	Returned emigrants.		Sums brought back.	
	Men.	Women.	Cheques.	Jewellery.
			£	R
1911	...	...	...	...
1912	210	74	2,650	722
1913	...	...	...	...

Fiji.—An ordinary skilled man earns 9*s.* or 10*s.* a week at cane cutting and for loading trucks from 1*s.* 3*d.* a day upwards. Coolies very seldom work more than 5½ days a week. Rations are given to indentured immigrants for six months and to children for twelve months after arrival. The employer may not deduct for an adult's rations more than 2*s.* 4*d.* weekly. The retail cost of these rations to the coolie would be from 3*s.* to 3*s.* 6*d.* The price of rice is about 2½ seers to the rupee. Children's rations include milk. The average number of days worked is higher than in another colonies, as the climate is healthy, the sanitary arrangements good, and the coolies are said to like the variety of the work with its slack and busy seasons during the latter of which they can earn high wages. Repatriations are comparatively few, owing to the good wages. Plots of land have not hitherto been given to coolies, but it is now proposed to do this. One

shilling is the minimum wage for men for a day of 9 hours. The average earnings in 1913 were as under :—

—	Per working day.	Per day worked.
	d.	*d.*
Men	12·29	13·32
Women	6·54	8·37

The average savings after paying for food would thus be about 2*s.* 10*d.* Repatriated emigrants took back with them the following sums :—

Year.	Returned Emigrants.		Sums brought back.		
	Men.	Women.	Cash deposited.	Value of other cash, etc.	Total.
			£	£	
1910	199	70	1,156	7,313	8,470
1911	334	98	2,391	10,194	12,585
1912	275	106	1,879	11,955	13,834
1913	376	131	2,760	14,000	16,760

About one-third of those repatriated were destitute or unfit. The remainder had worked for 10 years. Assuming that the former class brought back nothing, which is improbable, the latter brought on an average some £49 a piece.

It would appear therefore that coolies in the above mentioned colonies can save from less than 1*s.* to about 3*s.* a week, provided that they spend little or nothing except on food and clothes. The savings brought home after 10 years' work, during 5 years of which they are presumably employed as free coolies, show that they do not, as a matter of fact, save anything like this figure, even allowing for money remitted to India. Annual remittances by Indians, which however include those by both free and indentured labourers, were as under :—

Year.	Trinidad.	British Guiana.	Fiji.	Jamaica.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1910	58,013	31,026	48,214	6,614
1911	55,614	33,635	47,730	6,305
1912	52,791	41,133	57,300	6,975
1913	65,218	46,677	57,421	5,595
1914	79,513	38,084	60,900	5,155

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The annual report on emigration from the Port of Calcutta for the year 1914 shows that out of emigrants arriving in Calcutta, the following brought back savings .—

—	Returned Emigrants.		Savings brought by.	Of whom sums over Rs. 150 were brought by.
	Men.	Women.		
Demerara	424	157	483	241
Trinidad	487	172	273	182
Fiji	522	177	53	45
Jamaica	...	...	...	...

These figures bear out fairly well the figures already quoted, as regards the relative wage earning possibilities in the different colonies. They do not include the value of the jewellery brought back, which is presumably estimated and somewhat doubtful : and a very large proportion of returned emigrants, nearly half, brought back no savings at all.

11. We have seen, then, that the wages earned by indentured coolies in the colonies range between 4*s*. 3*d*. and 6*s*. 3*d*. per week, or say, 18*s*. and 26*s*. a month, the highest earnings being in Fiji. Deducting the cost of rations at 3*s*. 3*d*. a head, the net earnings in the latter colony came to 3*s*. a week, or say 12*s*. 9*d*. a month. But there are many places in India where as good or almost as good wages are paid for unskilled labour, excluding the Punjab where the labourer is stronger and more efficient. In Eastern Bengal, wages run as high as 1*s*. 4*d*. a day in the jute season which lasts for several months. The published wage statistics for the eastern districts of Bengal, which are however not entirely reliable, give the rate for ordinary agricultural labour at from 13*s*. 4*d*. to 20*s* a month. More accurate figures obtained by the personal enquiries of an officer on special duty, showed that the labourers in Mymensingh earn from 8*d*. to 10*d*. a day : while others obtain from 5*s*. 4*d*. to 9*s*. 4*d*. a month with their food. On the above figures an average wage of from 4*s*. to 5*s*. a week may be fairly assumed. Calculating the cost of the same rations as are given or bought in Fiji, at Eastern Bengal prices, the Eastern Bengal cooly's weekly food expenditure is 1*s* 4⅛*d* and deducting this from the average weekly wage rate of 4*s* 6*d*. the balance is roughly 3*s*. 2*d*. The Eastern Bengal labourer's position is thus nearly as good as that of an indentured coolie in Fiji. He has to pay house rent unless, as is usually the case, he sleeps in a jute godown, or the cultivator's verandah, while the Fiji labourer is housed for nothing. The Eastern Bengal labourer is often an emigrant from Bihar, who leaves most of his family behind him where no doubt they earn a trifle, while the very few children that the Fiji coolie takes with him contribute to the family earnings, and his infant children receive rations. But the above figures are enough to show that in point of actual excess of wages over the bare cost of living there are places in India, outside the large towns, where a coolie can do as well as in most, if not all, of the colonies without the great disadvantage of having to leave his country and indenture himself to an employer, who may be considerate or the reverse, but whom he is bound to serve for five years, or go to jail if he refuses. It is true that in the areas in the east of the United Provinces and in Madras, whence the indentured coolie is mostly drawn, the wages are miserably low, and congestion is intense. But there is no reason except the lack of a recruiting agency to take him there, why the United Provinces coolie should not follow the example of his Bihar neighbour and go to work in Eastern Bengal, where the field for labour is very large. In the towns and the urban mills the wages for labour, with a small degree of skill that does not take long to gain, are nearly as high as in Eastern Bengal,

though house rent and cost of food are higher. A coolie ought thus to be able on purely arithmetical considerations, to save from 2s. a week upwards. It is certain that the Indian demand for labour is far more than enough to absorb the 6,129 coolies that left Calcutta for the colonies on indenture in 1913, even if thereto be added the 1,607 coolies that left Madras for the same destination in the same year.

There is, however, a real advantage to the coolie, and it is a very real one, in colonial emigration. It gives the coolie the chance, after his indenture is over, of obtaining land, from which he can derive higher profits and live a life the conditions of which are in many ways more pleasant, than anything which is open to him in India though it is to some extent attainable in this country. In Assam, for instance, where labour under indenture has now been abolished, the tea garden labourer is usually allowed a plot of land to cultivate in his spare time : and when he leaves the garden an abundance of fertile waste land is available from which he can take up a plot at very little expense, and with the title of a ryot holding direct from Government.

12. We have seen that the case against indentured emigration is, from the point of view of the moral and social welfare of the coolie, very strong : and from the material point of view, its advantages are not so considerable as is sometimes thought. We have now to consider, so far as the information before us permits, and so far as it is necessary at the present stage, what would be the effect on the colonies, were it abolished.

British Guiana.—The average number of coolies who entered the colony yearly up to 1905 was 3,500 : and between 1905 and 1910, 2,200. In the year 1913, the colony took only 64 coolies from Madras and 1,276 from Calcutta. At the end of the year 1912, the resident Indian population was 129,389 out of a total of some 300,000. The injury to colonial interests, even if Indian emigration were stopped altogether, which we do not propose, would thus apparently not be fatal.

Trinidad.—The total population of this colony was estimated in 1907 at 338,000 : the Indian residents at the end of 1912 were 117,100.

The average yearly emigration has been as under—

1881-1891	2,500
1891-1901	2,100
1901-1908	2,700
1911	3,557
1912	2,627
1913	1,236

The number of adult labourers indented for and supplied during the last three years was as under :—

—	Indented for.	Supplied.
1911	more than 3,200	3,557
1912	2,300	2,550
1913	1,089	1,188

The demand thus appears, on the whole, to be declining, and a further diminution of the supply, while it would no doubt affect the plantations adversely, could scarcely make plantation agriculture impossible.

Jamaica.—The total population is 830,000, of whom in 1908 the Indian element was stated to constitute 13,821, a number which showed a decrease of about 1,000 in 19 years. At the end of 1912, it is shown at the obviously estimated figure of 20,000. In 1913, only 824 indentured emigrants sailed for Jamaica. In 1914, there was no emigration. Here prohibition must be a matter of indifference to the colony.

Fiji.—The case is, however, very different in Fiji, where at the end of 1913, the resident Indian population was 51,605. Between 1905 and 1910 about 8,000 coolies emigrated from India to the colony, and 2,200 returned. The subsequent figures have been—

Year.	Emigrated.
1911	4,204
1912	3,373
1913	3,222

By far the greater proportion of these were from Madras.

In view of the nature of the cultivation, which is mainly conducted by capitalist interests and consists of sugarcane and cocoanut plantations, of the declining numbers of the native population, of the difficulty experienced in recruiting Polynesians to a sufficient extent, and of the scanty population of the island; there is no doubt that any considerable diminution of the supply of Indian labour would be a very serious matter for the colony.

It would appear, in fact, that any diminution in the Indian labour supply which may reasonably be anticipated as the result of the proposals we are making in this despatch, can hardly affect Jamaica at all; will not be a really grave matter in the case of Demerara and Trinidad; and is only likely to need serious consideration in the case of Fiji.

13. We may now consider the position from the point of view of India herself. Including the figures of emigration to Surinam, the total Indian emigration on indenture to the tropical colonies during the year 1913 was—

Port of embarkation.	Number.
Madras	1,607
Calcutta	6,129
TOTAL	7,736

From an economic point of view, then, the interest of India as a whole in indentured emigration is negligible, and we need not meet the argument that colonial emigration is a safety-valve for congested districts in India.

It is, moreover, the case that in the same year, 117,783 unindentured coolies proceeded from Madras alone to the Straits Settlements, and 190,059 to Ceylon.

14. *Conclusions.*—In his despatch of 3rd January 1913, Lord Crewe stated that the Indian national sentiment against the stigma laid on the race by the existence of the indentured system ignored the advantages to the labourers themselves. We have attempted to show that the economic advantage gained by the coolie, while actually serving under indenture, is not so great as is often supposed; and that the real benefit, which he gains from emigration arises after the close of his indenture period, from the opportunities then before him of purchasing or leasing land or setting up in business and making himself a position as a settler. But whatever may be the extent of the economic advantage arising from the emigration of indentured labour, the political aspect of the question is such that no one, who has at heart the interests of British rule in India, can afford to neglect it. It is one of the most prominent subjects in Indian political life to-day: and its discussion arouses more bitterness, perhaps, than that of any other outstanding question. For Indian politicians, moderate and extreme, alike consider that the existence of this system, which they do not hesitate to call by the name of slavery, brands their whole race in the eyes of the British Colonial Empire with the stigma of helotry. How, they ask, will a European colonial ever admit us into the fellowship of citizens of the Empire, when he knows that men of our country and colour can be purchased for five years for five shillings a week? It is firmly believed also in this country, and it would appear, not without grave reason, that the women emigrants are too often living a life of immorality in which their persons are, by reason of pecuniary temptation or official pressure, at the free disposition of their fellow recruits and even of the subordinate managing staff. The feelings which these beliefs engender are strong. As far back as 1910, when moving a resolution in favour of the abolition of indentured

labour in Natal, the late Mr. Gokhale mentioned the unanimous feeling of his party and of Indians in South Africa, that indenture should be abolished everywhere. A further debate on the general question took place in 1912, when the resolution brought forward by the same gentleman, though defeated, had the support of every Indian member of the Imperial Council. It is unnecessary here to trace the arguments brought forward in the mover's eloquent speech which are recorded in the debates of the Imperial Council, and are still used by Indian editors and politicians. The Government speakers on the other side admitted the existence of certain abuses, which it was believed could be largely remedied: but pressed the economic advantages to the coolie emigrants and denied that the indentured system could rightly be entitled slavery. Indian public opinion has strengthened and grown more articulate since the debate of 1912, while the favourable impression created on our minds by Lord Sanderson's Report, on which our defence of the system in 1912 was mainly based, has been considerably qualified, as has been indicated in the earlier paragraphs of this despatch, by the information which has subsequently been elicited by Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal.

15. On receipt of Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's Report, we invited the opinions of Local Governments on its recommendations and on the general question whether indentured emigration to the colonies should be continued. The greater number of the Governments consulted have submitted their opinions, and we append copies of the letters marginally noted.

(1) From the Government of the United Provinces, No. 1658, dated the 20th August 1915, and enclosures.
(2) From the Government of Madras, No. 1296, dated the 3rd September 1915.
(3) From the Government of Bombay, No. 6073, dated the 5th August 1915, and enclosure.
(4) From the Government of Bihar and Orissa, No. 7245-M., dated the 31st May 1915.
(5) From the Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner, Baluchistan, No. 4419, dated the 18th December 1914.
(6) From the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, No. 259-C. & I., dated the 13th January 1915.
(7) From the Chief Commissioner, Assam, No. 2321-G., dated the 19th April 1915.
(8) From the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara, No. 779, dated the 4th May 1915.
(9) From the Chief Commissioner, Coorg, No. 1498, dated the 3rd May 1915.
(10) From the Government of Burma, No. 574-M.-5-I. Pt.-I., dated the 29th April 1915.
(11) From the Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province, No. 1474-G., dated the 11th June 1915.
(12) From the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. C.-114, dated the 20th September 1915; and enclosure.

Although the report favoured the continuance of indentured emigration, while its recommendations referred only to the measures necessary for improving that system, it is noteworthy that the opinions of the Governments of the United Provinces, Madras and the Central Provinces (that of the latter Government conveyed in a memorandum by Sir B. Robertson, the Chief Commissioner), provinces which provide, practically speaking, all the indentured recruits that emigrate to the colonies to which this despatch relates, unanimously testify to the necessity of putting an end to indentured emigration altogether. The opinion of the Assam Administration is much to the same effect, in that they suggest the replacing of indentured emigration by a system of State-aided, but presumably free, emigration. The Bombay Government have no very decided views on the maintenance of indentured emigration which does not, however, directly concern them, as the Bombay Presidency sends, practically speaking, no emigrants to the colonies. We have still to receive reports from certain other provinces; these, however, have little immediate concern with the question and there are strong reasons for indicating our own attitude on this urgent and important question without further delay.

16. The feeling in India against indentured emigration has in no way diminished since the discussions of 1912, but has indeed gained force owing to the labour troubles in South Africa two years ago. We would also again point out that now that we have abolished in India what was considered by a large section of the intelligent public to be an abuse, it is becoming increasingly difficult for us to defend the retention of a similar system for the benefit of the colonies. We are of opinion that the moment has now arrived to urge His Majesty's Government to assent to the total abolition of the system of Indian indentured

labour in the four British colonies where it still prevails and in Surinam; and thus to remove a social stigma which is deeply resented by educated public opinion in India, and exposes to hostile criticism the Government of India and His Majesty's Government in the sanction which they lend to a system entailing much unhappiness and moral degradation amongst certain classes of a population dependent on their care and protection. We can well understand that His Majesty's Government, with their heavy pre-occupations during the course of the war, may prefer to postpone the final settlement of the question till after the conclusion of peace. But in the meantime, to facilitate the preliminary discussions which will have to be undertaken with the colonies interested, we desire to submit the following preliminary suggestions on the general outlines of a scheme which, in our opinion, affords the most hopeful solution of the difficulties which we have pointed out, while causing as little disturbance to colonial interests as is compatible with the maintenance of our obligations to the classes of the Indian population concerned.

17. It is quite clear that the mere abolition of indentured emigration, a course which implies the refusal to allow any emigrant to leave the country under a contract, will not be sufficient The result of this would be that recruiters would induce coolies to go without any agreement, but by the grant of advances, or by fraud, and the coolies on their arrival in the colony would be wholly at the mercy of its laws, and might be compelled to work out the advances which they had received, or were alleged to have received, by local labour laws with which the Government of India would have greatly weakened its power of interference. The mere abolition of indentured emigration, while it would remove what is in India considered a racial stigma, would not do away with the morally undesirable features of coolie life in the colonies or with the abuses of contract recruiting in India, and yet these are stains from which British administration in India ought to cleanse itself. The introduction of a system of recruitment on *sardari* or *kangani* lines would, we admit, present difficulties in the case of distant colonies. It would be costly to arrange for the continuous voyage under proper conditions of small parties of coolies; and the system must, in any case, be freed from the bonds which the receipt of advances and the Ceylon enticement law attach to the *kangani* system. We think, however, that such difficulties can, and should, be met. One of the best features of the last mentioned system is the possibility which it holds out of improving the present abnormal sex ratio with its attendant evils, the removal of which is, in our opinion, an absolutely essential condition of whatever new system be introduced to take the place of indentured emigration. The system might be financed by the colonies through a tax on coolie-cultivated estates, or coolie-produced exports. There is no need for the individual planter to pay for the individual coolie, and so be led to consider that he has a right of property in him. The coolie should be at liberty to serve whatever master he chose, while if he desired to return to India, he would be called on to pay some share of the cost of his repatriation, a share which might vary with the nature of the circumstances and with the length of time he had served. The prospects of free emigration are not at present very hopeful, except so far as the Mauritius figures are concerned. The figures for free labour emigration during the past three years have been as under :—

——	British Guiana.	Jamaica.	Trinidad.	Fiji.	Mauritius.
1911-12	19	...	62	16	...
1912-13	6	2	4	54	840
1913-14	4	...	49	83	794

It would appear, then on the whole, that an improved *kangani* system, under which a coolie was not bound by the receipt of advances or by the local law to serve on a particular estate; with a proper sex ratio, and confined to approved colonies, offers the most promising results. The present system of inspection, shipping, and sanitary regulations would have to be maintained. There is no doubt that the change, especially the insistence on a proper sex ratio,

would lead, at any rate at first, to a considerable falling off in the number of emigrants. But, after all, it is not the duty of the Government of India to provide coolies for the colonies, but to insist that those who go there shall do so under conditions which are not repellent to educated Indian opinion, and which give the emigrant himself a chance to live a decent life under proper conditions, and to develop into a more desirable class of settler than the man who at present leaves the coolie barracks of a Fiji sugar estate at the expiry of his period of indenture. By a policy on these lines India will surely offer a more acceptable contribution to the cause of Imperial progress and unity than by a blind compliance with demands for the continuance of an evil system.

ORDERED that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations, for information, and that it be published in the *Supplement to the Gazette of India.*

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 17th November 1916.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 11th November 1916 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	......	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City	11	7
		Kaira District	14	6
		Surat Town and Port	12	9
		Surat District	2	3
	Central	Ahmednagar District	590	442
		West Khandesh District	196	149
		East Khandesh District	61	38
		Poona Town	148	258
		Poona District	191	140
		Nasik District	107	80
		Satara District	340	264
		Sholapur Town	58	53
		Sholapur District	336	234
	Southern	Ratnagiri District	1	2
		Hubli Town	44	44
		Kolaba District	3	...
		Belgaum District	235	134
		Dharwar District	134	93
		Kanara District	1	1
		Bijapur District	402	286
	Political Charges.	Baroda State	23	15
		Mangrol Port	11	6
		Kathiawar Agency	22	16
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country States	252	189
		Bijapur Agency	2	4
		Satara Agency	...	2
		Savanur State	73	49
		Akalkot State	5	1
		Bhor State	2	2
		TOTAL	3,276	2,527

In the return for the week ending 4th November 1916, *add* the following :—
Ahmedabad City—1 case. 1 death.
Karachi Town and Port—1 case, 1 death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	...	Anantapur District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Bellary District	12	8
		Coimbatore Town	8	4
		Coimbatore District	404(b)	268(c)
		Mangalore Port	2	2
		Salem Town	12	3
		Salem District	50(a)	39
		Kistna District	1(a)	1(a)
		North Arcot District	22(c)	8(d)
		Nilgiris District	3	2
		Malabar District	2(a)	...
		Trichinopoly District	1(a)	1(a)
		TOTAL	508	337
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.	...	......	...	...
BIHAR AND ORISSA.	Patna	Patna District	12	12
		Shahabad District	...	1
	Tirhut	Saran District	27	24
		Muzaffarpur District	7	2
		Darbhanga District	4	2
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	15	18
		Bhagalpur District	7	5
		TOTAL	72	64
UNITED PROVINCES.	Meerut	Muzaffarnagar District	2	2
	Rohilkhand.	Pilibhit District	...	1
	Allahabad	Cawnpore City	12	12
		Cawnpore District	5	5
		Allahabad District	23	26
	Benares	Benares District	18	10
		Jaunpur District	10	10
		Ghazipur District	15	9
	Gorakhpur.	Ballia District	22	22
		Gorakhpur District	60	21
		Basti District	11	8
		Azamgarh District	9	8
	Lucknow	Unao District	7	7
		Rai Bareli District	1	1
		Sitapur District	5	3
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	4	3
		Gonda District	7	5
		Sultanpur District	4	4
		Partabgarh District	6	5
		TOTAL	224	162

(a) One imported. (b) Four imported. (c) Five imported. (d) Two imported.
In the return for the week ending 4th November 1916, *add* Pilibhit District—3 cases, 1 death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Lahore	Gurdaspur District	1	1
	Rawalpindi.	Jhelum District	5	3
		Rawalpindi District	64	48
		TOTAL	70	52
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town	5	2
		Tharrawaddy District	3	3
		Prome District	15	15
	Irrawaddy	Henzada District	2	2
	Tenasserim.	Toungoo District	1	
	Magwe	Magwe District	1	1
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	1	1
		TOTAL	28	24
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town	388	387
		Nagpur District	97	53
		Kamptee Cantonment	101	60
		Wardha District	80	65
		Chanda District	7	5
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore City	1	1
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	31	28
	Berar	Amraoti District	14	9
		Yeotmal District	2	2
		Akola Town	59	43
		Buldana District	131	90
		TOTAL	911	743
ASSAM	...	......	...	...
COORG	...	Coorg	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	37	29
		Bangalore City	48	34
		Bangalore District	112	89
		Mysore City	32	23
		Mysore District	116	86
		Hassan District	...	1
		Kadur District	10	3
		Shimoga District	39	23
		Chitaldroog District	19	11
		Tumkur District	1	1
		Kolar Gold Fields	27	19
		Kolar District	57	53
		TOTAL	498	371
HYDERABAD STATE.	..	Aurangabad District	129	112
		Bir District	76	83
		Parbhani District	161	157
		Nander District	138	126
		Gulbarga Dsitrict	57	46
		Usmanabad District	11	11
		Atrafibaldah Sarf-i-Khas District	77	59
		Bidar District	3	5
		Medak District	40	26
		Nalgonda District	2	2
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	61	50
		TOTAL	755 (a)	677 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Indore City	97	61
		Indore Residency Bazar	3	1
		Dhar State	1	2
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	17	12
		TOTAL	118 (b)	76 (b)
RAJPUTANA.	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
N.-W.-F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
BLUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	6,460	5,083

(a) From the 30th October to the 5th November 1916.
(b) For the week ending 4th November 1916.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 16th November 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. The storm which was in the north of the Bay at the close of the previous week passed into lower Bengal and travelling northeastwards disappeared in Assam. It gave widespread and moderate to heavy rain in Bengal and Assam. After the disappearance of the storm, rainfall was confined to the Peninsula, chiefly the southern districts, where it was of daily occurrence throughout the week.

2. *Burma.*—Rain fell locally in Lower Burma on the 9th.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Nearly general rain fell in Bengal on the 10th and in Assam on the 11th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Weather was dry.

Northwest India.—Light precipitation occurred at Murree and Sonamarg.

The Peninsula.—Rainfall was nearly general in the Konkan and Mysore on the 9th, in Malabar on the 15th, in southeast Madras on the 13th and 14th, and in the Madras Deccan on the 13th.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows:—

November 9th. Bassein 1·52″, Saugor Island 3·16″, Balasore 2·02″, Belgaum 2·66″, Chitaldrug 1·24″ and Mercara 1·05″.

" 10th. Shillong 1·11″, Cherrapunji 2·59″, Barisal 1·43″, Burdwan 4·21″, Berhampore 2·41″, Mymensingh 4·57″, Bogra 3·08″ and Coimbatore 1·71″.

" 11th. Cherrapunji 7·82″, Shillong 3·51″, Cochin 1·63″, Madura 1·60″ and Coimbatore 1·41″.

" 12th. Pamban 1·05″ and Negapatam 1·15″.

" 13th. Madras 2·46″ and Cuddalore 1·04″.

" 14th. Tinnevelly 1·03″, Negapatam 4·12″, Cuddalore 7·03″ and Kodaikanal 1·72″.

" 15th. Calicut 2·31″ and Madras 2·02″.

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Burma, Kashmir, Berar, the Central Provinces, Hyderabad and the Madras Coast North. It was 20 per cent or more in excess in Assam, Bengal, Orissa, Bihar, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Mysore, Malabar and Madras southeast, and was equal to the normal in the Madras Deccan. No rain fell in the remaining divisions, but none usually falls there at this season of the year.

The rainfall from the 28th April to date is in defect by as much as 20 per cent in Kashmir alone. It is 20 per cent or more in excess in Bengal, Bihar, the United Provinces, the Punjab East and North, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajpūtana, Central India West, Berar, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Mysore, the Madras Deccan and the Madras Coast North. In the remaining divisions the rainfall differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 16th November 1916.			Rainfall data from 28th April 1916 to 16th November 1916.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal. This week.	Percentage departure from normal. Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	0	2·4	−2·4	102·6	102·4	+0·2	0	+3
Lower Burma	0·3	0·7	−0·4	148·4	140·9	+7·5	+5	+6
Upper Burma	0·3	0·5	−0·2	42·4	42·3	+0·1	0	+1
Assam	0·4	0·2	+0·2	72·4	78·0	−5·6	−7	−7
Bengal	2·2	0·1	+2·1	85·3	69·9	+15·4	+22	+19
Orissa	0·7	0·2	+0·5	67·1	58·4	+8·7	+15	+14
Chota Nagpur	0	0	0	47·4	49·4	−2·0	−4	−4
Bihar	0·1	0	+0·1	63·6	49·7	+13·9	+28	+28
United Provinces, East	0	0	0	49·0	39·3	+9·7	+25	+25
United Provinces, West	0	0	0	51·0	39·2	+11·8	+30	+31
Punjab, East and North	0	0	0	30·3	21·3	+9·0	+42	+42
Punjab, South-West	0	0	0	9·4	8·1	+1·3	+16	+16
Kashmir	0	0·1	−0·1	6·9	8·9	−2·0	−22	−22
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0	0	11·0	5·8	+5·2	+90	+90
Baluchistan	0	0	0	4·2	2·3	+1·9	+83	+83
Sind	0	0	0	12·9	4·8	+8·1	+169	+169
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	23·1	11·3	+11·8	+104	+104
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	31·6	22·9	+8·7	+38	+38
Gujarat	0	0	0	26·6	23·4	+3·2	+14	+14
Central India, West	0	0	0	40·4	29·6	+10·8	+36	+36
Central India, East	0	0	0	48·2	41·0	+7·2	+18	+18
Berar	0	0·1	−0·1	45·6	30·9	+14·7	+48	+48
Central Provinces, West	0	0·1	−0·1	51·9	44·9	+7·0	+16	+16
Central Provinces, East	0	0·1	−0·1	50·1	48·1	+2·0	+4	+3
Konkan	0·4	0·2	+0·2	126·4	97·0	+29·4	+30	+29
Bombay Deccan	0·6	0·2	+0·4	38·9	27·4	+11·5	+42	+32
Hyderabad, North	0	0·1	−0·1	41·7	32·9	+8·8	+27	+26
Hyderabad, South	0	0·1	−0·1	47·4	30·2	+17·2	+57	+52
Mysore	1·1	0·6	+0·5	38·8	27·7	+11·1	+40	+32
Malabar	1·7	1·3	+0·4	100·0	97·4	+2·6	+3	+2
Madras, South-East	3·3	2·0	+1·3	28·2	26·9	+1·3	+5	0
Madras Deccan	0·3	0·3	0	36·6	24·0	+12·6	+53	+53
Madras Coast, North	0·4	0·9	−0·5	42·5	34·1	+8·4	+25	+27

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Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 16th November 1916.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 11th November 1916.

Burma.—Good rain fell in several districts of Lower Burma and a few districts of Upper Burma, elsewhere the fall was light. In Lower Burma reaping of wet weather paddy and hill-side crops has commenced. In Upper Burma ploughing for miscellaneous crops is progressing. Reaping of early paddy, plucking of cotton and gathering of ground-nut continue. Condition of standing crops is satisfactory. The health of cattle is good. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon is Rs. 112 per hundred baskets and is below normal. The market for white rice is weak.

Assam.—The weather was seasonable in the beginning and rainy and cloudy at the close of the week but generally favourable to standing crops. Ploughing of land for, and sowing of mustard and pulses are in progress. Plucking and manufacture of tea and harvesting of early rice are still going on. Prospects of tea, winter rice, cotton and sugarcane are fair. Damage caused by insect pests to paddy crops is reported from Cachar and Sylhet. Insufficiency of fodder and cattle disease is reported from three districts. The price of common rice has fallen in four districts and risen in one. Agricultural loans are still being given in flood damaged areas of Cachar.

Bengal.—During the latter part of the week there was heavy rainfall accompanied by wind and storms in most of the districts of the Burdwan division; elsewhere the fall was light to moderate. Considerable damage has been done to the standing crops where the fall was heavy. Sowing of potatoes and pulses was also retarded. Sowings of spring crops and harvesting of early winter rice continue in the Eastern Bengal districts. Fodder is reported to be scarce in parts of the Jessore, Khulna, Dinajpur and Tippera districts. Cattle disease is reported from four districts only. The average price of common rice has fallen slightly from that of the preceding week.

The weekly report on famine in Bankura is as follows:—The state of affairs in the affected areas has improved. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of autumn paddy continues. Prices are falling. The price of rice is 10 seers per rupee. The number of persons on relief works was 788. All relief works have been closed since 6th November.

Bihar and Orissa.—Light rain fell during the week in parts of the Orissa, Chota Nagpur and Bhagalpur divisions. Sowings of spring crops are in progress. Harvesting of early winter paddy continues in Orissa and Chota Nagpur and has commenced in parts of Bihar. Standing crops are on the whole doing well. The average price of common rice has fallen as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder is generally sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from fifteen districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is on the whole good; some damage has, however, been done to paddy and other standing crops in some of the States by the recent heavy rainfall.

United Provinces.—No rain fell during the week. Harvesting and threshing of autumn crop, sowing of winter crops and poppy, and picking of cotton are in progress. The harvest prospects are good. The yield of rice is likely to be better than for some years but cotton will only be moderate. The fine weather late in October considerably improved prospects of grain and fodder. Irrigation of winter crops and pressing of sugarcane has commenced in some places. The agricultural stock is in good condition but slight cattle disease is reported from twenty districts. Fodder and water supply are sufficient. The markets are adequately supplied. Prices tend to fall especially in the Central Doab and south eastern districts.

Punjab.—The weather remained dry during the week. Picking of cotton and harvesting of rice, maize, etc., continue. The outturn is generally normal to good. Standing cotton, sugarcane and other crops are in good condition. Sowings of gram have been completed in some districts and of wheat, barley and oilseeds, etc., are in progress. The area sown is normal or above normal. Germination of the crops sown is good. Cattle are healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes a e sufficient. Prices of wheat and

other grains have risen slightly in some districts but still range between normal and warning rates. Those of autumn food grains are in some cases below normal rates. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices of wheat :—Lahore 9¼, Lyallpur 10, Ferozepore 10¼ and Ambala and Rawalpindi 10½ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—The week was rainless. Rain is required for autumn sowings on unirrigated areas in the Peshawar district. The weather is cold. The condition of standing irrigated and unirrigated crops is average in the province. Sowings of spring and harvesting of autumn crops are proceeding. The outturn of latter is reported to be average. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is not running. The public health is good, but malarial fever is still extremely prevalent in the Peshawar district. Prices are high but stationary in Peshawar and Dera Ismail Khan and falling in the case of wheat, gram and barley in Bannu.

Jammu.—No rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 14 and maize from 14 to 24 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Cattle disease prevails in Ranbirsinghpura and Jasmergarh tahsils only. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was insignificant. Spring sowings are in progress. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are normal.

Rajputana.—The weather is cool and clear. Standing crops are good. Harvesting of autumn and sowings for spring crops are in progress. Prospects are good. The condition of agricultural stock is good. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are falling in Marwar, Jaisalmer and Kishangarh, rising slightly in Tonk and Karauli and generally stationary elsewhere.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was sufficient everywhere. Land for spring crops is being prepared and sowing has commenced. Harvesting of autumn crops is in progress in Gwalior, Indore, Bundelkhand and southern States. Standing crops and probable outturn are fair in Indore and Bhopal and good elsewhere. Crops have been damaged in Bhopal by excessive rain. Agricultural stock is in good condition everywhere except for some cattle disease. Fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are rising in Bhopal and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The week was rainless and the weather continues to be clear and cool. Reaping of autumn crops, picking of cotton, preparation of land for and sowing of spring crops are in full swing. Standing crops are generally in good condition except cotton and *juar* which were damaged by excessive rain. Fodder and water are sufficient and cattle are in good condition. The price of wheat has generally risen.

Feudatory States.—Four States received rain not exceeding 1¼ inches. Harvesting is proceeding and crops are generally in good condition.

Bombay.—Rain fell during the week in the Konkan, Ahmednagar, Poona, Sholapur, Satara and Savantvadi. The fall was excessive in the Karnatak and Kolhapur. Standing crops are thriving except in parts of Kanara, Sholapur, Satara, Bijapur, Dharwar, Kolhapur and three talukas of Poona and Belgaum where they have been damaged by rain. Autumn harvesting generally continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Karachi, Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh and Ahmednagar. Spring sowing generally continues. Fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition and drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of the Panch Mahals and Kaira. Prices of food grains have slightly fallen in Konkan and Karnatak and are generally steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—Report not received.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good throughout the State. Prices of food grains are steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of harvested *ragi*, paddy and sugarcane is fair. The prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy in the greater part of the State. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 2 inches 78 cents. Condition of rice crop good. Picking of cardamom continues. Fly picking of coffee has commenced in parts. Prices of food grains are rising. Public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was *nil* or light in the Vizagapatam littoral, Banganapalle, Ramnad, Tinnevelly, Travancore and Cochin; fair in Ganjam, Tanjore, Pudukkottai and Malabar; heavy in Chittoor and good elsewhere. Standing crops are fair to good generally, but have been damaged by heavy rain and floods in parts of two districts; more rain is required in parts of three others. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water supply is insufficient in parts of Anantapur, South Arcot, Chittoor, North Arcot and southern parts except Tanjore and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is sufficient. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

Statement showing the u mber of persons in receipt of relief in districts in which famine has been declared.

Name of province or State.	Preceding week (Revised).			Present week.			Increase or decrease.
	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	Relief works.	Gratuitous and special relief.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
British Provinces.							
(*Bengal.*)							
Bankura . .	831	...	831	788	...	788	—43

R. A. MANT,

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

(FAMINE.)

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in t Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 4th November 1916.

No.	Name of District or State.	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF.							TRACTS UNDER OBSERVATION AND TEST.	
		Area affected in square miles.	Estimated population of area in column 3.	Number of persons employed on relief works.	Number of persons on gratuitous and special relief: Dependants of relief workers, relieved on works.	Number of persons on gratuitous and special relief: Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor houses, etc.	Number of persons on gratuitous and special relief: Total.	Grand total on relief.	Number of persons on test works.	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
				BENGAL.						
1	Bankura . . .	2,621	1,138,670	831	...	...	...	831	...	...
				BIHAR AND ORISSA.						
1	Singhbhum . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	518	2

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APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

November 8.

2790. V. A. Haddick. *Portable field cooker and carrier.*

2791. W. Bottomley & William Bottomley & Sons. *Improved means for controlling the tension upon yarns in doubling winding frames.*

2792. A. E. Boyd. *Improved automatic counter.*

2793. A. H. Bonnard. *Improvements in or relating to the preparation of vegetable charcoal.*

November 9.

2794. H. C. Grogan. *A fly defensive for spectacles.*

2795. General Electric Co. *Improvements in and relating to regenerative control systems.*

2796. A. F. Sykes. *Improved means for producing and deflecting a jet of liquid and for magnifying and utilising such deflexion.*

November 10.

2797. S. R. Iyer and G. Sankaran. *Live weight power mill.*

2798. Kitchen Service Co. *Improved machine for washing dishes and the like.*

2799. R. G. Pierpoint. *Improvements in pickers for looms for weaving.*

2800. B. J. Benn & A. J. Taylor. *Improvements in and connected with railway indicators.*

2801. American Arch Co. *Improvements in or relating to arches and arch bricks.*

2802. A. V. James. *Punkah puller.*

2803. A. C. Ionides. *Improvements in and relating to the complete combustion of gaseous mixtures.*

November 11.

2804. J. Higginson and H. Arundel. *Improvements in liquid fuel supply apparatus for internal combustion engines.*

2805. M. A. Bhisey. *Improvement in a running lime kiln by closing its top and erecting a chimney thereon to produce an air draught.*

2806. Universal Winding Co. *Improvements in winding machines.*

2807. G. N. Barooah. *Improvements in and relating to tea and the process of manufacture thereof.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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1914. A. Vacarezza. *Improvements in wrenches.*

2612. H. W. Johns-Manville Co. *Fire extinguisher.*

2688. Mills Equipment Co., Ld., and A. A. Lethern. *Improvements in or relating to military equipments.*

2737. J. M. Marum. *Mosquito preventer and general disinfector.*

2761. H. E. Hooper. *Improvements in or relating to the extraction of tungstic oxide from Wolfram ores.*

2762. J. M. Draper. *Improvements in apparatus for separating substances of different specific gravities, such as fine coal or ores and the like.*

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2341. T. C. Coull and W. E. McLean. *A paper file and binder.*

2465. W. J. Grimshaw and A. P. Symonds. *Improvements in or relating to pumps.*

2725. Mead, McLean & Company, Limited, and A. A. Mead. *Improvements in ventilators for railway carriages and the like.*

2726. G. G. Hepburn. *Improvements in bi-polar electrode electrolysers.*

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2659. Roy.
2660. Gammeter.
2664. General Electric Co.
2665. Vickers, Limited.

PATENTS SEALED.

2125. General Electric Co.
2265. Staber.
2595. Carey.
2634. Walker.
2643. Foley.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

132 of 1903. Hoffmann. (To 7 November 1917.)
136 of 1904. Marconi's Wireless Telephone Co. (To 11 November 1917.)
280 of 1905. Sulman & ors. (To 16 January 1918.)
458 of 1905. Poulsen. (To 1 December 1917.)
177 of 1906. Badische Anilin & Soda Fabrik. (To 8 November 1917.)
179 of 1906. Jackson. (To 8 November 1917.)
234 of 1906. Whitaker. (To 27 November 1917.,
503 of 1906. Pearson. (To 20 November 1917.)
286 of 1907. Durham. (To 20 December 1917.)
246 of 1909. A. G. Brown Boverie & Cie. (To 14 December 1917.)
285 of 1909. Eisenwerk (Vormals Nagel & Kaemp) A. G. (To 17 January 1918.)
323 of 1909. Garratt. (To 11 February 1918.)
220 of 1910. Spencer. (To 9 November 1917.)
442 of 1910. Williams & ors. (To 5 November 1917.)
476 of 1910. Greenwood & ors. (To 15 November 1917.)
524 of 1910. Mikimoto. (To 8 December 1917.)
526 of 1910. Archer. (To 9 December 1917.)
624 of 1910. Nissen & anr. (To 19 January 1918.)
266 of 1911. Paterson. (To 19 December 1917.)
408 of 1911. Gibb. (To 17 November 1917.)
473 of 1911. Blaugas-Patent G. m. b. H. (To 28 November 1917.)
527 of 1911. Pritchett. (To 18 November 1917.)
17 of 1912. Brown. (To 9 January 1918.)
489 of 1912. Jackson. (To 9 September 1917.)
607 of 1912. J. Stone & Co., Ld. (To 21 November 1917.)
717 of 1912. Brown. (To 28 January 1918.)

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1904.

63, (Johnson).

1906.

227, (Artom).

1908.

18, (Martha).

1911.

44, (Betulander). 56, (Bone and ors.). 759, (Redrup and anr.). 760, (Paterson). 792, (Messenger). 804, (Izod).

1912.

412, (Douglas and ors.). 417, (Constantin). 418, (Rayneau and anr). 419, (Crisp). 421, (Corey and anr.).

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KARACHI.

1. M. Mukhtar Ahmad . . . . . . Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.
2. M. Anandram Thadmal . . . . . 30, Jethmal Buildings, Garrikhata, Karachi.

KASAULI.

1. M. Anand . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

LAHORE CANTONMENT.

1. M. Sham Lal Bhargava . . . . . . Dungar Street, Sadar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.
2. M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani . . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
3. M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman Sabri . . Chhawni Manawala, Sammian Street, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

LUCKNOW.

1. M. Abdul Alim . . . . Near the Police Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
2. M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil) . . Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
3. M. S. M. Shahabuddin . . . . . . Near Police Out Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
4. M. Farhat Ali Suhail . . . . . . C/o M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil), near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.

MAYMYO (BURMA).

1. M. Saiyed Amir Ali (of Delhi) . . . . Regimental Munshi, 4th Border Regiment, Alexandra Barracks, Maymyo, Burma.

MEERUT.

1. Pt. Hriday Narain . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1-1st Wiltshire Battery, R. F. A., R. A. Bazar, Meerut.

MULTAN.

1. M. Mohd. Ishaq . . . . R. F. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Multan Cantonment.
2. M. Sultan Mohamed . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Multan.

MURREE HILLS.

1. M. Abdul Ghani (of Nowshera) . . . C/o Syed Jafar Shah, Regimental Munshi, 1st Yorkshire Regiment, Barian Camp, Murree.
2. M. S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence European School, Ghoragali P. O., Murree Hills.
3. M. Bodh Raj . . . . Officers' Munshi, Murree Hills.

NAINI TAL.

1. M. Faqir Ulla . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

1. M. Muhammad Din . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).
2. M. Ghulam Jilani . . . . R. A. Munshi, Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
3. M. S. Abdul Ghani . . . . Sadar Bazar, Nowshera.
4. M. Mohamed Sarwar . . . . . . New Mohalla Sudder Bazaar, Nowshera.

PATNA.

1. M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

1. M. Ahmed Din . . . . 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
2. M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.
3. M. Safdar Khan . . . . Near Anaj Mandi, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

1. M. Sher Mahomed . . . . C/o Barkat Ali, Regimental Munshi, 2nd Royal Irish Fusiliers, Quetta.
2. M. Sheikh Abdul Aziz . . . . . . Islamabad, Quetta.
3. M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Cadet College, Quetta.
4. M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

1. M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
2. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
3. M. Fazal Ahmed . . . . Persian House, Rawalpindi.
4. M. Abdul Waheed . . . . C/o Coffee Shop, 2nd Rifle Brigade, West Ridge, Rawalpindi.
5. M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.
6. M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh Gyani . . . . Officers' Munshi, Ahata Sultan, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

1. M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

1. M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

In addition to the above, the following, who were examined in Urdu previous to the institution of the examination mentioned in the above India Army Order, are also, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, qualified to teach:—

1. M. Mohd. Arif	12, Harinbari Lane, Calcutta.
2. Maulvi Syed Abu Zafar	36, European Asylum Lane, Calcutta.
3. M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	14, Karaya Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
4. M. Badru-z-Zaman	29, Ice Factory Lane, Entally, Calcutta.
5. M. Abdul Badi	5, Ramsanker Roy's Lane, Calcutta.
6. M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 21, Wellesley Square, Calcutta.
7. M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	25, Tiljalah 1st Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
8. M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nurali Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
9. M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
10. M. Mohd. Shuaib	Chowk Masjid, Arrah.

N.B.—It is requested that Munshis who have passed this examination, and whose names do not appear above, should communicate their present addresses to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, so that their names may be published also.

Whenever any munshi changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. Post system*, and are obtainable from The Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1916 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	R
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	21-8 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	22-8 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb. Weg. 3 lbs. Postage Re. 0 10 0
,, ,, 3 ,, ,, 6 ,, ,, Re. 1 0 0
,, ,, 2 ,, ,, 9 ,, ,, Re. 1 8 0

N.B.—Postage stamps will not be accepted as revenue.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

NOTICE.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Manager's Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and Ex-Officio President of the Board of Examiners.

DHANBAD;
20th October 1916.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—

   (*a*) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.

   (*b*) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 14th November 1916.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	Rs. 2,08,00,000 A. 0 P. 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	50,00,000 0 0			
		1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments		50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 1,10,27,583 A. 3 P. 10	2,15,09,709	0	2
Public Deposits at Branches	1,04,82,175 12 4			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		20,69,89,178	7	1
Bank Post Bills, etc.		14,18,486	12	3
Sundries		13,64,138	4	9
RUPEES		27,20,81,512	8	3

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		6,52,70,147	12	0
Other authorized Investments		1,11,08,145	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		2,98,46,180	1	10
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities		5,94,40,255	9	8
Bills discounted and purchased		2,80,69,669	13	7
Balances with other Banks		39,20,972	3	11
Bullion		......		
Dead Stock		29,23,066	2	11
Stamps		11,911	7	0
Sundries		3,69,673	4	2
		20,09,69,021	7	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	Rs. 3,26,94,548 A. 8 P. 4	7,11,12,491	1	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	3,84,17,942 8 10			
RUPEES		27,20,81,512	8	3

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,555 0 0

† Do. do. do. „ 8,61,907 8 0

Rs. 12,13,462 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 16th November 1916.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 8 per cent.

Percentage 30·74

IMPERIAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IN INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Pusa, the 8th November 1916.

No. 1899.—This Department Notification No. C.-166, dated the 6th September 1916, granting ten days' privilege leave to Mr. M. Wynne Sayer, B.A., Assistant to the Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India, with effect from the 20th September 1916, is cancelled.

J. MACKENNA,
Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India.

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CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 13th November 1916.

No. 7571-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi, during the half month ending the 31st October 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			15
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.			Remarks.
			Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
P. S. Alipur	28	40	...	...	...	25	...	15	...	...	...	...	12	7	19	
Nangloi	49	58	...	...	...	35	3	17	...	...	3	...	4	13	17	
Najafgarh	44	32	...	...	...	20	...	12	...	...	...	...	8	9	17	
Subzimundi	9	6	...	.	...	6	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	
Paharganj	...	1	...	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	—	1	...	1	
Mehrauli	37	39	...	...	...	20	...	14	1	...	3	1	7	11	18	
Raisina	8	15	...	...	...	14	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	
Shahdara	6	21	...	...	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	
New Cantonment	9	18	...	...	...	12	1	5	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	
Total of the District	190	230	...	1	...	154	4	64	1	...	6	1	39	43	82	

No. 7573-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 4th November 1916, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	Delhi	225,471	131	147	278	89	78	167	...	...	...	75	8	61	1	22	...	28	30	58	64·11	38·51
	Notified Area	3,673	1	2	3	4	2	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	42·47	81·94
	Total	229,144	132	149	281	93	80	173	...	...	...	75	8	61	2	27	...	28	30	58	63·76	39·25

Delhi, the 15th November 1916.

No. 7642-*Education.*—In anticipation of his services being placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, the Revd. W. E. C. Henry assumed charge of his duties as Second Chaplain of Delhi with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd November 1916.

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 9th November 1916.

No. 1373-*B.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 9 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898) as applied to the Administered Areas in Central India, the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to direct that in the Schedule annexed to the Central India Agency Notification No. 1628-B., dated the 16th November 1912 for the words "the Resident at Indore" the words "the First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India" shall be substituted.

No. 1375-*B.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 2 of the Indian Works of Defence Act, 1903 (VII of 1903), as applied to the Cantonments of Mhow and Nimach, the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India is pleased to appoint the Cantonment Magistrate to perform the functions of a Collector, and the First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General as regards the Cantonment of Mhow and the Political Agent in Malwa as regards the Cantonment of Nimach to perform the functions of the Court, under the Act.

II. The Central India Agency Notifications No. 1544-B.-63-13, dated the 9th August 1913 and No. 913-B., dated the 21st July 1916 are hereby cancelled.

The 11th November 1916.

No. 1391-*B.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 15 sub-section (1) of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), as applied to the Cantonments of Mhow, Nimach and Nowgong, the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India, is pleased with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to direct that in the Central India Agency notification No. 54-B., dated the 22nd January 1915, the following notifications shall be made namely :—

(1) In the second column of the first schedule for the entry relating to the Cantonment of Mhow within the limits of the Bazars, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

For house attachments

for one tap

to a ½" pipe or less	rupees 12 a year
to a ¾" „ „	„ 24 „
to a 1" „ „	„ 36 „

and for every extra tap

to a ½" pipe or less	rupee 1 a year
to a ¾" „ „	rupees 2 „
to a 1" „ „	„ 3 „

Plus such additional charge for water consumed, not exceeding 4 annas per 1,000 gallons, as the Cantonment authority may decide.

To the list of exemptions in the second, third and fourth schedules the following shall be added, namely :—

(16) Equipment, clothing and other necessaries (not being articles of food or drink) imported by Officers in Command of Troops for the exclusive and direct use of their men and followers.

No. 1392-*B*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 15, sub-section (2) of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), as applied to the Cantonments of Mhow, Nimach and Nowgong, the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India is pleased, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the first schedule to the Central India Agency notification No. 55-B., dated the 22nd January 1915, adapting to the said Cantonments the provisions of certain enactments and rules for the assessment, collection, recovery and refund of property rates and octroi duties, namely:—

(1) From rule 1 the second proviso shall be omitted.

(2) To rule 29 the following shall be added:—

"and may, if such vacancy has lasted for a whole quarter, refund the whole amount paid for that quarter. Provided that in the case of water-rate, the refund shall be for the whole period of vaccancy, subject to the conditions hereinafter contained."

(3) For rule 36 the following shall be substituted:—

"36. Goods for which exemption from duty is claimed as being the property of Government or the Cantonment Authority, or as being imported by an Officer in Command of Troops for the exclusive and direct use of his men and followers, must be accompanied by an invoice endorsed by the Government Officer concerned or the Cantonment Magistrate or the Commanding Officer as the case may be certifying respectively that they are the property of Government or of the Cantonment Authority or are for the exclusive and direct use of troops and followers."

(4) In rule 41, sub-rule (1) after the word "Guard," in both places where it occurs, the words "or other person" shall be inserted.

The 11th November 1916.

No 2864-*D*.—Lieutenant F. A. Lacey, 20th Deccan Horse, is appointed to officiate as Cantonment Magistrate, Nimach, with effect from the 25th October 1916.

No. 2870-*D*.—Major H. Pott assumed charge of the office of the Cantonment Magistrate, Nimach, from Lieutenant F. A. Lacey, 20th Deccan Horse, with effect from the 1st November 1916.

The 14th November 1916.

No. 1422-*B*.—52-14.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 6 and 9 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872 (XV of 1872), as delegated to him by the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3744-I.B., dated the 1st October 1897, the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India is pleased to license the Reverend Charles D.Donald, of the Canadian Presbyterian Mission, to solemnize marriages and to grant certificates of marriage between Native Christians under the Act within the States in Central India.

CORRIGENDUM.

No. 1430 *B*.—72-16—In the Central India Agency Notifications No. 1340-B and No. 1343-B, dated the 6th November 1916, *substitute* "C. H. Marsh" *for* "P. W. Marsh".

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General in Central India.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 10th November 1916.

No. 2972-*G*.—Mr. Hari Das Gupta, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, reverts to his own grade with effect from the 16th October 1916.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,

Military Accountant General.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 10th November 1916.

No. 1634-*E*.—R. S. Bishan Singh, Supervisor, Lushai Hills, Assam, on deputation to the Delhi Province, is appointed a Temporary Engineer, with effect from the 1st June 1916.

The 11th November 1916.

No. 1643-*E*.—Mr. T. Harvey, Officiating Executive Engineer, I Project Division, Delhi, took over charge of the office of Personal Assistant to the Chief Engineer, Delhi Province, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the forenoon of the 8th November 1916, from Mr. H. W. Milner, Executive Engineer, who proceeded on privilege leave.

H. T. KEELING,
Secretary, P. W. D.

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 73rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, dated at Kasur Camp, this 8th day of November 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—2186, Gunner J. P McPhillips.
Age—36.
Height—5 feet 9 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, dark; eyes, dark.
Trade—
Date of enlistment—
Place of enlistment.—
} Not known. Not in possession of his documents.

Parish and County in which born—Is of Irish Nationality.
Date of desertion or absence—5th November 1916.
Place of desertion or absence—Kasur Camp.
Marks—Tattooed Bracelet round one wrist (which wrist not known), speaks hoarse, suffers from lung trouble, small shifty eyes, medium build.

C. A. RUSSELL, Captain, R. G. A.,
Commanding 73rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery.

INDIA METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 8th November 1916.

No. 5865-*S*.—Dr. T. Royds, Assistant Director, Kodaikanal and Madras Observatories, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from 13th November 1916, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 5866-*S*.—Mr. S. Sitarama Aiyar, First Assistant, Kodaikanal Solar Physics Observatory, is appointed to act as Assistant Director, Kodaikanal and Madras Observatories, during the absence on privilege leave of Dr. Royds or until further orders.

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 6th November 1916.

No. 14.—Mr. H. N. Parker, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, is granted extension of furlough on medical certificate for 10 days, from 1st to 10th October 1916, in continuation of six months' combined leave granted to him in Notification No. 4, dated the 6th March 1916, with effect from the 1st April 1916.

E. A. S. BELL,
Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway.

ADMINISTRATOR-GENERAL.

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 54 of Act III of 1913.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported, and when.	REMARKS.
Mr. Alexandra Bell Duncan, I.C.S.	Died from wound received in action.	5th August 1916 .	District Judge, Gaya, on 28th August 1916.	The deceased left a will appointing Mr. J. T. White, I.C.S., Manager of the Bettiah Wards' Estate, as executor in India.
Mr. Sebright Edward Coffin, 2nd Lieutenant, Royal Scots Regiment.	France . . .	21st December 1915	District Judge, Muzaffarpur, on 10th February 1916.	The deceased left no will. His father residing at Bettiah has applied for Letters of Administration to the estate.
Mr. Henry Mountain . . .	Muzaffarpur . .	23rd October 1915 .	District Judge, Muzaffarpur, on 15th February 1916.	The deceased left a will appointing his widow and Mr. E. P. Cassurby as executors. The widow has applied for probate of the will.
Daya Bewah, late of No. 18, Girish Bidyaratna Lane, Calcutta.	Calcutta . .	......	Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, on 14th September 1916.	The deceased died intestate and the Commissioner of Police has been requested to inform the Administrator-General regarding value of the deceased's property.
Mr. Henry Charles Richardson, Inspector of Reserve Police, Gaya.	Ditto . .	9th August 1906 .	District Judge, Gaya, on 23rd August 1916.	The deceased left no will. Letters of Administration to the estate have been obtained by Mrs. H. M. Richardson.
Mrs. Mary Christian, wife of A. T. Christian.	Muzaffarpur . .	9th October 1915 .	......	The deceased left a will appointing A. T. Christian as executor who has obtained probate thereof.
Mr. M. H. Mackenzie . .	Ealing, Great Britain.	19th May 1916 .	District Judge, Muzaffarpur, on 26th August 1916.	The deceased left a will. His widow as executrix of the will has obtained probate.
Mr. William Eraemess Dominy, Assistant Manager, Takvar Tea Estate, Singhe Division.	......	3rd December 1915.	District Judge, Dinapur, on 24th February 1916.	The deceased left no will and no property in India.
Miss Wood, an inmate of the De Souza Home.	......	13th June 1916 .	Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, on 17th March 1916.	The deceased died intestate and the property left by her is considerably less than Rs. 1,000 in value and the Administrator-General does not propose to take action in the matter.
Mr. E. C. H. Creswell, of 28, Theatre Road, Calcutta.	Died in train in the Bengal-Nagpur Railway.	8th January 1916 .	District Judge, Hooghly, on 11th April 1916.	The deceased left a will and Messrs. Morgan and Company are taking steps to apply for probate under Probate Act from the executors appointed by the will.
Mr. C. D. Burrows, late a Gunner in the East Indian Railway Workshops, Jamalpur.	Medical College Hospital, Calcutta.	10th January 1916 .	District Judge, Monghyr, on 17th March 1916.	The deceased left no will. Letters of Administration to the estate have been granted to one Mr. G. Hilton, Yard Supervisor in the workshops at Jamalpur, by the District Judge, Monghyr.
Miss Edith Mitchell, late of Tollygunge.	......	......	District Judge, 24-Parganas, on 4th April 1916.	Not known whether the deceased left a will. The assets left by her are less than Rs 1,000 in value, and the Administrator-General does not propose to interfere in the matter.
Mrs. Harm	Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta.	......	District Judge, 24-Parganas, on 8th March 1916.	Not known whether the deceased left a will.
Captain W. N. Atkinson, late of Takoha.	Dardanelles . .	29th June 1915 .	District Judge, Dinajpur, on 7th March 1916.	The deceased died intestate and Letters of Administration to his estate were granted to his mother.
Mr. Thomas Burns, late Manager of Khardah Mills.	At sea . . .	30th December 1915	District Judge, 24-Parganas, on 8th March 1916.	No information regarding the will of the deceased. The District Judge, 24-Parganas, has appointed Mr. J. Goodman, a member of the firm of Messrs. Anderson Wright & Co., Calcutta, to take charge of the estate.

C. E. GREY,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

No. 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET,
CALCUTTA,
Dated the 24th October 1916.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated 10th November 1916.

No. 10.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. E. Swinton, I.M.S., Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service, sub. *pro tem.*, is posted as Medical Store-Keeper to Government, Bombay, with effect from the forenoon of the 1st November 1916, *vice* Major C. F. Marr, I.M.S., on leave.

C. P. LUKIS,

Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATION.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 9th November 1916.

No. 34.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave in India on medical certificate, with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name:—

Temporary Lieutenant J. MacLeod, R. I. M....3 months and 2 days with effect from 28th September 1916.

F. J. WILSON,

Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 183 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 31st October 1916.

In the matter of Maung Thaung, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Thaung unemployed residing at No. 92, Calvert Road, Rangoon, on the 30th day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Thaung.

CASE No. 185 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 1st November 1916.

In the matter of Ismail Saleh Kotewal, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ismail Saleh Kotewal of No. 40B, 28th Street, Rangoon, on the 1st day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ismail Saleh Kotewal.

CASE No. 186 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 2nd November 1916.

In the matter of Ghazi Khan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ghazi Khan, Coffee Shop-keeper residing at No. 33, Phayre Street, Rangoon, on the 1st day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ghazi Khan.

CASE No. 187 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 3rd November 1916.

In the matter of Panangat Madhava Menon, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Panangat Madhava Menon, Clerk, residing at No. 26, Phayre Street, Rangoon, on the 2nd day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Panangat Madhava Menon.

J. HORMASJI,

Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 173 OF 1916.

Dated the 14th November 1916.

Re Kissory Lall Agarwalla, residing at No. 7, Hanspooker Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as Tailor and Hosier at No. 194, Harrison Road, Calcutta, under the name, style and firm of Sew Narain Kissore Lall, at present employed as a gomasta of the firm of Joydeo Sahai Abadan Gopal, Tailor and Hosier, at No. 19, Harrison Road, in Calcutta aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor. Surendro Chunder Ghose—Debtor's Solicitor.

On the 9th day of November 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.— All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 174 OF 1916.

Dated the 16th November 1916.

Re Haribux Matilal Ramrick Das and Baijnath all residing at No. 66, Pathuriaghatta Street, in the town of Calcutta, for merely carrying on business in co-partnership as dealers in piece goods at No. 201, Harrison Road in Calcutta, aforesaid under the name, style and firm of Haribux Matilal, the said Haribux and Baijnath being at present without any employment and the said Matilal and Ramrick Das now working as brokers.

Ex parte the debtor. N. G. Roy—Debtor's Solicitor.

On the 10th day of November 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,

Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
635—1916	Lalu Purshotum Welwadia	Hindu	Delisle Road	Blacksmith in the G. I. P. Railway (Matunga.)	8th	November	1916.	8th	November	1916
636—1916	Ramlal Nandram Upadhya	"	Dhanji Street	Formerly carrying on cotton business in the name of Nandram Ramlal and now servant in the employ of Radhakisen Ramjiwan.	"	"	"	"	"	"
637—1916	Lalshankar Parbhushankar Pandya.	"	Bhuleshwar	Astrologer	9th	"	"	9th	"	"
638—1916	Gajanand Mahadeo Parkar	"	Dongri	Door-keeper in the employ of the West End Cinema.	10th	"	"	10th	"	"
639—1916	Alfred Hope Brewin	European	Club Road, Byculla	Manager of the Briton Newspaper	"	"	"	"	"	"
640—1916	Chambil Sankuni Menon	Hindu	Dalal Street, Fort	Editor, Briton Newspaper	"	"	"	"	"	"
641—1916	Harishankar Harischandra Mantri.	"	Nigdewri Lane	Lately Interpreter in the Presidency Magistrate's Court, Bombay, and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
642—1916	Bhimji Madhowji Kumbhar	"	Null Bazar, Kumbhar Wala, 3rd Lane.	Lately Carpenter in the employ o Cowsji Edulji and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
643—1916	Hari Ramchandra Kale *alias* Harichan Ramchan Kale.	"	Thakurdwar Lane	Government Pensioner	11th	"	"	11th	"	"

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909)—*contd.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
644—1916	Mahadeo Narayen Jaywant	Hindu	Dadar	Clerk in the Gold Mohur Mills	11th	November	1916	11th	November	1916
645—1916	Mahomed Sabir Boodhoo *alias* Sabir Boodhoo Mowin.	Mahomedan	1st Lane, Kamathipura	Lately Jobber in the Bombay United Mills, Ltd., and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
646—1916	Esa Alimahomed Memon	"	Ghogori Molla	Lately petty grocer and now unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"
647—1916	Thomas Alfred Evans	European	Byculla	Guard in the G. I. P. Railway	"	"	"	"	"	"
648—1916	Kasiram Baluji *alias* Balu Patil	Hindu	Elphinstone Road	Moulder in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Co.	"	"	"	"	"	"
650—1916	Shankarlal Jiwram Joshi and Jay Shankar *alias* Jadow Jiwram Joshi.	"	Tamba Kanta, Pydhouni	1st Debtor, cook in the employ of Gulabchand Mulukchand, and the 2nd Debtor, lately rent farmer in partnership with Wasudeo Hathiram in the name of Jayshankar Wasudeo and now unemployed.	13th	"	..	13th	"	"
649—1916	Valimahomed Baigmahomed Memon.	Mahomedan	Kazi Molla, Mull Bazar	Lately hawker in cloth, etc., and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
651—1916	Jackee Manuel DeSouza	Goanese	Near Mohim Station, Chuna Bhathi.	Contractor for supplying toddy	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT,
Bombay, this 13th day of November 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.
In Insolvency.

No. 529 OF 1913.

Bombay, the 13th November 1916.

Re Esmail Haji Abba Halai, Memon of Bombay, Mahomedan Inhabitant, residing at Nulla Bazar, New Kazi Molla, a Dealer in Timber: An Insolvant.

Notice is hereby given that the order made herein on the 3rd day of November 1915, annulling the order of adjudication made herein on the 4th day of October 1913 against the abovenamed Insolvent has been this day rescinded.

Dated this 11th day of November 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.
In Insolvency.

Notice is hereby given that orders have been made by this Court adjudging the persons hereunder mentioned Insolvents and vesting the estates and effects of the said Insolvents in the Official Assignee of this Court; and all persons indebted to the said Insolvents, or who have any of their estates and effects, are hereby required forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said Official Assignee.

Number of Petition.	Date of Presentation.	Name, address and description of Insolvent.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Public Examination.
217 of 1916	23rd October 1916.	A. Panchaksharam Chetty, residing at No. 16, Nainiappa Maistry Street, George Town, Madras.	23rd October 1916	15th December 1916.
219 of 1916	26th October 1916.	C. H. Mahomed Meah Saib, Cooly Hat Maker, residing at No. 110, Mannady Street, George Town, Madras.	26th October 1916	22nd December 1916.
221 of 1916	30th October 1916.	C. N. Balasubramania Mudaliar, residing at No. 1/18 Acharappan Street, George Town, Madras.	30th October 1916	Ditto.
222 of 1916	Ditto.	Kunnathoor Govinda Pillai, residing at No. 10, Vythianatha Mudaly Street, George Town, Madras.	Ditto	5th January 1917.

J. R. ATKINSON,
Deputy Registrar.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 10th November 1916.

No. 3051s-*Ap*.—Babu Jnanendra Nath Datta, Superintendent of post offices, sub. *pro. tem.* in the 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for 15 days combined with leave on private affairs for 5 months and 15 days with effect from the 20th October 1916.

The following officiating appointments are made during his absence on combined leave, or until further orders :—

Babu Ramani Kanta Aich, Head Clerk, office of the Superintendent of post offices' Sylhet Division, to hold charge of the current duties of the office of Superintendent of post offices, Sylhet Division, in addition to his own from the 20th October 1916 to the 23rd October 1916 inclusive;

Babu Karindra Nath Ghosal, clerk, office of the Postmaster-General, Bengal and Assam, to act as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, from the 24th October 1916.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 14th November 1916.

No. 5550-*T*.—Mr. W. L. Webster, officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, was granted privilege leave for one month and three days with effect from the 17th August 1916.

Mr. A. J. Roderick, Telegraph Master, officiated as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, during the absence of Mr. Webster.

The 16th November 1916.

No. 5644-*T*.—Mr. S. W. Bunyan, Assistant to the Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 8th November 1916.

Mr. C. A. Dodd, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class, who was appointed to officiate as Superintendent of Post Offices, Traffic, in the arrangements *vice* Mr. P. N. Mitra, is appointed to officiate as Assistant to Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic, with effect from the 8th November 1916, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Bunyan.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

No. 5632-*T*.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 9th November 1916 to 15th November 1916.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Office.		
Bhurban Camp	Punjab	3rd November 1916	Closed.
	Railway Telegraph Office.		
Sonaripur	Rohilkhand Kumaon Railway	6th November 1916	Opened.
	Canal Telegraph Office.		
Makhena	Ganges Canal	6th November 1916	Opened.

R. MEREDITH,
Deputy Director-General of Telegraph Traffic.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 17th November 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 15th November 1916.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE. COIN AND BULLION. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).		TOTAL.	REMARKS.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	1,61,66,000	25,12,78,585	26,74,44,565	5,01,68 580	1,39,46,790	38,87,565	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 16,84,02,790	45,56,75 671	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
Cawnpore	...	2,85,52,270	2,85,52,270	1,80,83,641	1,82,10,120	..	...	..	.	...	..	..	3,62 93 761	(b) Nominal value—R17,79,96,571.
Lahore	...	6,15,04 830	6,15,04,830	1,53,67,030	2,10,89,400	...	..	...	...	...	.	..	3.64,56,430	(c) Includes treasury bills purchased under Section 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R8,34,02,790.
Bombay	30,14,420	20,95,22,790	21,25,37,210	6,84,05,659	4,49,00,782	1,63,09,348	..	...	...	...	...	...	12 93,15,789	
Karachi	...	2,46,09,790	2,46,09,790	90,35,468	36,95,715	...	.	...	...		...	...	1,27,31,183	
Madras	14,57,065	9,68,05,500	9,82,62,565	1,71,37,222	1,13,30,543	...	.	...	.	...		..	2,84 67,765	
Rangoon	...	5,35,13,445	5,35,13,445	3,80,66,211	98,98 230	.	..	..	...	..	.	...	4,79,64,441	
	2,06,37,485	72,57,87,210	74,64,24,695	21,62,83,811	12 30,71,580	2,01,96,913	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	16,84,02,790	74,72,05,040	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			2,69,655	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									10,50,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			74,61,55,040									TOTAL RESERVE R	74,61,55,040	

Gold worth £118,000 (R17,70,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 15th November 1916.
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M. M. S. GUBBAY,
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LOST.

The upper half of a Government Promissory Note No. 200391 of 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01 for Rs. 500 originally standing in the name of the Controller of Currency and last endorsed to the Collector of Monghyr, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and at the Monghyr Treasury where it was enfaced for payment, and an application is being made for the issue of a duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

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Residence—Monghyr.

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(Under liquidation.)

Notice is hereby given to all that are concerned that they are required to submit to the undersigned within two months from this date complete records of their claims against the Company or debts due from it, failing which they will be excluded from the benefits of any distribution of the assets of the Company.

P. ADINARAYANA,

Liquidator.

BIMLIPATAM,
The 10th November 1916.

Proceedings of an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Kayasth Mercantile Banking Co. Limited, Delhi, held on 15th October 1916.

PRESENT.

(1) Lala Raghbar Dayal.
(2) Baboo Jugal Kishore, B.A., LLB., Pleader.
(3) Master Ram Narain.
(4) Baboo Girdhar Lal.
(5) Lala Rangbahadur.
(6) Lala Madan Lal.
(7) Baboo Hari Ram.
(8) Lala Hargopal.
(9) Munshi Lachmi Narain.
(10) Lala Nihal Chand.
(11) Munshi Gauri Sahai.
(12) Bhagwant Kishore.

1. Proposed and passed unanimously that Baboo Hari Ram be elected as Chairman.

2. Real resignations of R. B. Baboomal and Lala Behari Lal from the post of Directorship and resolved unanimously that Lala Hargopal and Master Ram Narain be elected Director in their places respectively.

3. Resolved unanimously that for some reasons the Bank can not continue its business and it is advisable to wind it up, it is hereby decided that the Bank be and is voluntarily wound up.

4. Resolved unanimously that Lala Bhagwant Kishore, Medical Practitioner, Katra Khushalrai, Delhi, be appointed voluntary Liquidator in pursuance of section 207 of the Indian Companies Act, and his remuneration be fixed at 12 per cent. of the realization in addition to Rs. 4 per mensem as office rent.

With votes of thanks to the chair the meeting was dissolved.

HARIRAM.
Chairman

HARGOPAL,
Director

RAMNARAIN,
Director.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

Return showing the Wholesale and Retail Prices of Cereals, Pulses, Oilseeds, Sugar (Raw), Salt, etc., in India by Districts for the fortnight ending 15th October 1916

Department of Statistics, India
November 14, 1916

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics

Published by order of the Governor-General in Council

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending the 15th October 1916 as compared with the corresponding period of 1915.

Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 15th October of

Province.	Rice (Common)		Wheat (Triticum Sativum)		Barley (Hordeum vulgare)		Jawar (Andropogon Sorghum)		Maize (Zea Mays)		Gram (Cicer arietinum)		Arhar dâl (Cajanus Indicus)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (Gur)		Salt	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Burma	100	70	100	107	...	...	...	...	100	107	100	88	100	98	100	100	...	...	100	136
Assam	100	83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	108	100	84	100	121
Bengal	100	88	100	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	81	100	89	100	104	100	105	100	119
Bihar and Orissa	100	76	100	76	100	75	100	73	100	93	100	91	100	70	100	116	100	85	100	112
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	94	100	81	100	88	100	72	100	79	100	83	100	73	100	105	100	63	100	112
Delhi	100	91	100	77	100	91	100	77	100	92	100	96	100	85	100	100	100	53	100	111
Punjab	100	85	100	85	100	89	100	78	100	64	100	93	100	79	100	104	100	61	100	166
North-West Frontier Province	100	91	100	85	100	79	100	76	100	77	100	94	100	73	100	98	100	93	100	125
Sind and Baluchistan	100	100	100	100	100	86	100	91	100	98	100	89	100	80	100	105	...	...	...	...
Bombay	100	82	100	79	100	79	100	73	...	...	100	89	100	82	100	102	100	70	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	91	100	79	...	...	100	73	...	...	100	92	100	79	100	119	...	...	100	113
Madras	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	78	100	75	100	107	100	61	100	121
India	100	88	100	86	100	84	100	79	100	87	100	89	100	80	100	106	100	75	100	124

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 15th October 1916 as compared with the previous fortnight.

Index number of prices during the fortnight ending

Province.	Rice (common).		Wheat (Triticum Sativum)		Barley (Hordeum vulgare)		Jawar (Andropogon Sorghum)		Maize (Zea Mays)		Gram (Cicer arietinum)		Arhar dâl (Cajanus Indicus)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (Gur)		Salt	
	30th Sep. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	30th Sep. 1916	15th Oct. 1916
Burma	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100
Assam	100	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	100	100	100	100	100	98
Bengal	100	100	100	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	97	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Bihar and Orissa	100	99	100	97	100	105	100	97	100	98	100	103	100	100	100	100	100	107	100	105
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	100	100	99	100	101	100	107	100	110	100	99	100	100	100	101	100	93	100	100
Delhi	100	100	100	100	100	93	100	93	100	...	100	100	100	100	100	96	100	100	100	100
Punjab	100	101	100	101	100	100	100	100	100	107	100	99	100	100	100	103	100	92	100	99
North-West Frontier Province.	100	95	100	97	100	89	100	92	100	94	100	98	100	95	100	98	100	96	100	100
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	105	100	100	100	97	100	96	100	94	...	106	100	93	100	99	...	91	...	...
Bombay	100	98	100	102	100	100	100	95	...	...	100	98	100	100	100	102	100	95	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	97	100	100	...	...	100	107	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100
Madras	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	97	100	106	100	100	100	100
India	100	100	100	100	100	99	100	99	100	100	100	100	100	99	100	100	100	98	100	100

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅐ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at cert selected markets during the fortnight ending 15th October of the years 1914, 1915 and 1916.

	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)			Rice (common)			Jawar (*Andropogon sorghum*)			Bajra (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs
Calcutta . . .	4 5 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	6 3 0	7 4 0	6 4 0	...	.	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 14 0	4
Bombay . .	4 7 1	5 14 10	...	4 11 9	5 3 10	4 12 2	2 12 0	3 9 0	...	3 2 10	4 0 4	...	3 2 10	3 14 8	
Karachi . . .	4 4 0	4 7 3	4 4 0	5 1 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	2 10 0	3 1 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	...	...	
Madras . .	...	...	...	5 4 10	5 4 10	5 12 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 4	5 12 2	5
Rangoon . .	5 1 3	5 2 7	4 9 2	3 8 3	5 8 3	3 6 9	..	...	...	...	...	...	3 14 1	4 4 9	4
Dacca . . .	...	...	5 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Patna . . .	3 4 6	4 6 0	3 14 0	4 3 0	5 8 0	4 6 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	2 5 0	3 1 3	...	...	2 13 9	3 8 0	3
Ranchi . . .	4 2 0	5 12 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	6 8 0	5 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 11 0	4 0 0	4
Cuttack . .	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 4	4 8 1	6 1 6	4 7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 11	4 5 8	3
Benares .	4 0 8	4 12 11	4 5 5	5 4 1	6 4 9	5 11 7	..	...	...	...	...	..	3 3 1	3 11 3	4
Cawnpore . .	4 0 0	4 14 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	2 6 0	..	...	...	..	3 8 0	3 0 0	3 6 6	4
Meerut . . .	3 11 3	4 7 0	4 5 0	5 8 3	5 11 0	5 11 6	2 8 0	3 7 9	..	.	...	...	3 0 3	3 1 9	3
Agra . . .	4 5 2	5 2 6	4 9 1	6 15 3	5 4 9	5 4 9	2 10 8	3 7 7	2 15 4	2 11 4	3 15 3	2 10 8	3 6 5	3 3 2	4
Lucknow . . .	3 14 6	4 13 6	4 7 1	4 0 0	4 13 6	4 7 1	.	...	...	...	...		2 10 8	3 10 2	4
Ferozepur . .	3 10 3	4 6 0	3 14 0	4 11 3	5 11 3	5 8 0	2 5 9	3 10 5	...	3 5 3		...	2 15 6	3 4 3	3
Lahore . . .	3 14 3	4 7 0	3 12 9	4 11 3	5 2 6	5 5 3	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 12 0	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 5 3	3 2 3	3 4 3	3
Amritsar . .	3 11 6	4 3 3	3 12 0	4 13 6	5 8 0	5 2 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 15 3	3 4 3	3
Rawalpindi . .	3 12 0	4 7 0	3 10 6	5 12 0	6 2 6	5 10 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	2 7 0	3 0 0	3 14 0	2 15 6	3 3 0	3 8 0	3
Lyallpur . . .	3 11 0	4 5 6	3 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	3
Ambala . . .	3 14 0	4 10 0	3 14 6	5 4 0	6 0 0	5 5 3	2 15 0	3 8 0	3 1 3	3 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 1 0	4
Delhi . . .	3 11 0	4 13 0	4 5 0	6 0 0	6 10 0	6 7 0	2 9 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	2 14 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 1 0	3 3 0	3
Peshawar . .	3 8 3	4 6 2	3 11 6	5 9 5	6 2 5	5 9 0	2 2 8	3 9 10	1 12 11	3 8 1	3 5 1	3 6 9	3 3 10	3 8 0	3
Quetta . . .	4 11 0	4 3 6	4 1 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 6 0	2 15 6	...	...	...	...	...	
Poona . .	4 11 7	5 8 11	...	5 8 0	6 5 2	6 1 2	2 8 0	3 0 11	...	3 9 9	3 9 9	3 8 8	3 12 8	3 14 11	4
Ahmednagar .	3 9 5	5 1 4	4 12 7	5 2 0	6 3 9	...	..	2 10 8	2 1 5	...	2 15 5	2 6 9	3 7 3	...	
Ahmedabad . .	4 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 12 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	2 4 0	3 7 8	3 0 0	2 14 0	4 1 8	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 9 0	4
Nagpur . . .	3 11 5	4 11 2	4 1 11	4 3 8	4 3 8	4 9 10	2 6 8	2 12 10	3 9 4	...	...	...	3 6 8	3 14 0	4
Jubbulpur . .	3 12 2	4 11 4	4 9 1	5 0 0	5 5 5	4 11 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 4	3 14 5	4
Godavari . . .	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Malabar . . .	...	...	...	5 2 11	5 6 10	4 15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER

Districts	Rice, unhusked 1916	Rice, unhusked 1915	Rice, husked* 1916	Rice, husked* 1915	Wheat 1916	Wheat 1915	Flour (wheat) 1916	Flour (wheat) 1915	Barley 1916	Barley 1915	Jawar 1916	Jawar 1915	Bajra 1916	Bajra 1915	Ragi 1916
Burma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	37·65	55·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	38·55	32·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	.	...	32·99	49·61	71·91	63·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	..	...	35·16	55·17	50·79	51·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	37·87	56·14	82·05	91·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	34·97	49·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	40	52·03	68·08	68·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	32·99	49·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	33·09	49·61	49·23	51·61	...	...	...	...	22·38	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	35·75	52·03	...	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	.	40	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*—															
Surma—															
Sylhet (Balaganj)	37·5	32·5	50	60	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	26·25	30·62	45	51·25	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	26·25	32·5	50	60	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	...	...	52·5	55	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	30	38·75	60	70	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	32·5	85	61·87	72·5	43·12	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	32·5	35	50	55	50	57·5	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	26·25	32·5	50	62·5	46·25 to 47·5	57·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	30	31·87	55	61·87	...	47·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	30	22·5	57·5	70	55	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Bihar and Orissa*—															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpur	.	...	50	63·75	38·75	52·5	...	...	31·25	40	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	61·56	66·56	38·12	50	...	...	25	30	...	...	.	...	...
Bihár, south—															
Patna	...	...	41·87	55	32·81	43·75	...	...	26·25	35	24·37	33·28	30·78	...	...
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	45·05	60·94	40·73	50·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
(a) AGRA—															
Eastern—															
Benares	30·57	30·57	52·71	62·97	40·42	48·07	47·71	58·07	29·32	34·9	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	22·5	25	52·5	57·5	40	48·75	46·87	55	30	34·22	23·75	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi	...	...	50·31	55·16	38·91	48·75	..	...	24·53	...	20·78	30·21	...	34·37	...
Western—															
Meerut	21·56	26·56	55·16	56·87	37·03	44·37	40·94	48·44	28·59	29·69	25	34·81	...	...	...
Agra	...	...	69·53	52·97	43·23	51·56	50	55·16	20·58	38·59	26·67	31·74	27·08	39·53	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	25	25	38·12	46·87	37·19	45·62	48·28	58·12	25	30·62	22·5	...	25	...	...
(b) OUDH—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	26·56	40	48·44	39·06	48·44	48·44	57·13	27·6	31·98	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	25	28·75	55·16	59·22	40	53·28	...	...	...	33·28	...	...	..	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	61·54	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	65·98	50	68·82	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	38·79	42·95	57·14	62·14	49·61	62·75	...	...	...	...	..	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	60·95	75·29	68·82	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	43·84	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	21·84	20·38	35·96	40·51	65·98	68·82	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	31·22	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakókku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	69·56	57·14	...	72·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	Sylhet (Balagan
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	50	Goálpara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·5	48·75	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	55	55	70	70	...	...	...	...	100	80	60	65	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	60	75	...	...	...	...	60	100	60	70	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	35	38·75	52·5	63·75	...	...	...	...	58·12	51·25	50	57·5	Calcutta
															Western—
...	...	...	37·5	46·25	50	60	...	...	...	...	70	55	55	50	Burdwan
...	...	...	38·75 to 41·25	47·5	52·5 to 65	67·5	...	...	...	...	52·5	52·5	60	75	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	80	86·87	...	...	...	...	60	46·25	60	62·5	Pabna
...	...	...	76·25	70	75	67·5	...	...	...	...	...	..	55	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa
															Bihar, north—
...	30	28·75	37·5	39·37	37·5	66·25	30	43·12	...	..	55	50	45 to 47·5	52·5 to 67·5	Bhágalpur
...	26·87	30	32·66	38·12	53·12	66·56	25	42·03	...	...	...	.	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
28·75	24·37	28·12	28·59	35·	3?·69	57·5	22·5	40		...	58·75	50	42·19	51·56	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	38·07	43·54	55·62	68·07	38·07	43·28	...		...	...	61·04	75	Cuttack
															United Provinces
															(a) AGRA—
															Eastern—
...	27·13	33·33	31·93	37·03	42·4	62·97	...	...	...	...	48·38	46·87	49·53	46·41	Benares
															Central—
...	21·25	32·5	30·	34·06	43·75	55·	41·25	52·6	23·75	22·5	55·62	50	46·87	48·75	Cawnpore
...	30·	27·19	...	31·87	..	...	..	...	...	22·19	...	...	...	...	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	25·	27·5	30·16	30·78	43·19	53·28	...	...	...	...	53·12	61·56	40	44·69	Meerut
...	...	...	34·01	31·98	61·51	69·53	...	...	18·54	23·49	59·22	53·33	47·08	53·33	Agra
															Submontane, west
.	23·75	30	30·	36·25	40	56·87	...	...	22·5	25	50	43·75	47·5	48·75	Shahjahánpur
															(b) OUDH—
															Southern—
	21·04	30·73	26·67	36·35	...	..	..	...	..	...	47·03	44·13	50	53·33	Lucknow
															Northern—
.	22·19	20·37	29·06	38·75	44·37	61·56	..	..	...	...	...		43·75	...	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER—*continued*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gur*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915
Burma—														
Tenasserim—														
Mergui	...	...	457·14	640	...	...	27·47	21·26	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25·7	25·7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457·14	457·14	...	...	24·62	16·89	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—														
Rangoon	...	...	581·82	533·33	...	...	32·47	22·46	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	.	..	492·31	492·31	..	...	40	26·34	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein		..	640	581·82		...	45·71	28·57	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—														
Henzada	..	...	533·33	492·31	..	...	35·75	25·81	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...		...	36·16	27	...	..	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—														
Mandalay	...	...	640	640	.	...	39·02	27·47	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	581·82	581·82	..	...	45·39	28·57	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—														
Akyab	[illegible]	..	581·82	581·82	...	...	30·77	36·36	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—														
Surma—														
Sylhet (Balaganj)	..	...	525	510	80	95	31·87	22·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—														
Goálpára	..	...	550	470	87·5	102·5	31·25	28·12	...	...	...	..	...	...
Gauhati	..	...	565	525	80	90	32·5	26·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—														
Eastern—														
Chittagong	...	..	540	580	90	85	28·75	21·25	...	..	.		..	...
Dacca	...	...	600	575	117·5	125	32·5	30	..	...	...	..	...	
Deltaic—														
Calcutta	.	...	520	480	70	80	30	22·5	...	...	...	.	...	...
Western—														
Burdwan	...	.	500	500	75	60	25	20	..	...	...	...	...	.
Midnapur	...	...	550 to 580	500 to 550	80 to 85	82·5	31·25	26·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—														
Pabna	...	...	580	550	86·87	105	36·87	27·5	...	...	..	..	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	560	540	100	70	40	30	..	...	...	...	...	..
Bihar and Orissa														
Bihar, north—														
Bhágalpur	80	80	550	460	70	71·87	35	25	150	120	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	533·12	457·5	50	80	26·56	25	160	266·56	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—														
Patna	46·87	50	500	420	60	95	29·37	28·75	15	20	...	...	3·75	...
Orissa—														
Cuttack	65·62	75	538·33	405·21	68·59	53·33	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	5
United Provinces—														
(a) Agra—														
Eastern—														
Benares	48·91	52·4	510·26	510·26	58·07	97·81	28·23	25·31	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—														
Cawnpore	51·87	60	460	440	66·25	90	21·87	17·5	115	100	120	65	...	...
Jhánsi	42·13	50	441·41	426·56	61·56	84·22	22·19	20·47	...	...	...	106·56	2·5	5
Western—														
Meerut	53·33 to 61·51	...	473·75	474·06	80	120	20	17·34		...	...	...	...	...
Agra		66·67	492·29	457·13	76·15	160	20·47	17·34	120	160	150	105	10	5
Submontane, west—														
Shahjahanpur	50	60·91	480	480	68·75	...	22·5	20	180	200	125 to 150	80 to 90	...	...
(b) Oudh—														
Southern—														
Lucknow	..	...	490	460	...	...	24·22	20	...	...	160	90	...	..
Northern—														
Fyzabad	...	...	480	440	51·87	...	25	20·78	...		...	...	2·5	...

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw		Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
														Burma—
														Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	17·16	28·57	...	...	...	...	2·62	2·56	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9	...	...	...	...	2·56	2·25	Moulmein and Amherst
														Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	32·99	32·99	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	11·43	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Bassein
														Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
														Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·83	28·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·06	Pakokku
														Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·44	Akyab
														Assam—
														Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·95	1·97	Sylhet (Balaganj)
														Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·37	2·69	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·03	2·12	Gauhati
														Bengal—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	..	..	1·81	1·84	Chittagong
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·28	Dacca
														Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	2·59	2·17	Calcutta
														Western—
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·27	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·16	Midnapur
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 81	2·19	Pabna
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·87	2·5	Rangpur
														Bihar and Orissa—
														Bihar, north—
...	.	...	...	...	...	23·75	15·62	...	...	...	...	2·54	1·98	Bhágalpur
..	...	...	...	10	10	25	30·78	...	...	..	.	2·05	2·05	Muzaffarpur
														Bihar, south—
...	..	...	...	11·25	11·25	20	22·5	..	...	..	...	2·03	2	Patna
														Orissa—
5·62	5·62	...	...	...	...	7·5	7·5	...	..	..	...	2·75	2·82	Cuttack
														United Provinces—
														(a) Agra—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	25	29·63	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·44	Benares
														Central—
...	...	...	...	10	7·97	24·37	23·75	65	65	...	...	2·97	2·41	Cawnpore
6·67	2·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·56	Jhánsi
														Western—
...	...	...	...	10	7·19	25·78	28·59	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·59	Meerut
12·5	12·5	...	...	7·97	5·68	30·16	30·16	...	...	100	80	3·06	2·69	Agra
														Submontane, west—
...	...	...	...	10	10	33·12	40	40 to 70	60 to 70	50 to 80	50 to 80	3·12	2·56	Shahjahánpur
														(b) Oudh—
														Southern—
...	...	...	...	7·34	10	22·5	23·75	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·47	Lucknow
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	11·25	11·25	...	...	...	...	50	50	2·81	2·44	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER—*continued*

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Rajputana—															
Eastern—															
Ajmer (*a*)	...	26·67	...	...	...	54·37	...	...	...	37·34	...	39·06	...	44·37	...
Delhi—															
Delhi	.	...	60	66·25	36·67	48·12	41·87	51·25	30	33 12	25·62	33·12	28·75	37·5	...
Punjab—															
Southern—															
Ferozepur	25·78	27·5	47·03	57·03	36·41	43·75	40	47·03	26·72	33·28	23·59	36·41	33·28	...	...
Central—															
Lahore	23·44	28·59	47·03	51·56	38·91	44·37	44·37	48·44	29 69	29·69	30·78	30·78	34·69	38·12	...
Submontane—															
Amritsar	25	28·75	48·44	55	37·19	42·03	39·06	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Rawalpindi	...	...	57·5	61·56	37·5	44·37	40	49·37	25	30	25	32·5	30	38·75	...
Western—															
Lyallpur	..	...	60	65	36·87	43·44	41·87	46·25	25	29·37	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	31·25	29·37	45·62	48·75	38·12	43 91	41·87	48·44	28·44	34·69	26·25	33·59	28·44	39·06	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Pesháwar	.	...	55·88	61·51	35·16	43·85	40·26	41·74	20·36	25·62	21·67	36·15	35·05	33·18	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	63·44	...	41·41	46·25	45·1	...	31·41	...	27·03	27·97	30·16	34·22	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karáchi	..	...	50·62	53·75	42·5	44·53	..	...	...	...	26·25	30·62	28·75	41·25	...
Shikárpur	28·75	...	65	62·19	40·62	42 66	...	.	29·53	39 06	27·5	...	23·75	36·25	...
Quetta	.	...	...	...	46·25 to 47·5	40 to 44·37	65 to 75	72·5 to 85	36·25	37·5	32·5	33·75	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan—															
Bombay	37·19	31·77	47·34	52·1	44·43	59·27	...	...	31·77	40·21	27·5	35·62	31·77	40·21	...
Deccan and Karnátak—															
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	31·77	39·32	...	...	..	...	15·57	23·67	...	...	...
Sholapur	..		49·17	47·76	37·6	48·7	...	...	..	...	20·05	23·23	...	32·19	...
Poona	11·77	...	55	63·23	77·24	57 57	...	...	...	44·9	25	30·57	36·09	36 09	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—															
Ahmednagar	..		51·25	61·72	35·88	50·83	...	...	...	...	...	26·67	...	29 63	...
Dhulia	...	...	...		38·85	46·41	...	...	...	...	...	33·33	25·88	33·59	...
Gujarat—															
Surat	...	...	...	...	46·82	51·87	...	...	...	...	27·4	37·5	28·85	...	...
Ahmedabad	..	...	67·5	65	41·25	50	...	...	25	...	22·5	34·79	28·75	41·04	...
Central Provinces* —															
Western—															
Nagpur	...	...	42·31	42·31	37·25	47	50	66·69	...	...	24·19	28	...	...	...
Central—															
Jubbulpore	...	...	50	53·37	37·63	47·06	48·5	59·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern—															
Raipur	35	37	40	39	36	44	44	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	43·5	46·5	34·87	43·75	...	...	...	...	17·81	26	...	...	...
Amráoti	...	...	42·19	49·69	40·44	50·87	...	...	...	...	10 37	28·37	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central—															
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31·9	31·9	...	34·1	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30
Central—															
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23·9	24·7	...	...	...
Cuddapah	40·9	40·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	28	29·4	27·6	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—															
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·5
East Coast, south—															
Madras	30·4	31·1	53	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	34·7	32·6	46·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26·8
Southern—															
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·8	35	40·4	35·1	
Mysore (*a*)—															
Mysore	...	22	...	56	...	56	...	60·47	...	...	...	22	..	...	...
Bangalore	...	24	...	56	...	54	...	67·76	...	...	...	26	.		...

* The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the prices of cleaned rice

(*a*) Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dal		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Rajputana—
...	...	40	...	37·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84·06	...	...	*Eastern—* Ajmer
...	27·5	30	30·62	31·87	42·5	50	...	...	29·69	25	55	50	45	46·87	**Delhi** — Delhi
															Punjab—
...	...	...	29·69	32·66	66·72	80	...	...	35·62	26·72	66·72	66·72	...	...	*Southern—* Ferozpur
...	28·59	44·37	31·41	32·66	48·44	61·56	38·91	50	33·28	28·59	55·16	57·19	45·78	53·28	*Central—* Lahore
...	...	...	29·53	32·66	...	...	...	...	28·91	25·62	50	...	47·5	53·75	*Submontane—* Amritsar
...	28·75	35·62	31·87	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	52·81	48·44	41·87	46·87	*Northern—* Râwalpindi
...	21·25	...	31·25	31·25	...	...	...	...	35	25	...	...	47·5	50	*Western—* Lyallpur
...	25	47·03	29·37	32·19	60	76·25	31·25	36·87	33·12	25·78	55	50	45	55	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	28·18	30·05	32·4	35	43·07	58·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	40·26	47·4	Peshâwar
...	29·01	...	35	36·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·09	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	27·19	...	...	...	...	Karâchi
...	...	...	31·87	35·62	58·12	64·87	...	...	32·5	27·5	...	...	..	37·5	Shikarpur
...	32·5 to 41·25	37·5	...	...	55 to 60	69·37 to 79·37	50	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
...	...	...	31·77	39·17	55·31	60·1	35·73	51·77	25·52	24·48	64·74	58·02	...	...	*Konkan—* Bombay
															Deccan and Karnatak—
...	...	...	36·04	...	...	...	...	...	23·49	...	...	...	...	...	Dharwar
...	...	...	34·84	40·68	44·43	68·75	...	...	21·25	18·65	53·88	49·82	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	37·92	39·32	50·73	72·45	36·46	...	28·07	23·23	...	...	...	...	Poona
															Khandesh and N.-E Deccan—
...	...	...	34·53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	39·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	20·99	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
															Gujarat—
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	35	35·62	65	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
...	...	...	34·19	38·75	48·94	54·06	...	...	24·37	23·75	...	56·44	...	...	*Western—* Nagpur
..	...	...	33·31	39	48·5	59·25	44·44	44·44	28·56	23·5	57·12	48·5	...	...	*Central—* Jubbulpore
...	...	...	30	34·12	42	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
															Berar—
...	...	...	32·19	31·25	41·62	50	...	...	20	18·75	58·56	...	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	36·12	36·12	40·44	50·81	...	...	20	21·06	68·75	61·25	...	...	Amrâoti
															Madras—
..	...	...	55·8	60·7	...	...	...	...	36	38·4	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
29·9	...	...	...	...	40·4	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
...	...	...	46·3	46·3	35·8	46·3	...	...	28·8	28·9	...	...	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
24·2	...	...	...	...	30·6	47·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
...	...	...	42·1	59·5	...	...	58·3	60	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
28·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	35	37·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
															Mysore—
24	...	...	...	35	...	84	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
26	...	...	...	36	...	76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER—*concluded*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915
Rajputana—														
Eastern—														
Ajmer	.	74·53	.	519·11	...	95·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·34
Delhi—														
Delhi	60	75	5·0	520	53·12	100	19·37	17·5	80	80	165	112·5	10	10
Punjab—														
Southern—														
Ferozpur	...	66·72	512·03	518·28	70·09	106·72	26·72	20	106·72	133·28	122·97	94·06	...	...
Central—														
Lahore	59·22	66·72	554·37	533·28	66·72	100	25	15·94	114·22	114·22	152·34	114·22	10	10
Submontane—														
Amritsar	57·5	65	525	500	55	94·06	23·12	14·69	...	...	150	75	...	...
Northern—														
Ráwalpindi	...	...	520	452·5	56·87	72·5	25	13·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—														
Lyallpur	...	...	530	500	55	92·5	26·25	15	...	...	...	..	...	10
Multan	55	60	490	474·06	57·5	76·25	33·12	16·72	110	110	180	137·5	10	8·1
N.-W. Frontier Province—														
Peshâwar	...	...	483·02	492·29	81·51	87·66	19·22	15·36	123·07	136·15	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	556·51	...	66·04	...	17·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—														
Karáchi	...	...	...	465		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	520	500	50	...	...	...	45	58·12	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	540	471·25 to 550	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—														
Konkan—														
Bombay	64·27	65·73	542·86	571·41	84·37	119·74	...	...	...	...	144·22	93·85	8·8	19·22
Deccan and Karnátak—														
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	75·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	417·19	504·69	87·78	123·18	...	...	...	125·26	134·11	100·26	...	...
Poona	...	...	466·07	484·22	85·1	121·04	...	...	196·51	192·97	126·3	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—														
Ahmednagar	. .	...	458·33	...	90·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	57·5	...	465	...	. .	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat—														
Surat	. .	69·17	...	497·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	..	580	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—														
Western—														
Nagpur	63·31	.	550	500	...	...	26·25	22·5	108·31	...	125	90	...	...
Central—														
Jubbulpore	50	53·37	450	435	...	...	26·62	22·19	80	80	177·75	88·87	...	...
Eastern—														
Raipur	...	...	475	420	...	...	25	26·25	160	140	80	66	...	...
Berar—														
Akola	57·12	...	500	400		...	22·19	19	95	95·25	...	...	...	...
Amráoti	61·5	...	550	400	...	...	22·5	17·06	142·29	124·44	...	...	3·19	...
Madras—														
South, central—														
Coimbatore	67·2	72·4	503·1	487·8	57·6	105·6	17·5	19·5	...	...	128	96	...	...
Salem	...	...	487·5	488	...	...	...	...	171·3	171·3	85·7	91·4	...	...
Central—														
Bellary	62	...	537·2	507·9	67·5	111·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	526·3	427·7	...	...	...		...	...	117	80·7	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82·3	164·5	108·6	78·5	...	...
East Coast, central—														
Nellore	...	...	.	483·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—														
Madras	...	70·8	559·6	559·6	79	111·1	15·3	14·1	141·6	120·2	118·5	74·1	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	466·7	...	...	23·4	13·1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	540·5	540·5	...	...	20·6	17·5	128·4	128·4	...	...	...	...
Southern—														
Madura	66·7	84·2	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	...
Mysore(a)—														
Mysore	...	72	...	497·13	...	111·41	...	...	...	205·68	...	77·13	...	4·79
Bangalore	...	60	...	582·86	...	120	...	...	...	*274·27	...	94·27	...	8·8

* Figures have not so far been reported

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw		Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
														Rajputana— *Eastern—*
...	8·59	...	17·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80 to 90	...	2·56	Ajmer
														Delhi—
...	...	...	15·62	11·25	8·75	22·5	25	80	80	200	150	2·28	2·19	Delhi
														Punjab— *Southern—*
...	...	...	5	8·91	7·34	25	28·59	142·5	112·5	225	175	3·16	2·59	Ferozepur
														Central—
...	...	...	...	10·78	8·91	28·59	28·59	150	150	170	170	3·12	2·64	Lahore
														Submontane—
...	...	...	...	11·25	9·37	22·5	23·44	120	120	...	...	3·12	2·64	Amritsar
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	13·2[illegible]	10	...	...	90	90	120	120	3·25	2·44	Ráwalpindi
														Western—
...	...	...	...	7·97	6·56	23·12	23·12	110	110	140	140	3·25	2·81	Lyallpur
...	...	5	3·28	10	6·41	27·19	25	100	100	...	...	3·25	2·67	Multan
														N.-W. Frontier Province
...	...	...	...	5·68	6·15	20·21	22·34	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·37	2·92	Peshámar
...	...	...	...	14·17	...	27·97	...	...	...	...	...	3·56	2·87	Dera Ismael Khan
														Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·73	2·22	Karáchi
...	...	...	...	8·75	6·25	...	21·25	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·51	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	10	7·13	30	31·25	120 to 220	100 to 200	...	...	2·97	2·48	Quetta
														Bombay— *Konkan—*
...	...	...	...	...	...	20·52	30·36	...	...	...	...	2·84	2·28	Bombay
														Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87·5	80	...	...	2·91	2·41	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·09	2·09	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·8	2·3	Poona
														Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·59	37·13	...	...	...	...	2·08	2·06	Ahmadnagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·42	Dhulia
														Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	...	26·25	22·5	...	...	...	...	3·19	2·5	Ahmedabad
														Central Provinces— *Western—*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65 to 75	70 to 80	190 to 195	125 to 200	2·5	2·19	Nagpur
														Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	60	60	70	70	2·12	1·81	Jubbulpore
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·25	2·25	Raipur
														Berar—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97	88	60	56	2·5	2·19	Akola
...	...	4·94	...	...	...	...	...	70	50	70	55	2·12	2·19	Amráoti
														Madras— *South, Central—*
...	...	4	4	...	...	90·5	90·4	...	...	60	60	2·96	2·24	Coimbatore
7·7	7·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	2·53	2·19	Salem
														Central—
...	...	10·3	10·3	...	...	...	...	100	100	140	140	3	2·38	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·88	2·24	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·31	2·75	Karnul
														East Coast, Central—
5·7	4·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·04	1·79	Nellore
														East Coast, south—
...	...	...	...	...	...	30·9	30·9	188	195	...	...	2·09	1·78	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	13·4	5·2	170	90	...	...	2·71	2·14	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	...	38·2	41·1	...	...	...	...	3·1	2·52	Trichinopoly
														Southern—
15	15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	60	60	2·69	2·06	Madura
														Mysore—
...	5·1	...	4·43	...	...	...	40	...	100	...	100	...	2·78	Mysore
...	8·8	...	...	...	...	...	38·8	...	160	...	120 to 150	...	2·62	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER 1916

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half month of report	Previous half month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	9 11	10 1	10 6	10 13	...	...	...	...
Maubin	4 10	4 5	...	...	9 2	8 9	10 7	10 7	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 10	10 9	10 9	...	...	...	...
Henzada	5 9	5 9	...	...	9 1	9 11	9 11	10 —	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	7 12	7 12	...	...	8 9	8 9	11 3	11 3	16 5	16 5	...	...
Bhamo	...	...	...	...	9 2	10 7	9 12	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pakókku	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	17 8	17 8	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 10	10 10	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu	3 8	3 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	..	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	5 8	6 —	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Cachar	4 —	4 4	...	...	5 —	5 8	6 —	7 7	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	6 15	6 13	...	...	...	...
Manipur	15 —	19 —	...	...	12 —	15 —	13 —	17 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	8 —	8 —	...	...	4 4	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati)	7 —	7 8	...	...	5 10	5 8	7 12	3 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang	...	...	...	...	6 —	5 12	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	.	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 6	7 8	...	...	...	...
Backerganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 4	...	...	...	...
Maimonsingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 14	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 14	6 6	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 14	5 14	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 4	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	.	..	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 5	11 3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	...	...	4 15	4 15	10 2	12 2	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	6 4	7 —	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	7 15	7 15	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 9	9 9	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Henzada
...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	9 8	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	4 13	4 13	8 5	8 5	Thayetmyo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	16 —	16 —	5 12	5 12	8 9	8 9	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	8 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakókku
...	...	...	...	18 5	18 5	42 12	42 12	15 10	15 10	14 —	14 —	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 4	11 6	11 6	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 4	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	Akyab
												Assam—
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	7 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	6 8	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 8	10 —	11 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	8 14	8 14	6 4	6 4	9 8	9 4	Khási and Jáintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	..	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...	..	...	...	4 —	4 —	18 —	19 —	4 —	4 8	6 —	8 —	Manipur
...	...	..	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	..	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	10 —	7 —	6 8	11 —	11 —	Goálpára
...	...	..	...	8 —	8 —		...	6 4	6 8	11 4	11 —	Kámrúp (Gauhati)
...	..	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	9 —	9 —	Darrang
...	...	..	.	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	..	7 8	7 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 —	10 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	Lakhimpur
												Bengal—
												Eastern—
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 —	14 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 8	10 8	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 —	12 8	12 —	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	6 —	11 12	11 12	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...		...	...	...	...	6 —	6 8	11 —	11 —	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 8	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 8	11 8	24-Parganas
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 1	7 1	11 —	11 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 —	11 —	11 —	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	6 2	13 —	14 8	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	5 8	11 4	11 4	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 12	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 4	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	...	..	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Bhágalpur	10 5	10 2	12 12	13 5	...	...	8 —	7 9	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	9 5	9 5	15 6	15 6	...	...	8 4	7 11	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	10 —	9 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Sáran	10 —	10 —	13 8	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Champáran	10 8	10 8	18 —	17 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas	8 —	7 8	10 —	11 8	...	...	8 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	10 —	10 —	16 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Gaya	9 8	9 6	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 8	8 —	13 —	13 —	...	...
Patna	12 —	11 —	...	15 8	...	...	9 8	8 12	16 —	15 8	13 —	...
Shahabad	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum	9 4	9 —	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Mánbhum	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	13 —	13 —
Ranchi	9 12	9 12	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 4	8 —	...	...	10 —	...
Palámau	9 13	10 2	12 15	14 10	...	...	8 9	8 7	...	...	...	...
Hazáribágh	8 8	8 4	10 —	...	...	...	7 8	7 4	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	8 13¾	9 3	...	...	...	...	8 8	9 3	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	9 13	9 3	...	...	..	...	8 14	9 3	...	...	...	...
Balasore	8 —	7 —	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 10	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	10 8	10 — to 10 8	...	...	...	...	10 2	9 9 to 9 12	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur*	...	9 —	..	11 —	...	6 —	...	8 —	...	12 —	...	10 8
Benares	9 10	9 8	13 9	13 —	5 7	6 14	7 5	7 3	...	...	...	...
Ghazipur	9 8	9 4	11 7	10 10	5 4	5 —	7 14	7 7	14 4	13 —	11 12	11 6
Jaunpur	9 12	10 —	13 10	13 8	3 12	3 12	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 4	4 8	4 8	8 4	8 4	13 8	13 8	13 4	13 4
Central—												
Bánda	10 4	10 4	12 14	12 14	5 —	4 —	7 14	7 14	17 8	17 8	15 8	15 8
Fatehpur	9 12	10 —	16 —	14 —	3 8	3 8	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur	9 2	9 2	10 2	10 2	4 12	4 12	6 12	6 12	15 8	14 12	13 14	13 14
Jalaun	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Cawnpore	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 4	...	...	7 —	6 12	16 4	16 —	13 8	13 —
Jhansi	10 —	9 13¼	16 1	15 6	4 12	4 11	7 11	7 11	18 15	19 11½	...	...
Etáwah	9 10	9 12	13 2	13 4	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	15 4	15 12	13 8	13 12
Farrukhabad	10 1	10 1	13 10	15 —	4 1	4 1	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Mainpuri	9 8	10 —	12 8	13 —	5 —	5 —	8 —	9 —	15 —	14 —	14 —	13 —
Etah	9 8	9 12	13 —	13 2	4 —	4 —	9 —	8 4	14 —	14 —	14 —	...
Western—												
Meerut	10 8	10 8	14 —	14 —	3 —	3 —	7 —	7 —	15 8	15 —	...	...
Agra	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	5 8	5 8	...	...	14 12	14 12	14 4	14 4
Muttra	10 —	10 —	14 12	15 —	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	16 —	16 —	17 —	17 —
Aligarh	9 12	10 —	12 8	12 —	3 8	3 8	5 —	5 —	16 —	16 —	15 —	14 —
Bulandshahr	10 —	9 8	12 —	12 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 — to 7 —	16 —	16 —	12 —	11 —
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	9 2	9 7	13 10	12 5	5 8	5 3	8 7	7 13	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh	9 8	9 4	13 —	13 —	6 —	6 —	9 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	11 4	11 —	14 8	14 4	7 8	7 4	11 4	9 —	...	...	...	...
Basti	11 —	11 4	14 —	14 —	5 12	5 8	12 8	11 —	...	...	...	...

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[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	8 —	6 8	13 —	16 —	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	7 —	7 —	12 12	11 —	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 8	10 12	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 12	9 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 8	12 —	12 —	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	12 —	12 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	9 8	9 8	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	8 —	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	16 —	15 —	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Purnea
...	...	...	...	10 10	11 6	13 5	...	10 10	10 10	11 —	..	Bhágalpur
13 3	14 5	...	...	12 1	12 1	13 12	14 5	7 11	7 11	11 —	12 1	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	...	11 8	14 8	14 —	7 —	7 —	14 8	14 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	12 —	Sáran
16 —	16 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	18 8	16 —	6 12	6 12	12 —	12 —	Champáran
												Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	16 — to 22 —	20 — to 30	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	16 —	13 —	20 —	20 —	10 8	11 —	12 4	12 4	Monghyr
15 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12	14 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	12 12	12 12	Gaya
...	12 8	10 —	10 —	14 —	12 12	16 —	...	10 —	9 8	13 —	12 12	Patna
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	12 8	12 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 8	11 —	Singbhum
..	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Mánbhum
20 —	20 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	13 —	13 —	6 4	6 4	11 —	11 —	Ranchi
...	..	...	...	11 10	12 15	...	...	10 2	10 2	12 6	11 13	Palámau
18 —	16 —	...	...	10 8	11 —	20 —	16 —	8 —	7 —	11 —	11 8	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	..	10 2	9 13	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	10 8	9 13	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	12 8	13 —	Balasore
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 — to 8 —	6 8 to 7 8	14 —	15 —	Sambalpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...		10 —		10 —	..	13 —	...	9 —	..	14 —	Mirzapur
...	...	10 5	10 5	12 1	12 3	14 1½	.	8 1½	8 1½	13 8	14 1	Benares
...	...	...	...	11 4	10 10	14 4	13 —	8 6	8 6	14 7	14 7	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	12 5	12 8	14 11	13 8	9 12	9 12	14 6	14 6	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 12	...	...	10 4	9 8	17 8	17 8	Allahabad
												Central
..		..		13 4	13 4		..	8 8	8 8	16 8	16 8	Banda
...	..		10 8	13 —	13 12	13 —	...	10 —	10 8	16 —	16 —	Fatehpur
...	..	...	...	13 10	13 2	...	...	8 4	8 4	14 12	14 12	Hamirpur
...	...	...	...	14 —	15 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	Jalaun
...	...	12 8	12 8	12 13	12 13	18 —	20 8	9 —	9 —	17 8	17 8	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	13 1	13 15½	...	21 —	7 —	6 8	17 8	17 8	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	17 —	18 —	9 4	9 4	15 8	15 —	Etawah
		...	..	13 —	13 —	17 1	14 10	9 9	8 14	19 9	18 7	Farrukhabad
18 —	18 —	...	...	11 8	11 4	15 —	16 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Mainpuri
...	..	...	...	11 4	11 2	14 —	14 8	9 —	9 —	18 —	18 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	15 8	15 —	9 —	9 —	20 —	20 —	Meerut
...	..	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	19 —	19 —	Agra
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	22 —	22 —	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	Muttra
...	...	7 —	7 —	...	11 8	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	11 13	11 12	15 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 5	13 10	13 —	8 7	7 13	16 14	16 14	Ballia
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	15 8	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	11 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	..	12 8	12 12	...	...	8 8	8 6	14 —	13 4	Gorakhpur
.	..	...	...	13 —	13 4	16 —	17 —	9 —	9 8	16 —	16 —	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER 1916—*continued*

DISTRICTS	WHEAT (*Triticum Sativum*)		BARLEY (*Hordeum vulgare*)		RICE — Best sort		RICE — Common		JAWAR OR CHOLUM (*Andropogon sorghum*)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces—*continued*												
(a) AGRA—*continued*												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	10 10	10 8	...	15 —	3 —	8 —	10 —	9 4	16 —	16 —	15 —	14 —
Budaun*	...	9 9	...	12 10	...	4 —	...	7 8	...	14 8	...	13 1
Pilibit	10 8	10 8	14 8	14 8	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bareli	10 4	10 2	14 8	14 12	3 12	3 8	8 10	7 12	14 —	13 4	...	12 12
Moradabad*	...	10 —	..	12 8	...	4 4	...	8 10	...	13 12	...	...
Bijnor	10 4	10 4	14 —	14 —	3 4	3 4	6 8	6 8	...	..	...	14 —
Muzaffarnagar	10 8	11 —	13 2	13 2	6 9	6 9	8 4	8 4	12 5	12 5	11 —	...
Sahâranpur	10 2	9 13	13 4	12 8	3 7	3 3	7 7	6 14	..	...	11 11	9 9
Dehra-Dun	10 —	9 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 14	7 8	13 —	13 —	11 —	11 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal*	.	7 —	...	9 8	...	2 12	...	6 —	...	...	...	8 —
Almora	6 12	6 12	7 8	7 8	3 —	2 12	5 13	6 —	...	...	..	...
Garhwâl	5 4	4 12	8 4	8 —	3 —	3 —	4 8	4 —	...	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
Partabgarh	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	8 —	10 —	16 —	14 —	13 —	12 —
Sultanpur	10 8	10 8	14 8	15 8	5 —	5 —	11 —	10 8	...	...	...	...
Rae-Bareli	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	9 4	8 8	16 —	16 —	14 —	11 —
Unao	9 14	9 14	13 12	13 12	5 —	4 8	8 10	8 8	...	...	...	...
Lucknow	10 —	9 12	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	7 —	15 8	16 —	...	...
Hardoi	10 8	10 6	14 —	13 —	3 —	3 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Fyzabad	9 12	9 14	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 12	6 8	15 —	15 —	10 —	10 —
Barabanki	10 15	10 15	14 2	14 4	4 8	4 7	10 1	9 5	11 —	10 8	10 2	10 2
Gonda	11 —	11 —	15 —	15 —	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	15 —	14 —	11 —	10 8
Bahraich	11 8	11 4	17 8	17 8	5 —	5 —	8 —	7 12	18 —	18 —	15 8	16 —
Sitapur	11 —	10 12	16 —	15 8	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	11 —
Kheri	10 12	11 —	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 8	19 —	20 —	15 8	16 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	8 11	8 10	10 11	10 14	5 —	5 1	5 12	5 12	20 —	15 14	9 4	8 11
Ajmer*	..	8 —	..	11 4		4 8	...	6 —	...	15 —	...	13 —
Kishangarh	9 8	9 —	12 —	11 4	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	17 —	14 —	16 —	12 4
Tonk	8 9	8 3	11 13	11 13	4 7	4 8	5 9	5 10	17 —	13 13	17 —	...
Jaipur	9 7	9 3	12 —	12 —	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	19 5	17 4	13 14	12 9
Karauli	8 12	8 14	12 3	13 13	6 14	6 10	8 2	7 13	20 —	18 7	20 —	16 4
Dholpur	9 8	9 3½	14 2	13 8	5 —	4 12	5 4	5 —	18 —	16 14	18 5	15 14
Bharatpur	9 —	9 —	13 10	13 6	4 5	4 5	4 14	4 14	13 —	15 9	16 —	13 11
Alwar*	10 5	...	13 10	...	4 10	...	5 14	...	15 12	...	16 8	...
Nasirabad	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	18 —	16 —	14 —	14 —
Western—												
Bikaner	9 4	9 4	13 —	12 8	4 12	4 8	6 12	6 8	16 —	14 —	13 —	12 —
Jaisalmer	8 4	8 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 6	5 6	11 11	10 12	10 2	9 14
Jodhpur	7 4 and 8 5	8 4 and 8 11	11 9	12 2	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	18 5	14 15	11 — and 12 4	11 11 and 13
Central India—												
Indore	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	28 —	24 —	18 —	16 —
Neemuch	11 —	10 12	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	22 —	19 —	11 —	11 —
Gwalior*	...	9 8	...	...	...	4 12	...	6 8	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	10 4	10 4	13 —	12 8	8 —	8 —	5 —	5 —	15 —	14 —	13 8	13 8
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	10 8	10 12	14 8	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	17 8	17 —	13 12	13 12
Ferozepur	10 12	10 12	14 8	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	11 8	11 8
Central—												
Lahore	10 —	10 8	13 4	13 4	...	...	8 —	8 12	12 12	12 12	11 —	11 —
Gujranwala	11 4	11 —	16 8	16 8	...	...	8 —	7 8	19 —	19 —	11 12	11 12
Gujrat	11 4	11 8	15 —	14 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	13 —	15 —	11 —
Jhelam	11 —	11 —	15 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	14 —	12 —	11 —

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Marua or ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												United Provinces— *continued*
												(a) Agra—*continued*
												Submontane, west—
...	...	19 —	18 —	13 —	...	15 8	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	Shahjahánpur
...	...	...	10 —	...	11 9	...	16 2	...	8 —	...	17 —	Budaun
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 5	17 2	16 —	9 4	9 —	18 —	16 12	Bareli
...	...	...	13 —	1...	11 10	...	14 12	...	8 8	...	17 12	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	16 —	16 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 1	15 6	14 5	5 8	5 8	17 8	17 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	15 6	...	8 8	8 8	17 8	17 8	Sahéranpur
12 —	12 —	...	...	1 14	11 14	16 —	15 —	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	8 8	...	10 —	...	5 —	...	10 —	Naini Tal
8 —	7 12	...	...	7 12	7 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 8	9 —	Almora
...	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 8	5 4	Garhwál
												(b) Oudh—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	Partábgarh
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 4	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 —	14 —	Sultanpur
20 —	18 —	14 —	12 8	14 —	14 8	12 —	11 —	10 —	10 —	12 —	15 —	Rae-Bareli
...	...	16 —	16 —	18 8	13 4	12 12	19 —	...	8 8	16 8	16 8	Unao
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	18 —	16 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Lucknow
...	...	19 8	20 8	18 8	18 8	20 —	20 —	9 —	9 —	14 8	15 —	Hardoi
												Northern—
...	...	11 —	8 8	13 8	13 6	17 8	17 4	8 4	8 4	15 8	15 8	Fyzabad
17 8	20 —	16 8	16 8	16 6	16 8	17 13	18 —	9 7	9 3	13 14	15 12	Barabanki
...	...	11 —	8 8	14 8	14 8	17 —	14 8	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	Gonda
...	...	6 —	6 —	15 —	15 —	22 —	17 8	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	Bahraich
...	...	18 —	18 8	14 8	14 8	20 —	20 —	9 8	9 —	16 —	16 —	Sitapur
20 —	20 —	9 —	8 8	14 —	14 —	18 —	18 —	9 —	9 —	17 —	17 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	9 10	10 2	10 —	9 12	19 4	15 14	6 13	7 4	14 10	14 12	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	...	4 —	...	11 —	...	16 —	...	...	...	16 —	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	12 —	10 4	17 —	14 —	...	...	21 —	20 4	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	10 9	9 5	17 —	13 8	...	...	16 —	16 14	Tonk
...	...	11 —	11 —	12 — and 14 10	11 8 and 12 —	18 5	15 2	10 —	10 —	20 —	20 —	Jaipur
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 5	22 —	20 4	...	...	17 8	17 8	Karauli
...	...	9 —	8 —	11 8	11 10	...	...	7 8	7 6	18 —	18 —	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	11 6	10 13	18 8	14 4	7 4	7 4	18 8	18 8	Bharatpur
...	...	9 8	...	12 11	...	16 —	...	14 —	...	21 4	...	Alwar
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 12	...	...	7 8	7 —	20 —	20 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	17 —	17 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	7 7	8 9	...	...	...	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	11 10	12 7	...	...	6 —	6 —	18 —	20 —	Jodhpur
												Central India—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 —	28 —	19 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Indore
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Neemuch
...	...	...	18 —	...	12 —	...	...	...	9 —	...	17 —	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	14 —	...	9 —	9 —	20 —	20 —	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 12	14 8	...	...	...	...	19 —	18 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	...	...	5 8	5 8	14 —	14 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	10 8	10 8	12 8	12 8	13 8	13 8	8 —	8 —	15 —	15 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...	15 —	14 8	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	14 —	16 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 12	14 —	14 8	5 12	5 12	15 —	14 8	Jhelam

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Punjab—*continued*												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	10 4	9 12	14 —	13 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 8	14 8	17 —	14 —
Rohtak	11 —	11 —	13 8	13 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	17 —	16 —
Karnál	11 —	10 8	15 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	18 —	...	...
Submontane—												
Ambala	10 4	10 6	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 4	7 —	12 12	12 12	10 8	9 12
Ludhiana(*a*)	...	10 —	...	18 —	...	...	...	6 —	...	14 —	...	10 —
Jullundur	11 —	11 —	13 8	12 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —
Hoshiárpur	11 —	11 4	13 —	15 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	14 —	14 —	10 —	10 —
Gurdáspur	12	12 —	12 8	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	15 —	15 —	...	...
Amritsar	10 12	11 8	14 —	15 —	...	...	7 12	8 2	18 —	19 8	11 —	10 —
Siálkot	11 —	11 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Simla	9 —	9 —	10 12	10 12	...	...	6 4	5 12	10 —	10 —	9 4	9 8
Kángra	12 —	11 8	14 8	14 —	...	...	8 12	8 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	10 6	10 6	15 8	14 8	...	...	6 12	6 12	15 8	15 8	13 —	11 8
Attock	11 —	10 12	17 8	16 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	11 4	11 —
Western—												
Sháhpur	11 8	12 8	15 —	13 —	...	...	6 12	6 —	...	12 8	13 4	11 4
Jhang	10 8	10 8	12 12	12 4	...	...	7 —	6 8	18 —	16 —	13 —	12 —
Lyallpur	10 11	10 8	16 —	15 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Multan	10 4	10 8	13 8	13 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	14 8	14 8	13 8	13 8
Montgomery	10 4	10 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —
Muzaffargarh	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	10 —	10 —	13 —	12 8	...	...	6 9	9 —	12 —	10 —	13 —	10 —
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	10 8	9 10	16 8	15 4	6 9	3 9	7 8	6 14	...	...	8 —	8 —
Pesháwar	11 4	11 4	19 8	17 4	4 9	4 9	6 13	6 8	18 4	18 3	11 —	11 —
Kohát	10 3	9 10	16 12	15 5	3 13	3 9	9 9	8 14	15 5	14 —	16 2	14 10
Bannu	11 14	12 5	19 1	19 3	4 2	4 2	7 8	7 8	20 —	20 —	16 4	12 8
Dera Ismael Khan	9 6	9 —	12 8	12 10	3 8	3 8	6 4	6 4	14 8	12 8	13 —	12 8
Tochi	13 —	11 12	24 —	20 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Kurram	11 —	11 —	19 —	19 —	8 4	8 —	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	11 —	10 8	13 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	8 2	8 1	11 —	11 4	2 13	2 13	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	8 —	8 —		...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	10 8	10 8
Hyderabad	9 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	8 —	7 8	13 —	12 —	13 —	11 —
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	8 8	9 4	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	15 —	13 —	12 8	12 —
Shikárpur	9 8	10 —	...	...	5 4	5 4	5 12	5 12	14 —	13 —	16 —	13 —
Upper Sind Frontier	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 4	6 4	6 12	6 12	12 —	12 —	16 —	14 —
Quetta	8 6 to 8 10	8 3 to 8 10	10 8	10 4	3 4	3 2	6 8	7 —	11 10	11 9	11 1	11 1
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 13	6 5	...	...	5 5	5 9	7 4	7 12	12 8	12 8	11 —	11 —
Ratnagiri	6 3	6 3	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 3	7 3	10 9	10 9	9 7	9 7
Alibág	6 5	6 5	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 3	7 3	...	...	8 5	8 5
Bombay	*7 10	*7 10	...	...	4 13	4 13	7 —	7 —	11 10	11 —	8 15	8 15
Thanna	8 13	8 13	...	...	6 6	6 6	6 15	6 15	12 7	12 7	10 15	10 15
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	11 3	11 3	...	...	7 12	7 12	8 10	8 10	17 15	18 14	12 3	13 2
Belgaum	10 1	10 10	...	...	6 13	6 13	8 1	8 5	15 9	16 10	15 15	15 15
Satara	9 11	9 —	...	...	4 13	4 13	5 14	5 14	15 6	15 6	12 13	13 8
Sholapur	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 15	6 15	7 9	7 9	19 15	19 15	12 10	12 10
Bijapur	12 15	12 15	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 13	7 13	22 6	18 10	17 3	18 2
Poona	8 6	8 6	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 11	6 11	15 10	15 10	10 13	10 13
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	10 5	9 9	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	16 8	16 8	12 10	12 10
Násik	10 5	10 5	...	...	5 15	5 14	6 10	6 10	...	...	11 10	10 14
Dhulia	10 3	10 3	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	13 13	13 13	12 15	12 15
Jalgaon	8 7	8 —	...	...	5 14	6 10	7 10	7 10	17 8	17 8	14 —	14 —
Gujarat—												
Surat	8 1	7 6	...	...	5 5	5 5	7 6	7 6	12 15	12 15	12 —	10 10
Broach	9 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	10 —
Kaira	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	15 —	14 —	13 —	12 —
Baroda	9 —	8 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —
Ahmedabad	9 —	8 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	16 —	14 —	13 —	12 —
Godhra	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	15 —	15 —
Disa	9 8	10 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	5 4	5 4	20 —	15 8	13 —	15 —
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	10 —	10 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 8	5 8	15 —	15 —	13 8	13 8
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	10 2	10 2	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	22 11	20 10	...	...
Hoshangabad	11 2	11 2	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	17 6	18 8	...	...
Betul	10 12	10 12	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 11	7 11	22 2	19 11	...	...
Chhindwara	11 4	11 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 12	8 12	21 6	21 6	...	...
Nagpur	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 3	5 3	9 2	9 2	15 7	15 7	...	...
Wardha	10 10	11 4	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 15	8 15	19 3	19 3	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

(*a*) Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 12	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Gurgáon
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	14 —	16 —	17 —	16 —	8 —	7 —	15 —	18 —	Karnál
												Submontane—
15 8	15 8	9 12	9 12	12 12	12 8	15 —	15 —	7 12	7 8	18 —	16 —	Ambala
...	...	...	7 8	...	13 —	...	17 8	...	5 —	..	16 —	Ludhiána
...	...	8 —	9 —	12 12	12 12	15 —	15 —	...	...	12 12	15 4	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	16 —	17 —	6 —	..	14 —	16 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	11 8	16 —	15 —	...	...	14 —	14 8	Gurdáspur
...	...	12 12	10 —	18 4	18 —	16 —	17 —	7 12	7 12	16 8	16 8	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	14 —	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 8	15 —	5 4	5 4	10 —	10 —	Simla
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	16 —	16 —	6 —	6 —	11 8	11 4	Kángra
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	12 4	11 12	13 8	14 8	6 9	...	15 8	14 —	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 3	15 —	14 8	7 —	7 —	13 4	17 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 —	16 —	15 —	7 —	6 —	15 8	16 —	Sháhpur
13 —	13 —	11 8	11 8	12 4	12 —	17 —	16 —	...	...	13 —	14 8	Jhang
...	...	...	...	...	12 —	18 12	18 12	6 8	7 —	14 —	14 —	Lyallpur
...	...	11 —	10 8	13 —	12 8	15 8	15 8	6 8	6 8	11 8	14 8	Multan
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 2	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 6	12 8	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 4	5 —	5 —	4 5	4 6	14 8	17 8	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 13	13 8	15 4	...	..	12 8	12 8	Hazára
...	...	9 2	8 13	12 4	11 13	16 15	15 15	9 2	8 8	20 2	20 2	Peshávar
...	...	10 —	10 —	11 15	10 13	14 13	13 11	...	...	21 11	22 15	Kohát
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 5	20 —	19 1	...	...	24 1	25 —	Bannu
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 2	13 8	12 8	...	...	22 —	25 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 —	12 8	...	...	20 —	20 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	14 —	14 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	15 —	13 —	...	...	15 —	15 —	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 —	10 8	...	...	...	...	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Karáchi
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	20 —	19 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...	16 —	14 —	Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	...	...	7 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	11 1	10 12	9 2 to 11 7	8 11 to 10 11	6 2 to 6 10	4 8 to 5 8	16 —	16 —	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
14 7	13 8	...	...	10 1	8 11	...	...	6 12	...	16 7	16 7	Karwar
10 13	10 13	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	6 5	6 5	18 3	18 13	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 5	6 5	17 9	17 9	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	...	9 10	9 10	...	...	6 2	6 2	15 10	15 10	Bombay
10 12	10 12	...	...	9 6	9 6		...	5 15	5 15	17 14	17 14	Thanna
												Deccan and Karnáták—
...	...	...	...	10 5	10 5	...	...	7 15	7 15	12 3	12 9	Dharwar
17 14	18 14	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 5	7 13	16 14	16 14	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	...	...	8 14	8 14	15 4	15 4	Satara
...	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	...	...	8 6	8 6	15 —	16 8	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	12 15	12 15	...	...	7 14	7 14	17 11	17 11	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 1	10 1	...	...	6 14	6 14	15 15	15 15	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 5	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 12	13 12	Ahmednagar
16 2	14 6	...	...	10 12	11 8	...	...	7 4	6 8	15 7	16 11	Násik
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	7 9	7 9	14 —	14 —	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 15	10 8	...	...	7 14	7 7	15 15	18 —	Jalgáon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	5 12	5 12	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	21 5	21 5	Broach
15 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	24 —	24 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 13	6 12	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	22 —	22 —	Ahmedabad
17 8	17 8	...	...	12 —	11 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	6 —	6 —	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	90 —	90 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	7 7	7 7	15 12	14 14	Nimar
...	...	...	...	14 15	14 15	...	...	9 2	9 2	16 —	16 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 13	...	...	7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	...	...	7 15	7 15	14 —	13 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 5	...	...	7 15	7 15	13 —	14 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 6	9 6	17 —	17 —	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER 1916—*concluded*

DISTRICTS	WHEAT (*Triticum Sativum*)		BARLEY (*Hordeum vulgare*)		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLUM (*Andropogon sorghum*)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (*typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Central Provinces— *continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	9 9	9 9	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 13	6 13	16 —	16 —	...	...
Saugor	10 4	10 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 8	8 4	17 —	18 8	...	...
Damoh	11 11	11 6	...	...	6 11	7 5	7 11	8 5	20 12	20 12	...	...
Jubbulpore	10 6	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Mandla	12 —	11 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	10 12	10 8	...	...	7 —	6 8	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Bálághát	10 10	9 15	...	...	5 7	5 7	9 10	9 10	...	...	...	...
Bhandára	10 11	10 11	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	20 3	20 3	...	...
Chánda	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	17 13	17 13	...	...
Eastern—												
Biláspur	11 11	10 11	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 11	10 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Drug	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	11 6	10 11	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 6	6 6	21 10	20 5	...	...
Akola	9 11	9 11	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	21 —	21 —	...	...
Amráoti	9 12	9 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	19 4	20 4	...	...
Yeotmal	9 15	9 15	...	...	4 7	5 9	8 10	9 3	21 —	20 8	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	7 9	7 9	9 —	9 —	4 1	4 1	8 5	8 2	14 —	14 —	17 9	18 6
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 —	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 10	13 5	12 15	10 12	10 4
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	16 10	16 10	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	13 7	13 7
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	16 5	16 8	...	...
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godávari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	22 —	22 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 6	11 6	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 1	13 1	11 8	11 8
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 14	12 8	12 8	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...		...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...			...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot			...	...	...	...	7 —	6 13	...	...	11 10	11 12
Tanjore		...		...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	12 5	12 5
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	13 12	13 12	11 10	11 10
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 11	8 11	14 2	13 5	11 10	11 10
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 —	11 —	...	9 9
Mysore*—												
Mysore	...	7 8	...	5 12	...	6 —	...	7 —	...	16 —	...	...
Bangalore	...	7 —	...	8 6	...	5 8	...	6 4	...	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	5 8	5 8	7 12	7 4	...	...	...	...
Aden	5 1	4 10	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 1	4 6	8 15	8 10	8 —	8 —

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*)		KANGNI OR KAKUN ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*)		MAIZE (*Zea Mays*)		ARHAR DÁL (*Cajanus Indicus*)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces —*continued*
												Central—
...	...	...	...	12 15	12 15	...	...	7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	11 12	12 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	14 —	15 8	Saugor
...	...	...	...	13 11	14 5	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 —	15 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 9	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 1	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	14 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	14 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	7 13	7 13	10 13	13 2	Bálághát
...	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	...	...	7 9	7 9	11 11	11 11	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	10 —	8 12	14 14	14 14	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	9 14	9 2	10 11	10 11	Biláspur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	15 —	15 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 8	13 8	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	12 9	13 9	...	...	7 11	7 11	14 5	14 5	Buldána
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	..	8 6	8 6	14 —	14 —	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	9 12	9 12	17 —	17 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 1	9 1	15 11	14 13	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad –
18 4	19 6	...	...	10 1	10 —	...	...	11 4	11 10	12 —	13 11	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 6	17 10	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 11	15 11	S. Canara
												South, central—
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 7	17 5	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 3	15 14	Salem
												Central—
16 13	16 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 14	16 14	Bellary
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	Anantapur
16 4	17 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 3	14 3	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	15 3	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
15 15	14 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 13	17 —	Ganjam
14 4	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Vizagapatam
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
11 13	12 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 2	20 2	Guntur
12 14	13 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 5	12 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 4	22 15	Madras
11 10	11 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 8	20 8	Chingleput
14 13	14 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 —	18 11	N. Arcot
14 1	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
14 13	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 6	18 6	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
15 9	15 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 13	19 3	Tinnevelly
14 1	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	19 6	19 6	Madura
												Mysore—
...	16 —	...	..	...	8 —	...	...	...	...	...	14 —	Mysore
...	15 —	...	...	...	7 —	.	...	...	7 —	...	15 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
17 —	17 —	...	...	16 8	16 —	...	..	6 8	6 8	13 8	15 —	Coorg
...	...	...	...	8 —	7 7	...	...	6 3	6 3	32 —	32 —	**Aden—**

WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE FIRST HALF OF OCTOBER 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5
	Aligarh	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 8	4 11 8	4 11 8	4 11 8	5 1 4
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5
	Index Numbers (a).	100	100	102	103	104	105

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

NOTE—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India per maund of 82 2/7 lbs.

Fortnight ending										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0
3 12 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0
4 13 6	5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4
4 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5
5 5 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5
3 11 6	3 15 7	1 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (White)*	5 4 3	4 12 3	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy).	4 15 2	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 3 6	4 13 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0
Punjab	Lahore	4 13 6	4 3 3	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 6
	Ferozepur	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Lyallpur	4 10 0	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0
	Amritsar	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 7 9	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0
	Multan	4 6 0	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 6	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0
	Ambala	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6
Delhi	Delhi	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 15 3	4 13 11	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5
	Aligarh	4 8 8	4 3 6	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5
	Cawnpore	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0
	Meerut	4 8 6	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Agra	4 11 3	4 7 1	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1
	Fyzabad	4 9 2	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0
	Lucknow	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0
	Jubbulpore	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10
	Akola	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 8 7	4 8 7	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 2 0	4 15 6	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3
Bombay	Poona	5 7 10	5 6 2	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4
	Ahmednagar	4 1 1	...	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0
	Dharwar	3 3 5	3 7 0	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0
	Cuttack	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
	Mandalay	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 11 3	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2
	Index Numbers (a)	114	109	103	104	104	106

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India per maund of 82⅞ lbs—*contd.*

Fortnight ending									
15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 6 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0
...	...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4
4 12 0	4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0
4 0 0	4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0
4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0
3 14 0	4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6
4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0
4 5 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0
4 6 5	4 6 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3
4 9 4	4 7 5	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0
4 3 6	4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0
4 2 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3
4 7 1	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4
4 9 6	4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8
4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 5 10	4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7
4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7
4 7 2	4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5
3 15 7	3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10
3 13 4	4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2
4 0 5	3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6
5 4 1	5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11
4 13 9	4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8
4 12 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4
3 8 1	3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9
4 8 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 8 0	4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0
4 10 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0
4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3
5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7
4 7 1	4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7
107	108	114	111	114	116	115	117	118	117

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0
Punjab	Lahore	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0
	Ferozepur	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0
	Lyallpur	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0
	Amritsar	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0
	Multan	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0
	Ambala	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0
Delhi	Delhi	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10
	Aligarh	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0
	Cawnpore	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Meerut	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9
	Shahjahanpur	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0
	Agra	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1
	Fyzabad	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3
	Lucknow	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10
	Jubbulpore	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6
	Raipur	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	...	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2
	Akola	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4
Bombay	Poona	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4
	Ahmednagar	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8
	Amedabad	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0
	Dharwar	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Bhagalpur	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0
	Ranchi	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0
	Cuttack	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9
Bengal	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1
	(Median Average)	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0
	Index Numbers (b)	117	118	117	117	114	113	101	95

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.
(a) Prices at ports after 15th October 1916.

Ports	Rate per	On 27th October 1916.	On 3rd November 1916.	On 10th November 1916.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 7 3	4 8 9	4 9 9
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy.)	"	4 6 6	4 10 2	4 10 2
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	4 4 6	4 6 0	4 6 0

(b) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*concld.*

Fortnight ending: 15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	On 15th October 1916	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th October 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
3 12 9	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3	4 4 9	+1
4 8 9	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	−1
4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	*Nil*
3 9 0	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 [illegible]	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	+5
3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	*Nil*
3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	*Nil*
3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	+8
3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	+3
3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	*Nil*
3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	+2
4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	*Nil*
4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	*Nil*
4 6 0	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6	−5
3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	+2
3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	*Nil*
4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 8 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	*Nil*
3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	+2
3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	−2
3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	*Nil*
3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2	−4
3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	*Nil*
3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10	*Nil*
3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	*Nil*
4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	−1
4 4 11	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	+13
3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5	−1
4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	−3
2 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	−2
	4 0 0	3 13 0											
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	−5
3 12 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	−2
3 13 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	−5
5 0 0	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	*Nil*
4 5 9			4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	*Nil*
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	*Nil*
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 12 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 11 9	4 14 9	*Nil*
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0	−1
92	92	92	92	92	90	93	92	94	97	97	95	94	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th October as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915 :—

	1916.			1915.		
	30th September.	15th October.	Increase or Decrease.	30th September.	15th October.	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	99	−1	100	99	−1
Punjab . .	100	101	+1	100	99	−1
United Provinces .	100	99	−1	100	102	+2
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	100	*Nil*	100	96	−4

B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8
7 8	6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12
9 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12
10 0	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12
10 4	9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0
9 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4
9 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12
9 12	7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0
8 8	8 6	8 1⅛	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 6	6 8	6 12	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4
8 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0
8 8	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0
8 12	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14
9 8	8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4
9 8	8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2
8 4	8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15
8 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4
9 8	8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0
7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2
9 13	9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2¼	7 4¾	7 1	7 8½
6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2
7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0
10 0	9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8
9 0	8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8
8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0
7 14	7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9
7 8	7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12
112	120	121	128	127	137	137	150	147	135	123

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 0	9 0	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12
	Ferozepur	8 0	9 8	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12
	Amritsar	7 14	8 8	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0
	Rawalpindi	8 12	8 14	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12
	Lyallpur	8 8	9 8	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12
	Multan	9 0	10 4	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4
	Ambala	7 8	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6
Delhi	Delhi	7 12	9 0	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0
United Provinces.	Benares	7 13	7 13	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8
	Cawnpore	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Meerut	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8
	Agra	8 0	8 8	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Lucknow	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	8 2	8 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4
	Shahjahanpur	8 12	9 10	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14
	Fyzabad	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 15	8 15	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Akola	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	7 13	8 1	8 4	8 8½	8 11¼	9 0	10 0
Bombay	Poona	6 13	7 2	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8
	Bhagalpur	8 12	8 14	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	8 14
	Muzaffarpur	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0
	Cuttack	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5
	(Median Average)	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers(*a*)	116	112	106	106	108	109	112

(*a*) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* **[The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.]**

Fortnight ending										
31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8
10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 13	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12
8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0
8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4
8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4
9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0
8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14
8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6
9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11
10 2	9 13¾	9 11⅓	9 10⅓	9 8⅓	9 8	9 0⅓	8 4⅔	8 4⅓	8 6	8 9½
7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3
7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14
8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0
10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0
8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4
7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14
8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
112	116	116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0
	Bombay*	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8
	Ferozepore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Amritsar	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12
	Rawalpindi	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0
	Lyallpur	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0
	Multan	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4
	Ambala	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8
Delhi	Delhi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0
United Provinces	Benares	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8	8 15
	Cawnpore	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	9 8	10 0	10 8
	Meerut	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0
	Agra	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4
	Lucknow	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0
	Aligarh	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Shahjahanpur	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12
	Fyzabad	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11
	Jubbulpore	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4
	Raipur	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4
	Akola	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 8⅓	8 6⅓	8 6⅓	8 6⅓	8 8⅓	8 11	9 4	9 1
Bombay	Poona	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0
	Muzaffarpur	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0
	Ranchi	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8*	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0
	Cuttack	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3	9 3	9 13
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12
	(Median Average)	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 0⅓	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Index Numbers (a)	120	120	118	116	106	96	96	96

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*concld.* [**The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.**]

Fortnight ending											Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th October 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	*Nil*
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	*Nil*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0	+5
11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12	*Nil*
12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12	+7
10 12	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6	*Nil*
12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11	−2
12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	+2
11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4	+1
10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	*Nil*
...	9 12	9 12		9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10	−1
10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8	10 8	*Nil*
9 4	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 [illegible]	9 0	9 0	*Nil*
11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	−3
11 0	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	+3
12 8	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	−1
11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12	+1
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	*Nil*
11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	−4
11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	*Nil*
10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11	*Nil*
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	*Nil*
9 1	9 0¾	9 0	9 0	9 2¼	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6	8 8	−1
8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6	*Nil*
9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5	−7
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	−6
10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	*Nil*
10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	−8
10 0	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5	−2
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0	−5
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	*Nil*
9 13	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	−6
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	*Nil*
10 6	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
92	96	96	92	94	96	96	98	97	96	96	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th October as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915 :—

	1916.			1915.		
	30th September	15th October	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	30th September	15th October.	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	100	*Nil*	100	98	− 2
Punjab . .	100	101	+1	100	99	−1
United Provinces.	100	101	+1	100	100	*Nil*
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	99	− 2	100	97	− 3

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lb.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	KARACHI.				BOMBAY (DELHI No. 1 WHITE PESSY).		CALCUTTA (CLUB No. 2).	
	WHITE (5% BARLEY, 3% DIRT AND 30% RED).		RED (5% BARLEY, 3% DIRT AND 92% RED).					
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9¼	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9¼	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	..	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 29th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 9th " "	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	33 11	95
" 16th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8	94
" 23rd " "	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 2	92
" 30th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
" 21st " "	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8	94
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96
" 4th August "	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 18th " "	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 25th " "	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " "	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	96
" 8th September "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
" 15th " "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½	98
" 22nd " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 29th " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 5th October "	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...	...
" 13th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 20th " "	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
" 27th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
" 3rd November "	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 10th " "	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades, taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi.		Red Karachi.		Delhi.		Choice White Bombay.		Club No. 1.		Club No. 2.	
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-August.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
1st August ,,	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October ,,	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November ,,	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December ,,	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th ,, ,,	Nominal	...	...	..	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	100
30th ,, ,,	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	103
8th January 1915	52 3 May-June.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
4th February ,,	61 0 Do.	151	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th ,, ,,	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	128
4th March ,,	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	118
8th April ,,	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	127
6th May ,,	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	129
12th ,, ,,	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 June-July.	126	64 3 Do.	127	68 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June ,,	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
2nd July ,,	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
23rd ,, ,,	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August ,,	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
27th ,, ,,	54 0	137	56 1¼	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
3rd September ,,	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	..	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th September 1915 to 18th April 1916.	No sellers	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June ,,	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
17th ,, ,,	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd ,, ,,	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th ,, ,,	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 29th June to 7th July '16.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-August.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd ,, ,,	59 0 July-August.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th ,, ,,	61 3 July-August sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th August ,,	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th ,, ,,	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th ,, ,,	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..
25th ,, ,,	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st ,, ,,	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September ,,	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th ,, ,,	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd ,, ,,	71 0 Oct. sellers.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
28th ,, ,,	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October ,,	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th ,, ,,	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...
21st ,, ,,	75 6 Oct.-Nov. sellers	191	Do.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
[illegible] ,, ,,	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November ,,	79 0 paid	200	Do.	...	79 6 sellers.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th ,, ,,	80 0 passage.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Nominal.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...

COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 1 of 1916-17

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 15th September, 1916.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs. each) (*a*)	Percentage to total for India (*a*)	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs. each)
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda			194	16	1,977
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)			167	...	...
Madras			55	23	(*b*)9,588
Punjab (including Native States)			92	...	...
United Provinces			80	7	333
Sind			16	...	...
Burma			16	...	...
Bihar and Orissa			...	...	...
Bengal			3	...	...
Assam			...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province			1	...	...
Ajmer-Merwara			14	...	...
Delhi			1	...	...
Hyderabad			41	...	...
Central India			32	...	...
Rajputana			10	...	...
Mysore			3	...	...
TOTAL			725	46	11,898

(*a*) Preliminary estimates of the outturn of the cotton crop of the season 1916-17 will not be available until the third week of December.

(*b*) Figures for the weeks ending 9th and 16th September, 1916.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 15th September 1916.

(Season 1916-17, *i e.*, from 15th September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs. each).
1	2	3	4
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	177	43	5,449
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	3	1
Madras	14	9	(a) 7,531
Punjab	3	2	531
United Provinces	15	2	44
Sind	3	...	...
Bengal	10	9	3,844
Ajmer-Merwara	2	...	...
Delhi	2	2	70
Hyderabad	3	1	..
Central India	3	1	371
Rajputana	1	...	...
Mysore	2	...	...
TOTAL	245	72	17,841

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(a) Figures for the weeks ending 9th and 16th September, 1916.

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IMPORTS INTO CHIEF PORTS DURING SEPTEMBER, 1916

RETURN SHOWING the QUANTITIES of the PRINCIPAL STAPLES of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE IMPORTED into CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, KARACHI and MADRAS PORTS by RAIL, RIVER and SEA during SEPTEMBER, 1916

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TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SELECTED ARTICLES IN SEPTEMBER 1916.

The object of the tables below is to show the quantities of the principal staples of agricultural produce imported from the various provinces, etc., and from foreign countries into the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi, and the Madras ports during the month of September 1916, and for the six months April to September 1916, as compared with the corresponding periods of 1915. The statistics include foreign sea-borne and coasting trade as well as inland (rail and river-borne) trade. They have been furnished by Collectors of Customs, Steamer Companies, Railway Audit Officers, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, etc.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SEPTEMBER 1915 AND 1916.

It will be seen from Table I, that the imports by rail, river and sea in September 1916, as against the corresponding month of 1915 show (in round numbers) an increase of—

184 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour.)

(153,600 tons as against 54,000 tons last year.)

60 per cent in linseed.

(29,900 tons as against 18,600 tons last year.)

54 per cent in rape and mustard seed.

(18,800 tons as against 12,200 tons last year.)

22 per cent in jute.

(882,500 bales as against 725,400 bales last year.)

8 per cent in rice (including paddy).

(71,800 tons as against 66,400 tons last year.)

5 per cent in tea.

(36,581,800 lbs. as against 34,818,200 lbs. last year.)

2 per cent in gram and pulse.

(34,200 tons as against 33,600 tons last year.)

The imports of raw cotton by rail, river and sea into ports show a decrease of 65 per cent (70,900 bales as against 201,000 bales last year) due mainly to smaller exports from the United Provinces, the Punjab, Rajputana and Central India, Bombay, the Central Provinces and Berar and the Nizam's Territory.

It will be seen from Table IV (wheat, excluding wheat flour) that the principal sources of the imports in September 1915 were the Central Provinces and Berar, the United Provinces, and the Punjab. During the corresponding month of 1916, the Punjab sent by far the largest quantity, namely, 66 per cent of the total. Table XI shows the *exports* out of India of wheat (including wheat flour) month by month during the last five years.

NOTE.—One bale of cotton or jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.
One maund is equivalent to $82\frac{2}{7}$ lbs.
One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SIX MONTHS ENDING SEPTEMBER 1915 AND 1916.

The six months' figures in table I show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

35 per cent in rice (including paddy).
(510,500 tons as against 785,000 tons last year.)

34 per cent in raw cotton.
(1,098,800 bales as against 1,672,400 bales last year.)

33 per cent in jute.
(1,810,800 bales as against 2,691,200 bales last year.)

18 per cent in tea.
(117,778,200 lbs. as against 143,424,300 lbs. last year.)

15 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).
(731,600 tons as against 856,300 tons last year.)

9 per cent in gram and pulse.
(212,000 tons as against 231,900 tons last year.)

Imports of linseed by rail, river and sea into ports show an increase of 65 per cent (245,800 tons as against 148,800 tons last year) mainly on account of larger exports from the United Provinces, Bihar and Orissa and the Central Provinces and Berar. The increase of 29 per cent (111,500 tons as against 86,700 tons last year) in rape and mustard seed is accounted for by larger exports from up-country into the ports mainly from the United Provinces.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SEPTEMBER 1916 AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS MONTH.

As compared with August 1916, the imports in September 1916 into the ports referred to above show (in round numbers) an increase of—

111 per cent in jute.
(882,500 bales as against 418,800 bales previous month.)

51 per cent in rape and mustard seed.
(18,800 tons as against 12,400 tons previous month.)

41 per cent in gram and pulse.
(34,200 tons as against 24,300 tons previous month.)

28 per cent in tea.
(36,581,800 lbs. as against 28,625,000 lbs. previous month.)

and a decrease of

25 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).
(153,600 tons as against 206,100 tons previous month.)

19 per cent in raw cotton.
(70,900 bales as against 87,800 bales previous month.)

15 per cent in rice (including paddy).
(71,800 tons as against 84,800 tons previous month.)

14 per cent in linseed.
(29,900 tons as against 34,900 tons previous month.)

The Statistics for September 1915 and 1916, as also for the six months ending September 1915 and 1916, together with those for August and September 1916 are summarised below:—

SUMMARY TABLE I.

(1) Articles	(2) Imports, September 1915	(3) Imports, September 1916	(4) Imports, April to September 1915	(5) Imports, April to September 1916	(6) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in September 1916, as compared with September 1915	(7) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in Six months, April to September 1916, as compared with Six months April to September 1915
	bales	bales	bales	bales	Per cent	Per cent
Cotton, raw . . .	200,957	70,870	1,672,390	1,098,769	—64·7	—34·3
	tons	tons	tons	tons		
Wheat (excluding wheat flour)	53,972	153,564	856,339	731,636	+184·5	—14·6
Rice (including paddy)	66,449	71,834	785,026	510,502	+8·1	—35
Gram and Pulse . .	33,563	34,196	231,871	212,013	+1·9	—8·6
Linseed . .	18,627	29,855	148,772	245,773	+60·3	+65·2
Rape and Mustard seed .	12,157	18,788	86,672	111,407	+54·5	+28·6
	bales	bales	bales	bales		
Jute	725,437	882,500	2,691,222	1,810,817	+21·7	—32·7
	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs		
Tea	34,818,169	36,581,804	143,424,332	117,778,198	+5·1	—17·9

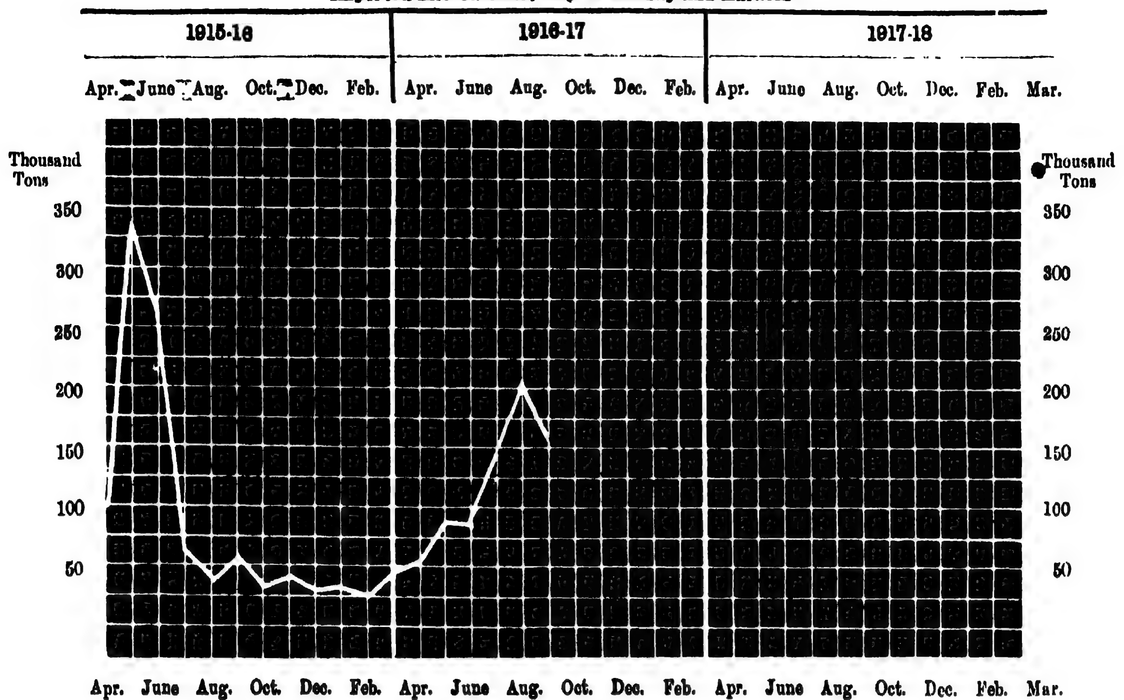
SUMMARY TABLE II.

Articles	Imports, August 1916	Imports, September 1916	Increase (+) or decrease (—) of Imports in September 1916 as compared with August 1916
	bales	bales	Per cent
Cotton, raw	87,820	70.870	—19·3
	tons	tons	
Wheat (excluding wheat flour) . . .	206,092	153,564	—25·5
Rice (including paddy)	84,757	71,834	—15·2
Gram and Pulse	24,326	34,196	+40·6
Linseed	34,891	29,855	—14·4
Rape and Mustard seed	12,443	18,788	+51
	bales	bales	
Jute	418,835	882,500	+110·7
	lbs	lbs	
Tea	28,624,978	36,581,804	+27·8

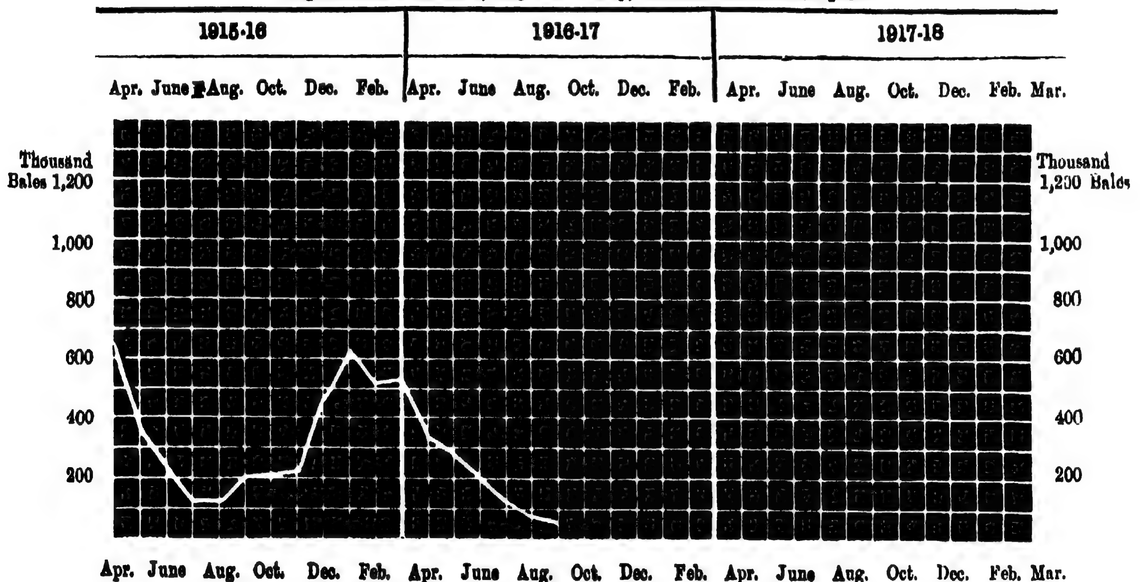
The annexed chart shows the course of the monthly imports of wheat, cotton and jute from April 1915 to September 1916 :—

IMPORTS BY RAIL, RIVER AND SEA OF WHEAT, COTTON AND JUTE FROM APRIL 1915 TO SEPTEMBER 1916

WHEAT
Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay and Karachi



COTTON (RAW)
Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay, Karachi and Madras ports



JUTE (RAW)
Imported into Calcutta

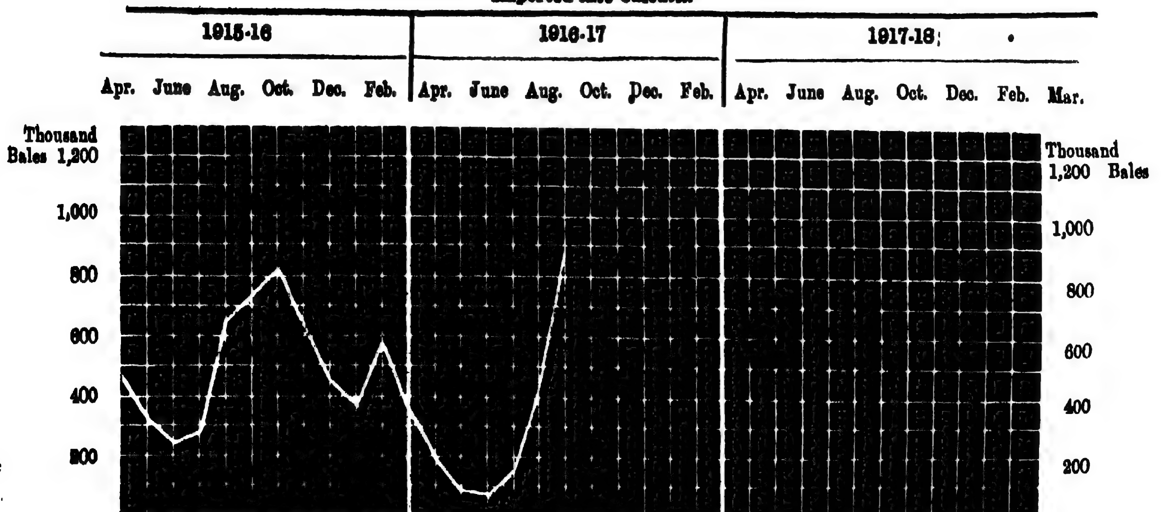


TABLE III.—Cotton, raw

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		Madras ports		TOTAL	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Imports in September										
	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales
By Rail and River—										
Assam		16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16
Bengal	3,119	211	57	...	...	...	...	...	3,176	211
Bihar and Orissa	59	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	59	86
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	816	302	27,651	6,044	209	...	...	...	28,676	6,346
Punjab	..	.	10,512	5,020	21,207	3,983	...	...	31,719	9,003
Sind and Br. Baluchistan		.	..	...	489	251	...	...	489	251
Raj and C. India	...	...	15,033	8,771	...	...	...	...	15,033	8,771
Bombay	319	.	34,270	4,796	...	...	32	4,049	34,621	8,845
Central Provinces and Berar	1,628	2,431	16,181	2,589	...	...	...	...	17,809	5,020
Nizam's Territory	...	...	12,969	1,104	...	...	3,785	501	16,754	1,605
Madras	105	489	1,444	5,690	...	...	19,405	10,747	20,954	16,926
Mysore	.	...	376	...	...	...	845	290	1,221	290
TOTAL	6,106	3,535	118,493	34,014	21,905	4,234	24,067	15,587	170,571	57,370
By Sea—										
Bengal	8,222	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	8,222	..
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	980	...	980
Sind and Br. Baluchistan		...	8,555	3,531	...	...	...	...	8,555	3,531
Madras	515	142	2,541	1,675	...	...	...	...	3,056	1,817
Burma	21		..	...	...	...	...	...	21	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	..		9,871	5,827	...	...	...	...	9,871	5,827
Foreign Countries	1	1	655	1,344	...	...	5	...	661	1,345
TOTAL	8,759	143	21,622	12,877	...	...	5	980	30,386	13,500
TOTAL IMPORTS	14,865	3,678	140,115	46,391	21,905	4,234	24,072	16,567	200,957	70,870
Imports from April to end of September										
By Rail and River—										
Assam	878	541	...	...	...	...	...	...	878	541
Bengal	33,122	16,043	57	85	...	...	..	...	33,179	16,128
Bihar and Orissa	914	822	...	...	...	...	...	...	914	822
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	5,468	3,857	100,943	29,392	215	21	..	...	106,626	33,270
Punjab	1,603	9	34,201	17,164	68,302	19,295	...	...	104,106	36,468
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...		...	...	40,970	7,381	...	...	40,970	7,381
Raj. and C. India	449	16	130,570	88,112	13	...	...	...	131,032	88,128
Bombay	5,585	4,357	451,516	202,962	..	197	7,956	14,776	465,057	222,292
Central Provinces and Berar	20,058	32,154	157,845	144,350	...	...	...	...	177,903	176,504
Nizam's Territory		295	86,517	45,636	...	...	8,472	1,307	94,989	47,238
Madras	1,475	7,205	29,294	84,841	...	...	158,447	167,560	189,216	259,606
Mysore	101	...	11,997	5,096	...	...	4,271	2,099	16,369	7,195
TOTAL	69,653	65,209	10,02,940	617,638	109,500	26,894	179,146	185,742	1,361,289	895,573
By Sea—										
Bengal	10,485	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,485	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	3,823	1,071	2,158	1	1,391	57	6,846	3,286	14,218	4,415
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	76,051	22,734	...	...	...	...	76,051	22,734
Madras	7,427	6,596	28,064	17,845	...	...	...	30	35,491	24,471
Burma	3,726	873	146	188	...	...		...	3,872	1,061
Non Br. Ports in India	...	...	167,628	147,131	...	...	24	...	167,652	147,131
Foreign Countries	1	374	3,327	3,007	...	...	54	3	3,382	3,384
TOTAL	25,462	8,914	277,374	190,906	1,391	57	6,924	3,319	311,151	203,196
TOTAL IMPORTS	95,115	74,218	1,280,314	808,544	110,891	26,951	186,070	189,061	1,672,390	1,098,769

NOTE.—Provinces named in the first column include their chief port or ports. "Madras ports" includes the ports of Madras, French Ports (Pondicherry with its suburb Villianur and Karikal, exclusive of sea imports from Non-British Ports and Foreign countries), Negapatam, Tuticorin, Calicut, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Cuddalore, Cochin, Tellicherry, Cannanore, Masulipatam, Mangalore, Quilon, Porto Novo, Badagara and Dhanushkodi

One bale of cotton is equivalent to 400 lbs.

TABLE IV.—Wheat (excluding wheat flour)*

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
	Imports in September							
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Bengal	121	72	...	...	...	...	121	72
Bihar and Orissa	160	1,286	...	...	...	...	160	1,286
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	11,863	10,949	159	1,028	15	7,509	12,037	19 486
Punjab	1,236	118	635	1,689	9,689	98,943	11,560	100 750
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	3,081	6,504	3,081	6,504
Raj. and C. India	15	313	846	4,534	...	48	861	4 895
Bombay	...	...	2,603	2,830	...	...	2,603	2,830
Central Provinces and Berar	15,522	5,487	1,403	10,607	...	...	16,925	16,094
Nizam's Territory	...	...	19	372	...	...	19	372
Madras	4	...	...	..	...	...	4	...
Mysore	...	...	7	..	...	...	7	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	28,921	18,225	5,672	21,060	12,785	113,004	47,378	152,289
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	1	...	3	1	4	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	4,777	77	...	...	4,777	77
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	1,813	1,197	...	...	1,813	1,197
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	...	...	6,591	1,274	3	1	6,594	1,275
TOTAL IMPORTS	28,921	18,225	12,263	22,334	12,788	113,005	53,972	153,564
	Imports from April to end of September							
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Bengal	879	355	...	211	...	...	879	566
Bihar and Orissa	3,522	7,273	...	...	...	...	3,522	7,273
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	109,446	55,328	26,454	5,445	76,593	10,616	212,493	71 389
Punjab	20,377	4,110	23,485	19,322	444,349	462,721	488,211	486,153
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	37,567	32,845	37,567	32,845
Raj. and C. India	148	1,105	22,192	21,667	257	95	22,597	22 867
Bombay	96	10	17,468	12,973	...	...	17,564	12,983
Central Provinces and Berar	29,764	33,951	27,381	46,923	..	...	57,145	80,874
Nizam's Territory	...	...	710	1,230	...	...	710	1,230
Madras	22	5	110	10	...	...	132	15
Mysore	...	...	13	1	...	...	13	1
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...
TOTAL	164,254	102,137	117,813	107,782	558,766	505,777	840,833	715,696
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	6	11	75	17	81	28
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	7,185	11,227	284	...	7,469	11,227
Madras	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...
Burma	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	9
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	7,821	4,671	130	...	7,951	4,671
Foreign Countries	...	3	3	...	...	2	3	5
TOTAL	...	12	15,017	15,909	489	19	15,506	15,940
TOTAL IMPORTS	164,254	102,149	132,830	123,691	559,255	505,796	856,339	731,636

* See also Table XI

TABLE V.—Rice (including paddy)*

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916	Karachi 1915	Karachi 1916	Madras ports 1915	Madras ports 1916	TOTAL 1915	TOTAL 1916
Imports in September								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Bengal	6,341	7,118	...	...	...	...	6,341	7,118
Bihar and Orissa	571	1,527	...	...	...	99	571	1,626
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	128	48	...	...	...	...	128	48
Punjab	38	26	821	246	...	...	859	272
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	7,700	8,320	...	...	7,700	8,320
Raj and C. India	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	13	...	...	4	12	4	25
Central Provinces and Berar	1,663	102	...	...	...	...	1,663	102
Nizam's Territory	..	...	...	...	39	34	39	34
Madras	6,404	437	...	...	22,498	23,196	28,902	23,633
Mysore	...	...	...	...	57	397	57	397
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	15,145	9,272	3,521	8,566	22,598	23,738	46,264	41,576
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	70	..	...	...	...	...	70
Bombay	...	...	7	11	45	22	52	33
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	67	17	...	...	67	17
Madras	2,206	...	...	...	12	...	2,218	...
Burma	10,004	26,855	...	...	893	3,109	10,897	29,964
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
Foreign countries	7,331	39	...	1	119	134	7,450	174
TOTAL	19,541	26,964	74	29	570	3,265	20,185	30,258
TOTAL IMPORTS	34,686	36,236	3,595	8,595	23,168	27,003	66,449	71,834
Imports from April to end of September								
By Rail and River—								
Assam	43	95	...	...	...	...	43	95
Bengal	64,858	61,297	...	...	4	390	64,862	61,687
Bihar and Orissa	2,539	8,999	...	...	15	1,603	2,554	10,602
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	277	99	1	25	...	1	278	125
Punjab	96	220	1,756	3,410	...	...	1,852	3,630
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	1	30,412	42,775	...	...	30,412	42,776
Raj. and C. India	459		...	...	...	...	459	...
Bombay	4	62	1	...	59	35	64	97
Central Provinces and Berar	2,182	2,415	...	...	9	51	2,191	2,466
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	...	471	237	471	237
Madras	27,684	9,275	...	...	144,550	105,659	172,234	114,934
Mysore	...	...	...	...	63	1,063	63	1,063
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	98,142	82,463	32,170	46,210	145,171	109,039	275,483	237,712
By Sea—								
Bengal	23	...	...	...	1	87	24	87
Bihar and Orissa	78	881	...	...	...	...	78	881
Bombay	6	12	137	82	4,196	960	4,339	1,054
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	147	...	569	317	62	34	778	351
Madras	6,459	...	...	1	300	123	6,759	124
Burma	360,640	190,178	...	...	118,865	76,921	479,005	267,099
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	2
Foreign Countries	18,438	2,649	...	1	126	642	18,564	3,292
TOTAL	385,786	193,670	706	408	123,051	78,717	509,543	272,790
TOTAL IMPORTS	483,928	276,133	32,876	46,618	268,222	187,756	785,026	510,502

* One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice

TABLE VI.—Gram and Pulse

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916	City of Bombay 1915	City of Bombay 1916	Karachi 1915	Karachi 1916	TOTAL 1915	TOTAL 1916
Imports in September								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	1,928	2,559	...	...	...	...	1,928	2,559
Bihar and Orissa	2,444	2,396	599	53	...	394	3 043	2,843
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	5,938	8,821	1,753	1,033	1.401	2,077	9,037	11,931
Punjab	2,846	865	4,765	3,290	3,508	1,906	11,119	6,061
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	2	...	...	119	1,070	119	1 072
Raj. and C. India	255	441	272	384	102	31	629	856
Bombay	62	50	2,272	2.557	...	...	2 334	2,607
Central Provinces and Berar	893	1,259	1,823	3,325	19	...	2,735	4 584
Nizam's Territory	102	463	515	405	...	...	617	868
Madras	...	221	23	...	...	...	23	221
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	14,463	17,077	12,022	11,047	5,149	5,478	31,634	33,602
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	72	27	20	133	92	160
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	164	24	16	4	180	28
Madras	...	...	15	...	...	...	15	...
Burma	192	9	...	...	...	...	192	9
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	82	30	...	...	82	30
Foreign Countries	154	...	1,214	367	...	...	1,368	367
TOTAL	346	9	1,547	448	36	137	1,929	594
TOTAL IMPORTS	14.809	17,086	13,569	11,495	5,185	5,615	33,563	34,196
Imports from April to end of September								
By Rail and River—								
Assam	2	9	...	...	...	...	2	9
Bengal	13,522	24,885	45	196	...	...	13,567	25,081
Bihar and Orissa	18,925	11,681	758	449	...	881	19,678	13,011
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	40,978	48,240	10,920	20,435	8,624	14,620	60,522	83,295
Punjab	15,410	1,555	29,121	10,912	36,381	15,053	80,912	27,520
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	2	35	...	4,527	6,704	4,562	6.706
Raj. and C. India	718	2,052	2,597	2,406	912	175	4,227	4,633
Bombay	96	79	14,245	9,332	23	35	14,364	9.446
Central Provinces and Berar	7,721	8,749	15,952	26,570	19	...	23,692	35,319
Nizam's Territory	171	590	1,690	2,590	...	...	1,861	3,180
Madras	265	584	126	43	...	...	391	627
Mysore	...	...	7	26	...	...	7	26
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	97,808	98,426	75,491	72,959	50,486	37,468	223,785	208,853
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	19	2	...	...	...	...	19	2
Bombay	1	...	413	103	113	469	527	572
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	1,158	577	18	53	1.176	633
Madras	137	52	30	...	...	..	167	52
Burma	1,451	160	29	371	...	...	1,480	531
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	783	178	85	1	818	179
Foreign Countries	519	54	3,878	1,136	2	1	3,899	1,191
TOTAL	2,127	268	5,791	2,365	168	527	8,086	3,160
TOTAL IMPORTS	99,935	98,694	81,282	75,324	50,654	37,995	231,871	212,013

TABLE VII.—Linseed

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916	City of Bombay 1915	City of Bombay 1916	TOTAL 1915	TOTAL 1916
	Imports in September					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	...	71	...	22	...	93
Bengal	554	912	...	15	554	927
Bihar and Orissa	2,885	5,212	808	2,766	3,643	7,978
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	788	774	5,700	10,563	6,488	11,337
Punjab	...	...	5	...	5	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	..	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...	4,474	3,274	4,474	3,274
Bombay	...	...	708	529	708	529
Central Provinces and Berar	...	14	1,609	3,889	1,609	3,903
Nizam's Territory	...	...	965	1,534	965	1,534
Madras	...	10	15	24	15	34
Mysore	...	...	1	13	1	13
TOTAL	4,177	6,993	14,285	22,629	18,462	29,622
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay		...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	31	...	31
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	..	...	141	198	141	198
Foreign Countries	16	...	8	4	24	4
TOTAL	16	...	149	233	165	233
TOTAL IMPORTS	4,193	6,993	14,434	22,862	18,627	29,8[illegible]5
	Imports from April to end of September					
By Rail and River—						
Assam	159	1,789	...	37	150	1,776
Bengal	1,797	8,629	...	1,705	1,797	5,334
Bihar and Orissa	41,592	54,451	968	18,603	42,555	72,954
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	22,764	18,257	18,547	65,418	41,311	83,675
Punjab	...	...	6	47	6	47
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	5		5
Raj. and C. India	567	411	25,666	20,073	26,233	20,484
Bombay	...	...	5,660	6,842	5,660	6,842
Central Provinces and Berar	505	655	13,546	32,128	14,051	32,783
Nizam's Territory	...	...	14,726	18,455	14,726	18,455
Madras	...	19	168	478	168	497
Mysore	...	...	2	32	2	32
TOTAL	67,384	79,161	79,284	163,728	146,668	242,884
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	5	.	1	1	6	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	8	31	8	31
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	1,965	2,794	1,965	2,794
Foreign Countries	67	...	63	63	130	63
TOTAL	72	...	2,032	2,889	2,104	2,889
TOTAL IMPORTS	67,456	79,161	81,316	166,612	148,772	245,773

TABLE VIII.—Rape and Mustard Seed

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916	City of Bombay 1915	City of Bombay 1916	TOTAL 1915	TOTAL 1916
Imports in September						
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	73	114	...	...	73	114
Bengal	88	19	2	...	90	19
Bihar and Orissa	368	578	...	3	368	581
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	9,508	15,227	1,132	1,410	10,640	16,637
Punjab	7	78	...	...	7	78
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. and C. India	91	409	282	241	373	650
Bombay		...	362	284	362	284
Central Provinces and Berar	...	151	40	153	40	304
Nizam's Territory	...	...	3	1	3	1
Madras	...	118	...	...	.	118
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	10,135	16,694	1,821	2,092	11,956	18,786
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	198	...	198	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	3	2	3	2
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	...	...	201	2	201	2
TOTAL IMPORTS	10,135	16,694	2,022	2,094	12,157	18,788
Imports from April to end of September						
By Rail and River—						
Assam	302	1,499	...	...	302	1,499
Bengal	260	485	2	17	262	502
Bihar and Orissa	1,206	3,014	...	3	1,206	3,017
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	62,104	88,128	9,589	11,007	71,693	99,135
Punjab	932	146	106	...	1,038	146
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	33	...	...	...	33	...
Raj. and C. India	339	1,139	1,509	1,239	1,848	2,378
Bombay	1,456	41	7,382	1,703	8,838	1,744
Central Provinces and Berar	83	1,457	150	682	233	2,139
Nizam's Territory	...	...	99	137	99	137
Madras	29	603	...	9	29	612
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	66,744	96,512	18,837	14,797	85,581	111,309
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	45	...	...	1	45	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	938	3	938	3
Madras	...	...	5	...	5	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	108	184	108	184
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	45	...	1,046	188	1,091	188
TOTAL IMPORTS	66,789	96,512	19,883	14,985	86,672	111,497

TABLE IX.—Jute

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916
	Imports in September	
	bales	bales
By Rail and River—		
Assam	18,873	20,624
Bengal	655,709	799,449
Bihar and Orissa	48,716	59,061
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	723,298	879,134
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	2,139	3,366
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	...	...
TOTAL	2,139	3,366
TOTAL IMPORTS	725,437	882,500
	Imports from April to end of September	
By Rail and River—		
Assam	97,747	47,178
Bengal	2,267,736	1,593,025
Bihar and Orissa	296,771	147,887
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	180
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	2,662,254	1,788,270
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	28,542	22,546
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	426	1
TOTAL	28,968	22,547
TOTAL IMPORTS	2,691,222	1,810,817

NOTE.—One bale of jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.

By "Calcutta" is meant the town of Calcutta with Howrah and the Kidderpore Docks. The imports exclude, therefore, imports into those jute mills which are outside this area. Such mills form the large majority of the total mills manufacturing jute.

TABLE X.—Tea

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916
	Imports in September	
	lbs.	lbs.
By Rail and River—		
Assam	26,727,387	21,641,883
Bengal	7,981,467	14,827,228
Bihar and Orissa	20,818	25,015
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	37,029	32,832
Punjab	32,584	164
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	.
Raj. and C. India	. .	.
Bombay	.	1,152
Central Provinces and Berar	.	.
Nizam's Territory	. .	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	34,799,285	36,528,274
By Sea—		
Bengal	16,644	2,850
Bihar and Orissa	...	...
Bombay	..	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	2,240	50,680
TOTAL	18,884	53,530
TOTAL IMPORTS	34,818,169	36,581,804
	Imports from April to end of September	
By Rail and River—		
Assam	97,223,196	84,455,506
Bengal	44,739,803	32,810,278
Bihar and Orissa	184,358	125 897
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	764,501	57,930
Punjab	210,632	5,101
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	1,563
Raj. and C. India	...	658
Bombay	6,960	3,703
Central Provinces and Berar	359	1,975
Nizam's Territory	4,032	...
Madras	10,276	412
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	143,144,117	117,463,023
By Sea—		
Bengal	256,137	4,670
Bihar and Orissa	...	204
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	10,022	570
Burma	1,884	2,200
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	12,172	307,531
TOTAL	280,215	315,175
TOTAL IMPORTS	143,424,332	117,778,198

NOTE.—One maund is equivalent to 82⅞ lbs.

TABLE XI.

The following statements show the exports of (1) wheat, (2) wheat flour and (3) Total (wheat and wheat flour) from British India by sea to foreign countries during each month of the five official years 1911-12, 1912-13, 1913-14, 1914-15 and 1915-16. The figures are in thousands of tons :—

1.—Wheat.

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April . . .	68	69	27	9	11	3(*a*)
May . . .	136	107	166	24	105(*a*)	2
June . . .	189	244	260	169	292(*a*)	42
July . . .	266	328	318	169	187(*a*)	44
August . .	125	153	135	43	48(*a*)	75
September . .	66	232	135	56	6(*a*)	139
October . .	66	148	53	88	... (*b*)	
November . .	74	114	47	55	... (*b*)	
December . .	97	80	22	37	... (*b*)	
January . .	102	99	20	25	... (*b*)	
February . .	75	51	10	22	2(*a*)	
March . .	97	35	9	9	1	
TOTAL .	1,361	1,660	1,202	706	652	
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16
Production (in thousands of tons)	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518

NOTE.—In this statement the figures of production for one year have been placed below those of exports of the next year because the production of one year is usually exported in the next year

(*a*) Include exports on Government account 94,357 tons in May, 249,952 tons in June, 150,295 tons in July, 36,483 tons in August, 2,375 tons in September 1915, 1,000 tons in February and 2,595 tons in April 1916.

(*b*) Exports were below 1,000 tons in these months.

2.—Wheat flour.

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April . . .	4	4	6	6	5	2
May . . .	4	4	9	3	2	7
June . . .	4	6	10	5	4	5
July . . .	5	5	8	8	6	4
August . .	6	6	4	6	4	4
September . .	6	5	7	4	6	6
October . .	4	9	9	4	4	
November . .	3	5	6	4	7	
December . .	4	6	4	3	8	
January . .	5	7	6	5	9	
February . .	4	5	4	4	4	
March . .	3	6	6	2	4	
TOTAL .	52	68	79	54	58	

3.—Total (wheat including wheat flour converted into wheat).†

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April . .	74	74	36	17	17	6
May . . .	141	113	179	29	108	12
June . . .	196	252	274	176	298	49
July . . .	273	335	329	181	196	50
August . .	133	161	141	52	54	81
September . .	74	239	145	31	15	148
October . .	72	161	66	94	6	
November . .	79	122	55	61	10	
December . .	103	89	27	42	4	
January . .	109	109	29	32	13	
February . .	81	59	16	28	6	
March . .	100	44	18	11	7	
TOTAL .	1,435	1,758	1,315	784	734	
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16
Production of wheat (in thousands of tons).	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518

† Ten tons of wheat are taken as equivalent to seven tons of wheat flour.

NOTE (1).—On an average for the three years ending 1913-14, 4·1 per cent. of the total export of wheat (including wheat flour) was exported in April; the percentages for the other months are as follows:—May 9·6 per cent., June 16 per cent., July 20·8 per cent., August 9·7 per cent., September 10·2 per cent., October 6·6 per cent., November 5·7 per cent., December 4·9 per cent., January 5·5 per cent., February 3·5 per cent., and March 3·6 per cent.

(2) Exports of wheat (excluding wheat flour) from the ports of Calcutta, Bombay and Karachi by sea during October 1916 week by week as compared with the corresponding periods of last year are given below:—

	1915 tons.	1916 tons.
Week ending 7th October .	83	35,756*
" " 14th " .	101	27,511*
" " 21st " .	41	32,319*
" " 28th " .	8	17,229*
	233	112,815

* Inclusive of figures on Government account.

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GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

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PATENTS and DESIGNS.

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APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

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2808. J. W. Moffat. *Improvements in electric furnaces.*

2809. O. Valeri. *Improvements in longitudinal sleepers for railway and tramway tracks.*

2810. R. Arno. *Improvements in radiotelegraphic sending stations.*

November 18.

2811. H. Rottenburg. *Improvements in puttees.*

2812. Acetylene Illuminating Co., Ld. *Improvements in or relating to the storing of gases under pressure.*

2813. W. Scott. *Improvements in or relating to means for filling sacks and the like.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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1984. F. W. Farr. *Improvements in or relating to the repair or reinforcement of pneumatic tyre covers.*

2264. G. Ravenshear. *Improvements in targets.*

2602. W. C. Echlin. *Improved release valve for railway vacuum brake cylinders.*

2730. J. F. Jannink. *Drawing apparatus for cotton sliver and the like.*

2770. Superheater Corporation, Limited. *Improvements in and relating to steam superheaters of the multiple smoke or fire tube type.*

2772. R. H. Sexton. *Improvements in or relating to freezers.*

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2386. Banwari Lal Jha. *Improvements in the shape of talc chimneys for lamps.*

2601. W. C. Echlin. *Improved release valve for railway vacuum brake cylinders.*

2719. W. S. Fraser and C. E. Wells. *Superheater element union.*

2731. C. Allaun. *An improved washing plunger or clothes pounder.*

2732. B. Conklin. *Improvements in internal combustion rotary engines.*

2733. B. Conklin. *Improvements in rotary engines, pumps and the like.*

2735. F. Pascall. *Improvements in or relating to receptacles for solid, granular, powdered or semi-liquid materials and in covers therefor.*

2740. W. Beardmore and T. C. W. Pullinger. *Improvements in or relating to the valve mechanism and associated parts of internal combustion engines.*

2741. W. Beardmore and T. C. W. Pullinger. *Improvements in or relating to aluminium or other light metal castings for internal combustion engines.*

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2645. Moir and Buchanan.
2656. Fils de Peugeot Freres and Gobiet.
2663. Smither.
2666. Rooney.
2668. Kapadia.
2669. Fraymouth.
2670. Biddle.

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1729. Bursell.
2131. Rutnagur.
2134. Sabatier & Mailhe.
2616. Sastry.
2641. North.
2649. Synthetic Hydro-Carbon Co.
2655. Hamilton.

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173 of 1908. Societa Generale per la Cianamide. (To 18 November 1917.)
186 of 1909. Owen. (To 17 November 1917.)
194 of 1909. Freymuth. (To 17 November 1917.)
201 of 1909. Kjellberg. (To 17 November 1917.)
203 of 1909. Freymuth. (To 17 November 1917.)
94 of 1910. Spencer. (To 15 November 1917.)
447 of 1910. General Electric Co. (To 15 November 1917.)
422 of 1911. Williams. (To 24 November 1917.)
463 of 1912. Raymond & ors. (To 27 August 1917.)
636 of 1912. White. (To 4 December 1917.)

RESTORATION OF LAPSED PATENT UNDER SECTION 16.

Notice is hereby given that an order was made on the 21st November 1916 restoring the Letters Patent granted to Julius Charles van Milder for an invention for "An improved pick and beater combined" numbered 273 of 1912 and bearing the date of 1st June 1912.

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364, (Schrottky).

1910.

547, (Soc. Francaise des Distilleries de L'Indo Chine). 548, (Soc. Francaise des Distilleries de L'Indo Chine).

1911.

192, (Field & anr). 355, (Print Weave Co.). 375, (Print Weave Co.). 438, (Anderson). 519, (Lea). 549, (Beck). 551, (Fitzhugh and ors.) 582, (Hoering). 657, (Noble & ors). 674, (Hannover). 711 (Killen). 751, (De Dion Bouton (1907) Ld.). 754, (De Dion Bouton (1907) Ld.).

1912.

425, (Olsen & anr.). 433, (Filippi). 434, (Koechlin). 435, (Louis). 437, (Hope). 438, (Gordon & ors.) 440, (Toon).

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Indian Mines Act, 1901.

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G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
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DHANBAD;
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NAME OF MINTS.	COINAGE OF BRITISH INDIA GOVERNMENT COINS.													COINAGE FOR EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT.			SUBSIDIARY COINAGE FOR THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS GOVERNMENT.		
	RECEIPTS.				COINAGE.			BALANCE OF BULLION AND COIN.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	TOTAL.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	TOTAL.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	TOTAL.		Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	(a) 57	*Nil*	*Nil*	57	39	...	39	9	(b) 53	29	...	91		...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	53	...	...	53	50	...	50	...	(c) 135	7	...	142		2	2	...	...	...	...

(a) Includes 35 received from Bombay Mint.
(b) Exclusive of 41 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(c) Exclusive of 129 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, LT.-COLONEL, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT:
Calcutta, the 20th November 1916.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Receipts in the North-West Frontier Province for September 1916 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1916-17.

REVENUE AND RECEIPTS.	BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1916-17.			Receipts in September 1916.	RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH SEPTEMBER 1916.		
	Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.		Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Land Revenue	...	22,27,000	22,27,000	34,445	...	10,30,164	10,30,164
II.—Opium	...	49,000	49,000	4,147	...	25,047	25,047
IV.—Stamps	...	6,84,000	6,84,000	40,678	...	3,37,015	3,37,015
V.—Excise	...	3,19,000	3,19,000	27,493	...	1,76,673	1,76,673
VI.—Provincial Rates	...	2,000	2,000	...	...	535	535
VII.—Customs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
VIII.—Income Tax	6,000	2,12,000	2,18,000	22,792	2,767	74,208	76,975
IX.—Forest	...	2,21,000	2,21,000	3,354	...	53,684	53,684
X.—Registration	...	44,000	44,000	3,682	...	23,953	23,953
XI.—Tribute from Native States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XII.—Interest	30,000	...	30,000	1,483	16,476	...	16,476
XVIA.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	...	1,50,000	1,50,000	20,333	...	1,36,771	1,36,771
XVIB.— Ditto —Jails	...	45,000	45,000	2,714	...	23,139	23,139
XVII.—Police	...	49,000	49,000	1,861	...	15,647	15,647
XIX.—Education	...	24,000	24,000	2,137	...	1,39,043	1,39,043
XX.—Medical	...	8,000	8,000	30	...	551	551
XXIA.—Agriculture	...	6,000	6,000	328	...	560	560
XXIB.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	...	1,000	1,000	...	...	20	20
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation, etc.	...	21,000	21,000	1,992	...	12,720	12,720
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing	...	23,000	23,000	491	...	11,334	11,334
XXV.—Miscellaneous	...	1,23,000	1,23,000	6,771	...	31,112	31,112
XXIX.—Irrigation—Major Works—Direct Receipts	5,37,000	4,13,000	9,50,000	1,99,889	2,63,610	2,63,610	5,27,220
XXX.—Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXXI.—Civil Works	...	1,50,000	1,50,000	6,786	...	69,144	69,144
TOTAL REVENUE AND RECEIPTS	5,73,000	47,71,000	53,44,000	3,81,406	2,82,853	24,24,930	27,07,783
Add—Debt Accounts	...	...	...	96,96,354	...	...	4,82,63,120
TOTAL	...	...	...	1,00,77,760	...	...	5,09,70,903
Opening Cash Balance	...	...	...	(b)24,52,800	...	...	(a)24,36,019
GRAND TOTAL	...	..	...	1,25,30,560	...	...	5,34,06,922

(a) On 1st April 1916. (b) On 1st September 1916.

W. ALDER,
Accountant-General, Punjab.

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,
LAHORE;
The 20th November 1916.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Expenditure in the North-West Frontier Province for September 1916 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1916-17.

EXPENDITURE.	BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1916-17.			Disbursement in September 1916.	DISBURSEMENT FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH SEPTEMBER 1916.		
	Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.		Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.—Refunds and Drawbacks	10,000	10,000	20,000	2,449	7,775	7,774	15,549
2.—Assignments and Compensations	9,000	9,000	18,000	198	4,546	4,546	9,092
3.—Land Revenue	3,90,000	2,99,000	6,89,000	44,556	1,90,441	1,35,883	3,26,324
6.—Stamps	12,000	12,000	24,000	1,392	5,449	5,450	10,899
7.—Excise	9,000	9,000	18,000	1,085	3,449	3,448	6,897
10.—Income Tax	1,000	...	1,000	71	199	199	398
11.—Forest	59,000	60,000	1,19,000	5,299	19,970	19,970	39,940
12.—Registration	6,000	6,000	12,000	943	3,133	3,134	6,267
13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14.—Interest on other obligations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18.—General Administration	2,61,000	1,20,000	3,81,000	32,609	1,19,961	52,015	1,71,976
19A.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	4,20,000	2,25,000	6,45,000	54,608	2,19,471	1,09,568	3,29,039
19B.— Ditto —Jails	1,37,000	1,37,000	2,74,000	18,376	74,126	74,126	1,48,252
20.—Police	10,85,000	10,86,000	21,71,000	1,73,914	5,38,149	5,38,148	10,76,297
22.—Education	2,72,000	2,72,000	5,44,000	2,31,043	1,88,112	1,88,111	3,76,223
23.—Ecclesiastical	54,000	...	54,000	3,784	23,061	...	23,061
24.—Medical	2,25,000	2,08,000	4,33,000	13,944	58,170	54,026	1,12,196
25.—Political	20,26,000	18,37,000	38,63,000	2,95,715	8,85,383	8,16,187	17,01,570
26A.—Agriculture	47,000	47,000	94,000	5,112	14,308	14,308	28,616
26B.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	5,000	6,000	11,000	918	1,813	1,814	3,627
27.—Territorial and Political Pensions	61,000	...	61,000	3,515	29,460	...	29,460
28.—Civil, Furlough and Absentee Allowances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29.—Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	98,000	97,000	1,95,000	14,527	43,884	43,883	87,767
30.—Stationery and Printing	62,000	62,000	1,24,000	4,830	24,076	24,076	48,152
32.—Miscellaneous	21,000	20,000	41,000	3,098	10,659	10,660	21,319
33.—Famine Relief	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36.—Reduction or Avoidance of Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42.—Major Works—Working Expenses	12,17,000	2,83,000	15,00,000	54,718	1,23,225	1,23,224	2,46,449
43.—Minor Works and Navigation	32,000	32,000	64,000	5,268	5,812	5,811	11,623
45.—Civil Works	12,09,000	12,03,000	24,12,000	1,51,225	2,46,459	2,46,460	4,92,919
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	77,28,000	60,40,000	1,37,68,000	11,23,197	28,41,091	24,82,821	53,23,912
Add—Debt Accounts	...	...	...	87,93,913	...	...	4,54,69,560
TOTAL	...	...	...	99,17,110	...	...	5,07,93,472
Balance on 30th September 1916	...	...	...	26,13,450	...	...	26,13,450
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	1,25,30,560	...	...	5,34,06,922

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB;
LAHORE,
The 20th November 1916.

W. ALDER,
Accountant-General, Punjab.

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BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th November 1916.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						3½ PER CENT. LOANS							4 PER CENT. LOANS.		GRAND TOTAL.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	TOTAL.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	4 per cent. Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. Portion.	TOTAL.	
Balance of 31st October 1916	26,34,900	96,60,700	4,59,88,200	1,51,37,500	68,45,500	24,90,900	8,01,22,800	...	...	...	...	...	2,500	20,45,000	...	...	8,50,05,200
Add—																	
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deduct—	28,34,900	96,60,700	4,59,88,200	1,51,37,500	68,45,500	24,90,900	8,01,22,800	...	...	...	...	...	2,500	20,45,000	...	...	8,50,05,200
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	17,800	6,18,000	21,600	2,000	1,04,300	7,63,700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,63,700
Balance on 15th November 1916	28,34,900	96,42,900	4,53,70,200	1,51,15,900	68,43,500	23,86,600	7,93,59,100	...	...	...	...	...	2,500	20,45,000	...	...	8,42,41,500

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Sept. 1916 Enfaced from India 12,364 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12,861 lakhs.
" 16th Sept. 1916 " 30th " " ditto 20 lakhs ditto ...
" 1st Oct. " " 15th Oct. " ditto ... ditto ...
" 16th " " " 31st " " ditto 1 lakh ditto 23 lakhs.
" 1st Nov. " " 15th Nov. " ditto ... ditto 8 "
12,385 12,892

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 20th November 1916.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Anglo-Indian Force, dated at Sialkot, this 15th day of November 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—700 A. I. F., Private, Douglas Archibald Campbell Stuart.
Age—21 years 1 month.
Height—5 feet 6½ inches.
Colour of—Complexion, dark (not very); hair, black; eyes, light brown.
Trade—Motor Mechanic.
Date of enlistment—18th June 1916.

Place of enlistment—Calcutta.
Date of desertion or absence—13th November 1916.
Place of desertion or absence—Sialkot.
Marks—Scar on inner side of left knee.
On furlough.
Under six months' service.

W. G. OFFICER, Captain, for Lieut.-Colonel,
Commanding, 1st Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Anglo-Indian Force, dated at Sialkot, this 15th day of November 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—704 A. I. F., Private, Rudolph Edgar Pereira.
Age—21 years 11 months.
Height—5 feet 4 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, dark; hair, black; eyes, brown.
Trade—Motor Mechanic.
Date of enlistment—1st September 1916.

Place of Enlistment—Calcutta.
Date of desertion or absence—13th November 1916.
Place of desertion or absence—Sialkot.
On furlough.
Under 6 months' service.

W. G. OFFICER, Captain, for Lieut.-Colonel,
Commanding, 1st Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, BALUCHISTAN.

Buildings and Roads Branch.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 15th November 1916.

No. 4.—The following corrections to this Office Notifications Nos. 2 and 3, dated 27th October 1916, published on page 2322 of the *Gazette of India*, Part II, dated 11th November 1916, are published:—

(1) In last column of the "Specification of land" in Notification No. 2 word "Political Agent" is substituted for word "Deputy Commissioner."

(2) In first column of the "Specification of land" in Notification No. 3 word "Pishin" is substituted for words "Quetta-Pishin."

R. S. MACLAGAN, Colonel,
Secretary to Hon'ble A. G. G. in Baluchistan, P. W. D.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 18th November 1916.

Transfer and taking over charge.

No. 1685-E.—Mr. J. C. Stronach, Assistant Engineer, is transferred from the V Project Division, 2nd Circle, Delhi, which he left on the afternoon of the 14th November 1916, to the Chief Engineer's Office, Delhi, which he joined on the same date.

Mr. Stronach took over charge of the office of Personal Assistant to the Chief Engineer, Delhi Province, from Mr. T. Harvey, Officiating Executive Engineer, on the afternoon of the 14th November 1916, and is appointed Officiating Executive Engineer with effect from the same date.

H. T. KEELING,
Secretary, P. W. D.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—

(a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.

(b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

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INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 16th November 1916.

No. 16.—The services of 3rd class Assistant Surgeon A. A. McCurtis, I.S.M.D., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces, for Civil employment with effect from 1st September 1916.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,
for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 16th November 1916.

No. 7670-*R. & A.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 7A of Act XVII of 1878, the Northern India Ferries Act, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to direct that the public ferry at Sangurpur shall be managed by the District Board, Delhi, in accordance with the provisions of the Act as amended by Act III of 1886 and of the rules made thereunder, and that the proceeds of the ferry shall be paid into the District Fund administered by the said Board.

Delhi, the 17th November 1916.

No. 7690-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 11th November 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	Delhi .	225,471	133	140	273	70	85	155	...	...	...	63	9	56	1	26	...	31	27	58	62·96	35·75
	Notified Area	3,673	2	...	2	3	1	4	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	3	28·31	56·63
	Total .	229,144	135	140	275	73	86	159	...	..	...	66	9	56	1	27	...	33	28	61	62·40	36·08

No. 7710-*Education*.—In anticipation of her services being placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, Mrs. Virginia Gilbertson assumed charge of the office of Inspectress of Schools, Delhi Province, with effect from the forenoon of the 3rd November 1916.

The 18th November 1916.

No. 7724-*C. & I.*—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in the Delhi Province are published for information :—

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the head-quarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 15th November 1916. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82 2/7 LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
Rice, unhusked	...	Cotton seed	2 8 0
„ husked	5 8 0	Ghi	54 0 0
Wheat, white	4 1 6	Flour (Wheat)	4 11 0
Barley	3 1 0	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8 0 0
Oats	...	Turmeric (unground)	18 0 0
Jowár	2 12 0	Salt	1 15 0
Bajra	2 12 0	Raw Hides (Cow)	30 0 0
Maize	2 12 0	Bran	2 4 0
Gram	3 1 0	Grass (dry)	1 0 0
Arhar Dál	4 4 0	Bhusa (white)	1 2 0
Linseed	6 0 0	Jowár Stalks	0 8 0
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4 12 0	Bengal Coal	0 9 0
Poppy-seed	...	Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand)	2 4 6
Til (jinjili seed)	5 4 0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	200 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur . . { old	5 11 0	Sheep, per score	80 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur . . { new	8 0 0		
Cotton (cleaned)	25 0 0	Bejhar	3 1 0

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 15th November 1916.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.		ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	
	Srs.	Chts.		Srs.	Chts.
Wheat, white	9	8	Maize	14	0
Barley	12	8	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	9	0
Rice { Best sort	3	0	Firewood	60	0
Rice { Common sort	5	0	Salt { Wholesale	20	4
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum)	14	0	Salt { Retail	20	0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum)	14	0	Gur { old	8	8
			Gur { new	4	8
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)	...		Cotton (unginned)	4	8
Kangni (Setaria Italica)	...		Bejhar	12	8
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	12	8			

No. 7735-*C. & I.*—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 59 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (I of 1914) as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment in rule 13 of the rules for the grant of licenses for the manufacture, supply, storage and sale of certain kinds of liquor in the Delhi Province, published with Notification No. 1314-C. & I., dated 25th February 1915 :—

For the words "or foreign liquor by retail" *substitute* the words "or foreign liquor wholesale or by retail."

No. 7739-*R. & A.*—The following amendments and additions to the Rules regarding the destruction of records published in the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 3917-R. & A., dated the 12th June 1915, made by the Chief Commissioner in exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Destruction of Records Act, III of 1879, are published for general information required by section 5 of the said Act:—

5—(*i*) After No. 7 add :—

7 (*a*) Registers of grants for the formation of wayside groves and the sinking of wells where such exist.

(*ii*) From No. 16 delete the word "Village".

6—Delete No. (2) Register (if any) of mutation of names concerning lambardars, chaukidars and patwaris.

9—After No. (3) add :—

3 (*a*) Naksha tankib haquq muzarian.

13—Delete No. (9) Lists of mutation fees.

14—Delete No. (7) Mutation register not containing original orders.

15—After No. (9) add :—

10. Papers regarding cattle enumeration—Standing order No. 24, statement 9.	Until the next enumeration has been completed.

19—After No. (54) add :—

(55) Mutation register not containing original orders.	To be destroyed as soon as they reach the Tahsil.
(56) Rough copy (chitha) of the wajib-ul-arz.	3 years from the close of Settlement operations.

20—(*a*)

(*i*) To No. (9) add "and tour statement of Kanungos"

(*ii*) After No. (44) substitute 44 (*a*) instead of (45).

(*iii*) After No. 44 (*a*) add :—

44 (*b*) Application for registers, papers and printed forms.	} 3 months.
44 (*c*) Orders for preparation of statements.	

20—(*b*)

After No. 97 add:—

(98) List of mutation fees	3 years from date of receipt from tahsil.

Delhi, the 20th November 1916.

No. 7760-*Home*.—The following returns showing births and deaths registered in Delhi Province during the month of October 1916 are published for information :—

Monthly return of Vital Statistics of the Delhi Province for the month of October 1916.

Division.	No.	Name of District or Municipal Towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhœa. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		District excluding Delhi Municipal Town.	102,699	88,486	191,185	1,063	67·97	6	...	...	1	·06	...	...	272	17·07	13	·82	133	[illegible]·34	5	·31	15	·94	210	229	439	27·55	185	136	321	20·14	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	102,699	88,486	191,185	1,173	73·62	9	...	...	1	·06	...	...	183	11·48	1	·06	124	7·78	1	·06	11	·69	185	136	321	20·14	...	...	...	...	
		Increase or	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	89	5·59	12	·76	9	·56	4	·25	4	·25	25	93	118	7·41	...	...	...	...	
		Decrease	...	...	...	90	5·65	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

Monthly return of Vital Statistics of the Delhi Province for the month of October 1916.

Division.	No.	District excluding towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhœa. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		Delhi Municipality	129,521	95,950	225,471	1,212	64·50	36	3	·15	...	...	...	...	339	18·04	39	2·08	255	13·57	17	·90	84	4·47	357	380	737	39·22	348	353	701	37·31	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	129,521	95,950	225,471	1,313	69·88	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	363	19·32	24	1·28	199	10·59	8	·43	107	5·69	348	353	701	37·31	...	...	...	...	
		Increase or	...	...	...	...	...	10	3	·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	·80	56	2·98	9	·47	...	...	9	27	36	1·91	...	...	...	...	
		Decrease	...	...	...	101	5·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	1·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	1·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

Delhi, the 22nd November 1916.

No. 7791-*C. & I.*—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 59 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (I of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following addition to the conditions on the form of license for the wholesale vend of charas and bhang (form II—26), prescribed by Notification No. 4504-C. & I., dated the 5th July 1915 :—

"The licensee shall not open his shop for purposes of sale before sunrise nor shall he keep it open after 8 o'clock in the evening or such later hour as the Collector may sanction."

This condition shall be numbered I-A in the form of license.

No. 7801-*Home.*—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi, during the half month ending the 15th November 1916, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			15
			Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.			
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Remarks.
P. S. Alipur	40	41	...	...	...	27	...	14	...	...	...	...	12	5	17	
Nangloi	58	41	...	...	...	22	1	18	...	...	...	...	10	8	18	
Najafgarh	32	46	..	...	...	24	...	19	...	...	3	1	6	8	14	
Subzimundi	6	12	...	.	...	12	...	...	...	...	..	...	2	2	4	
Paharganj	1	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	
Mehrauli	39	44	...	...	...	22	...	21	...	...	1	—	14	3	17	
Raisina	15	1	...	...	..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	
Shahdara	21	10	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	5	
New Cantonment . . .	18	10	...	...	...	4	...	5	...	...	1	...	2	1	3	
Total of the District .	230	205	...	...	...	132	1	77	...	...	5	1	49	30	79	

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 14th November 1916.

No. 3522-*R.*—In accordance with Rule 10 of the Rules for the grant of licenses to prospect for minerals and of mining leases published in the Resolution of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 7552-7581-121, dated the 15th September 1913, it is hereby notified that the Indo-Burma Petroleum Co., Ltd., of Rangoon, has been approved of by the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan as an applicant for a prospecting license or a mining lease under the above rules.

Quetta, the 15th November 1916.

No. 3542-*R*.—The Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner is pleased to sanction the retention in Foreign Service as Wazir, Las Bela State of Khan Sahib M. Sharbat Khan for a further period of one year with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd July 1916.

No. 3544-*R*.—Consequent on the deputation of Rai Bahadur Diwan Jamiat Rai, C. I. E., as Settlement Extra Assistant Commissioner in Baluchistan with effect from the 20th October 1916, Seth K. P. Kaikabad, an Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th grade and Extra Assistant Commissioner, Kalat, is appointed *s.p.t.* Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th grade with effect from the same date.

Quetta, the 17th November 1916.

No. 4024.—The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the prescribed tests in the Baluchi language by the Higher Standard at an examination held at Quetta on the 13th and 14th November 1916 :—

1. Captain G. B. Walker, I. A., Second Assistant to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan.
2. Mr. A. S. R. Macklin, I. C. S., Assistant Collector, Larkana.
3. Captain C. M. Thomson, 2-67th Punjabis.
4. Second-Lieutenant S. H. Woolf, 9th Punjabis.
5. 3rd class Assistant Surgeon Mr. S. G. Jackson, I. S. M. D.
6. 3rd class Assistant Surgeon Mr. J. M. Pereira, I. S. M. D.
7. Mr. O. C. G. Hayter, I. P., Superintendent of Police, Sind Railways, Karachi.
8. Conductor A. Spooner, Indian Ordnance Department.
9. Captain W. A. M. Montgomery, 1st Battalion, South Lancashire Regiment.
10. Second-Lieutenant H. Bailey, 2nd Battalion, Somerset Light Infantry.
11. S. Sergeant Hallsworth, Military Works Services.
12. S. Sergeant G. Allen, Indian Ordnance Department.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 17th November 1916.

No. 3566-*R*.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 67 of the Excise Regulation, 1915, (I of 1915), the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased to exempt the medicinal preparations containing cocaine and other derivatives of the coca plant specified in the subjoined schedule from the restrictions imposed upon the import, export, transport, possession and sale of intoxicating drugs in British Baluchistan :—

SCHEDULE.

1. Mist. Hepatica Compound.
2. Pigment Cocaine and Hydrarg : Perchloride.
3. Ampoules containing cocaine in admixture with Adrenalin, Hemisine, or Epinine, when labelled by the makers as containing not more than ⅓rd grain of cocaine in each ampoule.

4. Coca Cordial 5. Elixir Damiana Compound 6. Ixidama and other similar palatable preparations 7. Kola Compound 8. Kola Cordial 9. Tonic Coca Wines	When labelled by the makers as containing not more than half a drachm of Ext. Coca Liq. in each fluid ounce.

10. Cocaine hypodermic and other tablets:—
    (a) Homatropine and cocaine.
    (b) Atropine and cocaine.
    (c) Pilocarpine and cocaine.
    (d) Aromatic throat tablets containing menthol, myrrh, krameria and cocaine $\frac{1}{32}$nd gr.
    (e) Aseptoids, Dr. Macnaughton Jones, each containing $\frac{1}{16}$th gr. of cocaine hydrochloride.
11. Ointments containing cocaine or other derivatives of coca in admixture with other drugs and rendered nauseous to the taste.
12. Opthalmic tablets when labelled by the makers as containing not more than $\frac{1}{50}$th gr. of cocaine hydrochloride in each tablet.
13. Other preparations containing cocaine or other derivatives of coca in admixture with other drugs, when labelled by the makers as containing in the aggregate not more than such specified percentage of cocaine hydrochloride or other derivatives of coca per tablet, trochiscum, pastille, solube, sterule, enule, lamella or fluid drachm as will render it impossible for any such preparation to be taken for the effects of cocaine or any other derivative of coca alone.

Provided, firstly, that every preparation so exempted shall be labelled with the manufacturer's name, and secondly that the exemption allowed by these orders shall not extend to preparations manufactured by any maker or firm whose produce may be declared by the Chief Commissioner to be excluded from the scope of these orders.

2. This exemption does not apply to the importation of the preparations above specified by sea through the post, but applies only to their transmission by means of the inland post.

No. 3567-*R*.—This office Notification No. 2866-R., dated the 4th October 1915 is hereby cancelled.

By order,
A. N. L. CATER,
Secretary.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Camp, the 16th November 1916.

No. 1204-*C*.—1189.—In supersession of this office notification No. 1028—1189, dated the 29th June 1914, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased under section 68 of Act V of 1898 (Code of Criminal Procedure) to invest the Sarishtedars or Readers of the courts of the following officers with power to sign all summonses issuing from such courts under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

1. The Sessions Judge, Ajmer-Merwara.
2. The Additional Sessions Judge, Ajmer-Merwara.
3. The District Magistrate, Ajmer-Merwara.
4. The Assistant Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.
5. The Extra Assistant Commissioner, Ajmer.
6. The Extra Assistant Commissioner, Merwara.
7. The Sub-Divisional Officer, Kekri.
8. The Cantonment Magistrate, Nasirabad.
9. The Treasury Officer, Ajmer.
10. The Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge of Co-operative Credit Work, Ajmer-Merwara.

By order,
B. J. GLANCY,
First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 16th November 1916.

No. 35.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India, on medical certificate, with effect from the date and for the periods specified against their names :—

Lieutenant R. M. Philby, R.I.M.	4 months, with effect from 12th November 1916.
Engineeer T. Kerr, R.I.M.	6 months, with effect from 12th November 1916.

No. 36.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave in India on medical certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name.

Temporary Engineer J. F. Oakley, R.I.M. . . .	2 months with effect from 14th October 1916.

Bombay, the 17th November 1916.

No. 37.—The undermentiond Officers are granted leave in India on medical certificate, with effect from the dates and for the periods specified against their names :—

Temporary Lieutenant H. McPhail, R.I.M. . . .	4 months and 22 days with effect from 18th August 1916.
Temporary Lieutenant J. Beck, R.I.M. . . .	3 months and 24 days with effect from 14th September 1916.

F. J. WILSON,
Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 7th November 1916.

No. 2876-G—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Mr. H. F. Playne, B.A., Military Accountant, 2nd class, Military Accounts Department, for three months on medical certificate.

No. 2877-G.—Mr. H. H. Leatham, Superintendent and Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 5th (Mhow) Division, is appointed as a temporary Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that division, with effect from the 14th October 1916.

No. 2878-G.—Mr. W. J. Greenaway, a Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, Burma Division, is appointed as a temporary Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Field Controller of Military Accounts, Poona, with effect from the 4th September 1916.

No. 2879-G.—Mr. P. St. L. Hogan, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 8th (Lucknow) Division, reverts to his own grade with effect from the 21st October 1916.

Delhi, the 22nd November 1916.

No. 46-*G.-Camp*.—Mr. Shaik Ahmed Sahib, Superintendent (temporary) in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 6th (Poona) Division, is appointed as a temporary Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 18th September 1916.

No. 47-*G.-Camp*.—Mr. J. Hellier, Temporary Superintendent and Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 8th (Lucknow) Division, is appointed as a temporary Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that Division, with effect from the 30th October 1916.

No. 48-*G.-Camp*.—Messrs. Hari Das Gupta and S. Raghavulu Chettiar, Superintendent sub. *pro tem.* and Accountant, 1st grade, respectively, in the office of the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, are appointed as temporary Deputy Examiners, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 10th November 1916.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant General.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

SUIT No. 60 OF 1916.

Delhi, the 11th November 1916.

In the matter of Insolvency of Jadoo, son of Jewan, caste Ahir of Teliwara, Delhi, at present Salempoor, Delhi Province.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Jadoo, son of Jewan, to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 30th day of November 1916.

RAHIM BAKHSH,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 176 OF 1916.

Dated the 22nd November 1916.

Re Parbu Sing and Ram Saran Panday, both lately residing at No. 64/1, Machuabazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, and at present at No. 34, Sankaritola Lane, in Calcutta aforesaid, and lately carrying on business in co-partnership as milk supplier, the said Parbu Sing at present working as a Chaprasi of Mr. Mendes, a pleader of Small Cause Court, Calcutta, and the said Ram Saran Panday at present working as a chaprasi of Babu Ashutosh Mitter, also a pleader of the said Small Cause Court.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtors—In person.

On the 18th day of November 1916 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as Insolvents.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 187 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 3rd November 1916.

In the matter of Panangat Madhava Menon, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Panangat Madhava Menon, Clerk, residing at No. 26, Phayre Street, Rangoon, on the 2nd day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Panangat Madhava Menon.

CASE No. 43 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Maung Gale, of No. 21, 38th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Maung Gale an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 78 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 13th November 1916.

In the matter of Rajagopaul David Thana Rao, of No. 33, 36th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Rajagopaul David Thana Rao an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 10th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 105 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Maung Ngwe Nyun, of No. 24, 15th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Maung Ngwe Nyun an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 14th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 119 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of K. F. Ingleton, Photo Engraver of British India Press, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said K. F. Ingleton an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 14th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 122 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Karim Gubboo Mustan *alias* Musaf Khan, of No. 15, Pawna Basti, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Karim Gubboo Mustan *alias* Musaf Khan an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 123 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Mahomed Nazul Haq, of No. 38, 39th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Mahomed Nazul Haq, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 125 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Iyavoo Pillay, Paddy Measurer, of Kemmendine, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Iyavoo Pillay, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 14th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 131 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Bariff Chandra Nath, of No. 10, Strand Road, Kemmendine, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Bariff Chandra Nath, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 132 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Rajkumar Dey, of No. 3, Strand Road, Kemmendine, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Rajkumar Dey, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 188 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 7th November 1916.

In the matter of Maung Kya Nyun, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Kya Nyun, Clerk, residing at No. 3, 5th Street, Rangoon, on the 6th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Kya Nyun.

CASE No. 189 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 7th November 1916.

In the matter of Shaik Mahomed Yunus, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909; presented by Shaik Mahomed Yunus, Clerk, No. 80, 31st Street, Rangoon, on the 6th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Shaik Mahomed Yunus.

CASE No. 190 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 10th November 1916.

In the matter of Abiram Patty, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Abiram Patty, Hotel-keeper, residing at No. 32, 35th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Abiram Patty.

CASE No. 191 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 13th November 1916.

In the matter of Jialall Banwari Lall, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Jialall Banwari Lall, Trader, residing at No. 52-53, 124th Street, Rangoon, on the 11th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Jialall Banwari Lall.

(*Illegible*),

Registrar.

IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, AJMER.

No. OF 1916.

Fateh Chand, son of Kedar Mal, Mahajan, Ajmer, Insolvent Applicant,
against

		Debt.		
1.	Ram Chander, Khowgulal, Mahajan of Ajmer	500	0	0
2.	Kesrimal, son of Sukhdeo	175	0	0
3.	Kedarmal Halwai	100	0	0
4.	Jugat Kishore, son of Ram Jiwan, Ajmer	125	0	0
5.	Brij Lal, son of Redh Karam Gandi, Nayanager	50	0	0
6.	Ram Chander, son of Sanwant Ram, Ajmer	50	0	0
7.	Gulab Chand, son of Rattanlal Oswal Mehta, Ajmer	17	8	0
8.	Urja, Constable, Police, Ajmer	20	0	0
9.	Harak Chand Joherlal Nahar, Ajmer	21	0	0
10.	Ganga Ram Shew Narain, Ajmer	12	0	0
11.	Rattanlal Dhannalal Gheemandi, Ajmer	4	0	0
12.	Sukhdeo, Ajmer	12	0	0
13.	Jagannath, son of Kani Ram Tosiriwal, Ajmer	21	0	0
14.	Ranglal, son of Shiv Narain, Bundi	13	0	0
15.	Ramdass Phoosalal, Ajmer	3	0	0
16.	Jas Raj, Mahajan, Gheemandi, Ajmer	9	0	0
17.	Matilal, son of Badri Dass, Ajmer	17	2	0
18.	Madanlal, son of Ram Chander, Ajmer	4	8	0
19.	Babu Basdeo Pershad, Ajmer	26	0	0
20.	Ramjiwan, son of Ram Dial, Ajmer	4	8	0
21.	Karim Box Ekka, driver of Pushkor	75	0	0
22.	Hans Raj, son of Suraj Mal, Ajmer	25	0	0
23.	Mangilal Jagannath	11	0	0
24.	Mool Chand Attar, Ajmer	5	8	0
25.	Kamalji Bhochunja	5	0	0
26.	Phul Chand of Ajmer	15	0	0

Whereas the applicant has filed an application under Section 11 of Act III, 1907 (Insolvency Act) and the application will be heard on 7th December 1916 at 10 A.M. The Creditors are hereby informed that they must appear in Court on the date either in person or through the authorised agent to oppose the application. In default the application will be heard *ex parte*.

Given under may hand and Seal of the Court this 18th November 1916.

S. ABDUL WAHID KHAN,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Ajmer.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the orders of adjudication made herein against the undermentioned Insolvents have been this day annulled.

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of the Adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.
82—1915	*Re* Raghunath Krishnaji Desai and Damodhar Raghunath Desai.	Hindu	Mohim Bazar	1st Debtor, a Clerk in the Western India Mill Company, Ltd., and the 2nd Debtor, lately a Proof reader in the "Advocate of India", and now unemployed.	1st	February	1915
83—1915	„ Lindsay Emmanuel Monsurate	Eurasian	Imperial Mansions, Byculla	A Telegraphist in the Central Telegraph Office, Bombay.	„	„	„
86—1915	„ Rustomji Shapurji Fitter	Parsi	Lower Parel	An Engine-Driver in the B., B. and C. I. Railway Company.	3rd	„	„
88—1915	„ Abdoola Abdool Rahiman Momin	Mahomedan	1, Kamatipura Lane	A Jobber in the Bombay United Mills	„	„	„
94—1915	„ Donald James Barnes	Anglo-Indian	Dadar	A Guard in the B., B. and C. I. Railway Company	4th	„	„
99—1915	„ Edwin Joseph D'Souza	Portuguese	Dhobi Talao	Lately a Stationery Supplier and now unemployed.	5th	„	„
100—1915	„ Dennis McMarn Muray	European	Rafiya Manzil, Woodhouse Road	A Travelling Inspector in the Burmah Oil Company, Ltd.	6th	„	„
101—1915	„ Hemraj Malsey Sha	Hindu	Dadar	Formerly carrying on business as Grain Merchant in partnership with Madan Kaya under the name and Firm of Hemraj Malsey and Company and now unemployed.	„	„	„
102—1915	„ Pirojsha Manekji Marker	Parsi	Grant Road, Balaram Street	A Clerk in the employ of J. F. Karaka & Co.	8th	„	„
103—1915	„ Meherally Jusraj Khoja	Mahomedan	Durga Molla	A Brocade Pedlar	8th	„	„

104—1915	„	Cowasji Nusserwanji Anklesaria	Parsi	No. 68, Bazar Gate Street	A temporary Clerk in the employ of the German Line Steamers.	9th	„	„
106—1915	„	Rahimbhai Karim Haji Levar-dhanwala.	Mahomedan	Doongri	Lately carrying on business as Aerated Water manufacturers in partnership with Goolamali Fagal Dandawala and Rustomji Palonji Memdawala in the name of Royal Aerated Water Factory and now unemployed.	10th	„	„
105—1915	„	Vella Sharvan Sha	Hindu	Jacob Circle	Lately a dealer in grain in partnership with Rowji Wanver Sha and Vella Cora in the name of Vella Sharvan, latterly a dealer in grain on his own name and now a servant in the employ of Meghji Ghella & Co.	9th	„	„
107—1915	„	Frank Kelly	European	Goa Street, Frere Road	A Washing Chargeman in G. I. P. Railway, Bombay.	10th	„	„
108—1915	„	Oomer Bakridin Sheikh	Mahomedan	Kamatipura, Jairajbhai Street	A Jobber in the Hindustan Mills	„	„	„
110—1915	„	Raghunath Laxuman Satelkar	Hindu	Tardeo, Arthur Road	A Painter	„	„	„
111—1915	„	Latifkhan Esoofkhan and Dawoodkhan Esoofkhan.	Mahomedan	Tank Bunder, Chawl No. 12—13	Lately doing business in partnership as dealers in Firewood in the name of Dawoodkhan Esoofkhan and now Boot-repairers.	11th	„	„
118—1915	„	Virchand Krishna Sha	Hindu	Frere Road	Lately doing business as a Shroff in partnership with Sardarmal Narshing in the name of Virchand Krishna and now unemployed.	13th	„	„
123—1915	„	Marati Laxuman Powar	„	Mandvi Koliwada	A Foreman in the G. I. P. Railway Company	16th	„	„
126—1915	„	Alfred Coutts	East Indian	Byculla No. 11	A Guard in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company	„	„	
128—1915	„	Abdulla Nensi Khoja	Muhamedan	14, Kasai Gally, Crawford Market	Lately a dealer in second-hand furniture and now unemployed.	18th	„	„
129—1915	„	Richard William Green	European	Clare Road	Lately a Chargeman in the G. I. P. Railway and now unemployed.	„	„	„

Notice is hereby given that the orders of adjudication made herein against the undermentioned Insolvents have been this day annulled—*contd.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.
130—1915	*Re* Gafoor Valad Ahmed Sah Thakoor, Hoosein Valad Gafoor Thakoor and Esuf Valad Gafoor Thakoor.	Mahomedan	Mazagon	The 1st Debtor unemployed and the 2nd Debtor a Boilermaker in the Alcock Ashdown and Company, and the 3rd Debtor an apprentice in the British India Steam Navigation Company.	18th	February	1915
132—1915	" Maneksha Sorabji Subedar	Parsi	Lower Parel	A Fireman in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company.	19th	"	"
134—1915	" Purshotam Morar Surti	Hindu	Parel, Delisle Road	A Motor Fitter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company.	20th	"	"
141—1915	" Marcellinis Piedade Pereira	Portuguese	Gaiwadi	Lately a Clerk in the Bombay Port Trust and now unemployed.	22nd	"	"
143—1915	" Sakharam Dawlah Sawant	Hindu	Lalwady	A Jobber in the Jam Mills	23rd	"	"
144—1915	" Dewji Hirji Sha	"	Curry Road	Lately a Dealer in Oil in partnership with Ramji Hijri Sha in the name of Ramji Hijri and now a servant in the employ of Walji Hirji & Co.	24th	"	"
149—1915	" Tallockchand Harnath	"	Pydhowni	Now unemployed	5th	March	"
154—1915	" Nursey Karman Sha	"	Matthar Pakadhi	Lately a Bullock Cart-keeper and now unemployed	4th	"	"
155—1915	" Nadirsha Jamshedji Gadhiwalla	Parsi	Parel	A Shunter in the B., B. and C. I. Railway Coy.	5th	"	"
156—1915	" Raghoo Koondlik Fatak	Hindu	Parel, Chamar Baug	Lately a Jobber in the Western India Steam and Manufacturing Company Ltd. and now unemployed.	"	"	"

157—1915	„ Leonard Thomas Brown	Anglo-Indian	No. 4. Waudby Road	A Telegraphist in the Bombay Central Telegraph Office.	6th	„	„
158—1915	„ Moses Joseph Ezra Nissim	Jewish	Sankli Street, Byculla	A clerk in the employ of the Alexandra Mills	„	„	„
161—1915	„ Ganpat Narsoo Shinde	Hindu	Chinchpogli	A machineman in the Bombay Cotton Mills	8th	„	„
165—1915	„ Manekji Muncherji Palkhiwala	Parsi	Grant Road	Lately a Hotel-keeper at Bombay and Bhusawal and now unemployed.	9th	„	„
166—1915	„ Essoo Babaji Murkar and Damodar Dharma Murkar.	Hindu	Dadar, Agar Bazar	1st Debtor a Toddy Seller and 2nd debtor unemployed.	„	„	„
167—1915	*Re* Khanderao Crishnaji Mahatray	Hindu	Parel	A Carpenter in the B. B. and C. I. R. Cy.	10th	March	1915
168—1915	„ Mahadeo Nanaji Tawde	„	Haines Road, No. 155	A Clerk in the Bombay Municipality	„	„	„
169—1915	„ Vishram Babaji Khamkar	„	Parel, Lalwady	A Servant in the Employ of Tokersy Jivraj	„	„	„
170—1915	„ Shaik Ebraham Shaik Abdul Naband.	Mahomedan	Mazagaon	A Farrier	„	„	„
172—1915	„ Pragji Valubdas Thaker	Hindu	No. 277, Kharak Bazar	Lately trading under his own name as a Merchant and Commission Agent and now unemployed.	12th	„	„
174—1915	„ Ritchard Nortert McGill	Eurasian	Lower Parel	A Fireman in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company.	13th	March	„
176—1915	„ Shamrao Madhowrao Mankame	Hindu	Mahim Agar Bazar	A Goldsmith	„	„	„
177—1915	„ Mancharam Prema Sikligar	„	Nagdevi Street	A Fitter in the Bombay Municipal Workshop	15th	„	„
178—1915	„ Hoosein Salemahomed Cutchi	Mohamedan	Ballard Pier No. 47	A Native Craftsman	„	„	„
179—1915	„ Ramnarayen Ookar Malvi	Hindu	Parel	A Fitter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company	„	„	„
180—1915	„ Tukaram Dharmaji Jemdray	„	Matarpakhdi, Mazagon	Lately dealer in sand and now unemployed	„	„	„

Notice is hereby given that the orders of adjudication made herein against the undermentioned Insolvents have been this day annulled—*concld.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of the Adjudication. Day.	Month.	Year.
181—1915	*Re* Benedich Felix D'Souza *alias* B. F. D'Souza.	East Indian	No. 16, Pomerkhadi	A Clerk in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company	15th	March	1915
182—1915	" Ameer Peroo Shaik	Mahomedan	Poyee Bavdi, Parel	A Painter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company.	"	"	"
184—1915	" Francis De'Souza *alias* Soas and his wife Mary DeSouza *alias* Marslene.	Portuguese	Sopari Bag Road	1st Debtor, a workman in the G. I. P. Railway Workshop Matunga, and the 2nd a Fowl-seller.	"	"	"
186—1915	" Abdulalli Hakimji Moola	Mahomedan	Doctor Street	Lately a rent farmer and now a servant in the employ of Ahmedali Karimbhai.	"	"	"
190—1915	" William Flannigan	Anglo-Indian	No. 27, Jacob's Circle	A Guard in the employ of the G. I. P. Railway	17th	"	"
191—1915	" Ernest Charles Allan Waleske	European	Jacob Circle	A Guard in the G. I. P. Railway	"	"	"
197—1915	" Vishnoo Narayen Bhootkar	Hindu	Kamatipura 9 Lane	A Clerk in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company.	18th	"	"
209—1915	" Karimbhai Usmanbhai Patwa	Mahomedan	Mandvi	A Book-binder in the employ of Kagdi Mahomedbhai Moonirbhai.	24th	"	"
210—1915	" Sambha Kendaji Khanday and Mathaji Kendaji Khanday.	Hindu	Kamatipura, Narugally	The 1st Debtor, lately a Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway and now unemployed, and 2nd Debtor, a Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway.	"	"	"
213—1915	" Walji Mowji Khoja	Mahomedan	Doongry	Lately a Dealer in Spices and now a Hawker in Dates.	26th	"	"
214—1915	" Gunpat Crishnaji Kudum	Hindu	Mohim, Gopi Talao	A Gardener.	"	"	"

215—1915	„ Ebrahim Ezekiel *alias* Haskiel Ramrajkar, Yakoob Essac Saigaokar, Haskiel Essac Saigaokar and Elkaisa Ezekiel *alias* Benjamin Ramrajkar.	Jewish	Jacob Circle	The 1st Debtor, lately a Fitter in the Tata Hydro-Electric work, and now unemployed, 2nd Debtor unemployed and the 3rd Debtor a Fitter in the Alcock Ashdown & Co., and the 4th Debtor, a Fitter in the Greaves Cotton Mills.	„	„	„
218—1915	„ Purgunsing Nakoosing Thakoor and Fogdarsing Nakoosing Thakore.	Pardeshi Hindu	Parel No. 4, Boru Chawl	The 1st Debtor, a Rivettor in the B., B. & C. I. Ry. Coy. and 2nd Debtor being unemployed.	27th	„	„
221—1915	„ Parbhoodas Hirachand Sha	Hindu	No. 109, Gulalwady	Lately carrying on business under his own name as a Cloth Merchant and now unemployed.	29th	„	„
223—1915	„ Ruttonsey Malsey Sha	„	Dana Bunder	Lately doing business in partnership with Nagsey Sojpar and Govindji Harsey and Bhat Veerka Nathuram as Dealer in Cotton in the name of Nagsey Sojpar and now a Broker in Cotton.	30th	„	„
224—1915	„ Chandulal Chhotalal Sha and Keshowlal Chhotalal Sha.	„	Shroff Bazar	Lately carrying on business as Shroffs in partnership with Manilal Chhotalal of Bombay and Pethapur under the name and firm of Keshowlal Chhotalal and now unemployed.	„	„	„
226—1915	„ Kison Narayan Sagad	„	Dongri	A Stone-breaker on daily wages	6th	April	„
688—1914	„ Ardeshir Pallonji Dalal *alias* Carting Agent.	Parsee	Chinch-pokli	A Fireman in the G. I. P. Ry.	9th	November	1914

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT,
Bombay, this 15th day of November 1916.

B. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
654—1916	Mahomedhusein Fazalhusein Shaik.	Mahomedan	Near J. J. Hospital	Lately Harmonium Repairer and dealer in Harmonium and now servant in the employ of S. Gulabshaw & Co.	15th	November	1916	15th	November	1916
653—1916	Peshotan Sorabji Tavaria	Parsi	Sleater Road, Grant Road	Lately Commission Agent and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
655—1916	Jehangir Framji Bilimoria	"	Chikalwadi, Grant Road	Lately Auctioneer in the name of Bailey & Co. and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
656—1916	Valabdas Pranji Thucker	Hindu	Vadgadi	Unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"
657—1916	Shankar Bhawoo Rawooh	"	Grant Road	Lately fitter and now unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"
658—1916	Rustomji Dadabhai Bilimoria	Parsi	Girgaum Back Road	Clerk in the service of Merwanji and Sons and also doing Washing and Dyeing business in the name of the British India Dyeing and Washing Company.	"	"	"	"	"	"
659—1916	Goverdhandas Oodhowji Thucker	Hindu	Bhendy Bazar	Formerly doing business at Panwel of cleaning paddy, lately general broker and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
660—1916	Kaikobad Edalji Dadachanji	Parsi	Khetwadi 1st Parsiwada	Parsi Priest	16th	"	"	16th	"	"

604—1916	Chunilal Amersy Parakh	Hindu	3rd Bhoiwada	Lately dealer in trunks and now unemployed.	11th	October	,,	17th	,,	,,
661—1916	Tarmahamed Hassam Memon	Mahomedan	Kolsa Molla	Formerly dealer in firewood on his own account and lately doing business in partnership with Hassum Jusab as dealers in fruits in the name of Tarmahomed Hassum and Company, and now unemployed.	20th	November	,,	20th	,,	,,
662—1916	Manishankar Gopalji Pandya	Hindu	Princess Street	Lately cook in the service of Hemraj Premji and now unemployed.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
663—1916	Tukaram Purshotum Mahtre	,,	Bhoiwadi Elphinstone Road	Carpenter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
664—1916	Muncherji Manekji Naterwala *alias* Madan.	Parsi	Nos. 1 and 3, Abdul Rehman Street.	Worker in rattan	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
665—1916	Kanji Pachan Makanwa and Dosa Kanji Makanwa.	Hindu	2nd Koombharwada	1st Debtor Blacksmith and the 2nd Debtor servant in the employ of Godrej & Co.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
666—1916	Ahmed Ebrahim Kokni	Mahomedan	Timber Street, New Nagpada	Boiler maker in the R. I. M. Dockyard Workshop.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
667—1916	Abdul Rehman Adam Memon	,,	119, Kolsa Molla	Lately general broker and now unemployed	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT,
Bombay, this 20th day of November 1916.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.
In Insolvency.

No. 652 OF 1916.

Bombay, the 15th November 1916.

Re B. K. Bomanji, carried on business at Navsari Building, Hornby Road, within the Fort of Bombay as the Premier Art Saloon: an adjudged Insolvent.

Ex parte—the Bank of India, Ltd., the Petitioning creditors.

Whereas the abovenamed B. K. Bomanji has been this day duly adjudged to have committed acts of Insolvency under Section IX of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909). It is ordered that all the estate and effects of the said Insolvent do vest in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, and it is further ordered that the said Insolvent do, immediately after the service of the order of adjudication upon him, attend the Office of the said Official Assignee.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 21st November 1916.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	6,51,97,542	12	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,08,00,000 0 0; Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* Rs. 50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0	Other authorized Investments	1,11,08,145	0	0
				Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	2,97,02,572	0	6
				Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	5,81,38,066	2	11
				Bills discounted and purchased	2,78,38,046	5	11
				Balances with other Banks	42,68,230	9	11
				Bullion	......		
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	50,00,000	0	0	Dead Stock	29,25,946	14	4
				Stamps	11,733	6	1
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 1,13,79,453 2 8; Public Deposits at Branches Rs. 1,03,49,142 8 0	2,17,28,595	10	8	Sundries	3,70,092	12	2
					19,95,60,375	15	10
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	20,55,67,707	14	9	Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 3,12,59,314 2 1; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† Rs. 3,98,77,914 14 6	7,11,37,229	0	7
Bank Post Bills, etc.	12,16,768	6	9				
Sundries	13,84,533	0	3				
RUPEES	27,06,97,605	0	5	RUPEES	27,06,97,605	0	5

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,555 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 8,61,810 0 0

Rs. 12,13,365 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 23rd November 1916.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 8 per cent.
Percentage 30·94

CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated the 22nd November 1916.

No. 1726.—Lala Bhagwan Das, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Criminal Intelligence Department, is granted privilege leave for two months, with effect from the 12th November 1916.

H. V. B. HARE SCOTT,
Deputy Director.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 8th November 1916.

No. 3005-s-*A*-*P*.—Mr. G. V. Tulpule, Probationary Superintendent of Post Offices, Bombay, and officiating Superintendent of Post Offices, 5th grade, is granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 27th October 1916

Mr. Hassomal Hotchand, Supernumerary Inspector attached to the office of the Post-master-General, Bombay, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of Post Offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. G. V. Tulpule, or until further orders.

Simla, the 21st November 1916.

No. 4032-s-*A*.-*P*.—Babu Jnanendra Nath Dutta, Superintendent of Post Offices sub. *pro tem.* in the 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for 15 days combined with private affairs for 5 months and 15 days with effect from the 20th October 1916.

The following officiating appointments are made during his absence on combined leave or until further orders :—

Babu Ramani Kanta Aich, Head Clerk, Office of the Superintendent of Post Offices, Sylhet Division, to hold charge of the current duties of the Office of the Superintendent of Post Offices, Sylhet Division, in addition to his own, from the 20th October 1916 to the 24th October 1916, inclusive ;

Babu Karindra Nath Ghosal, Clerk, Office of the Postmaster General, Bengal and Assam, to act as Superintendent of Post Offices, 5th grade, from the 25th October 1916.

2. This supersedes this office Notification No. 3051s-Ap., dated the 10th November 1916.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th November 1916.

No. 2738-*s*-*E*-*E*.—Mr. C. Lawton, Chief Electrician, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for three months with effect from the 11th November 1916.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

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POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 18th November 1916.

No. 5699-*T*.—Mr. W. J. Blackwell, Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, has been granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 28th August 1916.

Mr. I. M. D'Cruze, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, and Mr. T. G. Slark, Telegraph Master, as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, during the absence of Mr. Blackwell, or until further orders.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 5808-*T*.—Mr. S. N. Chatterjee who was appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, in Notification No. 3891-T., dated the 20th September 1916, reverted to the grade of Telegraph Master with effect from the 4th November 1916.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 23rd November 1916.

No. 5798-*T*.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 16th November 1916 to the 22nd November 1916.

Name of office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
Chaklala Camp	Punjab	6th November 1916	Opened.
Nok Kundi	"	4th November 1916	Do.
Valparai	Madras	20th October 1916	Do.
	Railway Telegraph Office.		
Pidaung	Burma Railway	1st November 1916	Closed.

R. MEREDITH,
Deputy Director-General of Telegraph Traffic.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 24th November 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 22nd November 1916.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE.										REMARKS.
				COIN AND BULLION.							SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).		TOTAL.	
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R (a)	R (b) (c)	R	
Calcutta	1,32,40,000	25,54,63 295	26,87,03,295	5,10,87 755	1,40,06,790	51,35,110	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	18,77,02,990	47,71,82 591	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
Cawnpore	...	2,79 84 405	2,79,84,405	1,50,69,566	1,82,10,150	.	...		..	...	...	..	3,32 79 716	(b) Nominal value—R19,79,01,571.
Lahore	...	5,74,46,095	5,74,46 095	1,26,73,570	2,10,89,700	...	.	...	...	..	...	..	3,37,63,270	(c) Includes treasury bills purchased under Section 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R10,27,02,990.
Bombay	39,63,705	20,62,44,900	21 62,08,605	6,23,81 290	4,40 93 063	1,39,03,651	..	...	...	...	...	...	12,03,78,004	
Karachi	...	2,46,68 535	2,48 63,535	87,76,403	36,95,715	—	.	...	...	.	...	...	1,24,72,123	
Madras	34,78,875	9,74,61 710	10,09,40,585	1,57,56,228	1,13,29,042	.	.	...	.	...	..	...	2,70 85,270	
Rangoon	...	5,50,11,105	5,50,11,105	3,74,28,581	98,96,730	..	...		...	..	...	...	4,73,25,311	
	2,66,82,580	72,44,82,045	75,11,64,625	20,31 73,398	12 23,21,190	1,90,38,761	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	18,77,02,990	75 14 83,285	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			3,98,340	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									7,[illegible]0,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			75,07,66,285								TOTAL RESERVE R		75 07,66,285	

Gold worth £49,000 (R7,35,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 22nd November 1916.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 22nd November 1916 to 32 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

CHIEF COURT OF THE PUNJAB.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 21st November 1916.

No. 6150-G.—The following list of days to be observed as holidays in the Chief Court of the Punjab and all Civil Courts subordinate thereto during the year 1917, has been prepared by the Chief Court and approved by the Local Government as required by Section 47, Clause (1) of the Punjab Courts Act, 1914, and Home Department Notification No. 1858, dated the 24th of September 1914.

List of General holidays to be observed by the Civil Courts in the Province of Delhi during the year 1917.

Description of holidays.	Name of holidays.	Date on which they fall.	Number of days including Sundays.	Day or days of the week.	REMARKS.
General	Proclamation day	1st January 1917	1	Monday.	
Muhammadan	Bara Wafat	7th " "	1	Sunday.	
Hindu	Basant Panchmi	27th " "	1	Saturday.	
"	Sheoratri	20th February 1917	1	Tuesday.	
"	Holi	7th and 8th March 1917.	2	Wednesday and Thursday.	
"	Durga Ashtami	31st March 1917	1	Saturday.	
Christian	Good Friday	6th April 1917	1	Friday.	
"	Saturday before Easter.	7th April 1917	1	Saturday.	
"	Easter Monday	9th April 1917	1	Monday.	
Hindu	Baisakhi	13th April 1917	1	Friday.	
"	Nirjala Ikadshi	1st June 1917	1	Friday.	
Muhammadan	Shab-i-Farat	5th June 1917	1	Tuesday.	
Hindu	Bias Puja	4th July 1917	1	Wednesday.	
"	Moon Eclipse	5th July 1917	1	Thursday.	
Muhammadan	Juma-ul-Wida	20th July 1917	1	Friday.	
"	Id-ul-Fitar	21st and 22nd July 1917.	2	Saturday and Sunday.	Subject to the appearance of the Moon.
Hindu	Solono	3rd August 1917	1	Friday.	
"	Janam Ashtami	10th August 1917	1	Friday.	
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

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Description of sugar.	Imported during the month of October 1916. Quantity	Average net value per cwt.	Imported since 1st October 1916. Quantity.	Average net value per cwt.
	Cwt.	R a.	Cwt.	R a.
Sugar, crystallised, beet	...	...	...	...
" " and soft, refined in China	3,781	17 8	3,781	17 8
" " " " from Japan	14,125	19 4	14,125	19 4
" " " " from Egypt	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Java, 23 Dutch Standard and above.	631,301	17 4	631,301	17 4
" " " " from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch Standard.	332,957	15 12	332,957	15 12
" " " " from Java, 15 Dutch Standard and under.	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Mauritius equal to 16 Dutch Standard and over.	...	...	...	...

FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING OCTOBER, 1916.

REVIEW of the SEA-BORNE TRADE and NAVIGATION of BRITISH INDIA for the month of OCTOBER, 1916, and for the seven months ended OCTOBER, 1916.

FOREIGN COMMERCE.

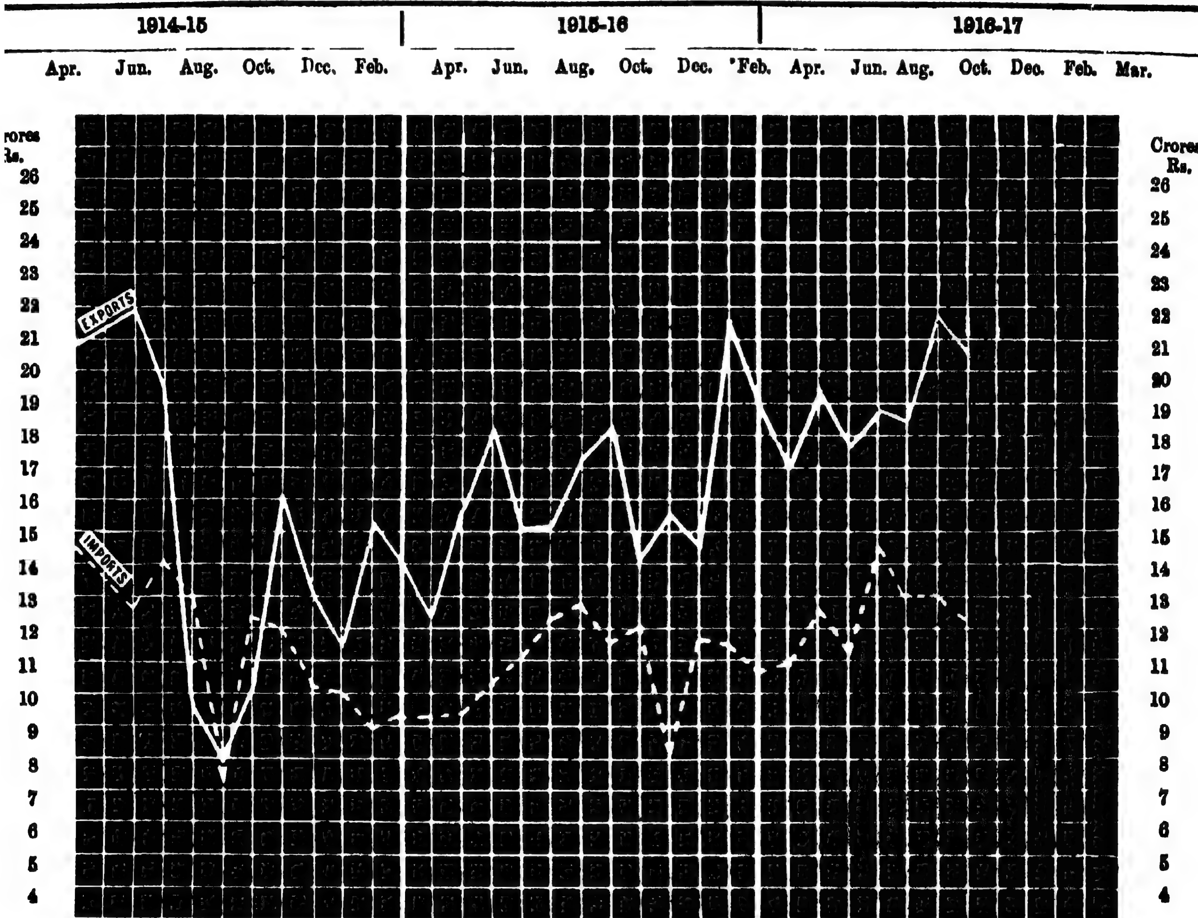
FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING OCTOBER, 1916.

The trade returns of British India for October, 1916, as compared with those of its immediate predecessor, showed decreases in total imports, exports, and re-exports. The total imports of merchandise were valued at R12¼ crores, the exports at nearly R19¾ crores, and the re-exports at R68½ lakhs. As compared with the preceding month (September, 1916), the imports decreased by 6 per cent, the exports by 5 per cent, and the re-exports by 15 per cent. As compared with October, 1915, the imports showed an increase of 6 per cent, the exports of over 10 per cent, and the re-exports of 67 per cent.

The chart showing the course of monthly imports and exports, including re-exports, from April, 1914, to October, 1916, is appended below:—

MONTHLY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FROM APRIL, 1914, TO OCTOBER, 1916.

(Private Merchandise only.)



The actual net excess of exports, including re-exports, over imports was R8,69 lakhs in September, 1916, and R8,16 lakhs in October, 1916. The statement below shows the figures of imports and exports, including re-exports, during September and October of the years 1914, 1915, and 1916, and the actual net excess of exports over imports during the same periods:—

	1914		1915		1916		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1914	1915	1916
	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)
September . .	7,40	7,97	12,83	17,33 (a)	13,01	21,70	57	4,50	8,69
October . .	12,36	10,36	11,52	18,28	12,26	20,42	—2,00	6,76	8,16

(a) Includes R2,94,092, being the value of wheat exported on Government account in September, 1915

Comparisons with September, 1916.—As compared with September, 1916, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under dates (+R9 lakhs), sugar, 16 D. S. and above (+R30$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), molasses (+R5 lakhs), paper, excluding pasteboard (+R9 lakhs), and tea-chests (+R10 lakhs), but *decreases* under liquors (—R2$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), mineral oils (—R18$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), raw silk (—R8$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), iron or steel sheets and plates (—R5 lakhs), cotton, grey piecegoods (—R12 lakhs), white piecegoods (—R27$\frac{2}{3}$ lakhs), coloured piecegoods (—R22 lakhs), and silk piecegoods (—R9$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under wheat (+R23$\frac{1}{4}$ lakhs), tea (+R4$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), wheat-flour (+R4 lakhs), rice (+R22$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs), lac (+R7 lakhs), raw jute (+R53$\frac{3}{8}$ lakhs), teakwood (+R4$\frac{1}{5}$ lakhs), cotton piecegoods (+R22$\frac{1}{4}$ lakhs), and paraffin wax (+R4 lakhs), but *decreases* under linseed (—R40 lakhs), rapeseed (—R5$\frac{3}{5}$ lakhs), raw cotton (—R41 lakhs), raw rubber (—R6 lakhs), raw hides and skins (—R11 lakhs), groundnut seed (—R5 lakhs), raw wool (—R7 lakhs), hides, tanned, etc. (—R28$\frac{4}{5}$ lakhs), skins, tanned (—R29 lakhs), indigo (—R4 lakhs), jute, gunny bags (—R20$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), jute, gunny cloth (—R15$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs), and cotton twist and yarn (—R23$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs).

Comparisons with October, 1915.—As compared with October, 1915, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under salt (+R5$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), cigarettes (+R8$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), hardware (+R6 lakhs), paper, excluding pasteboard (+R12$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), cotton, grey piecegoods (+R37 lakhs), coloured piecegoods (+R22 lakhs), and cotton hosiery and tea-chests (+R7 lakhs each), but *decreases* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (—R57 lakhs), steel bars and channel (—R7$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), iron or steel sheets and plates (—R10 lakhs), and railway plant and rolling-stock (—R24$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under wheat (+R1,87$\frac{1}{4}$ lakhs), barley (+R4$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), pulse (+R8$\frac{1}{5}$ lakhs), rice (+R75 lakhs), raw skins (+R12$\frac{4}{5}$ lakhs), linseed (+R27$\frac{3}{8}$ lakhs), sesamum (+R5$\frac{1}{4}$ lakhs), raw cotton (+R80 lakhs), cotton piecegoods (+R40$\frac{1}{8}$ lakhs), and jute, gunny cloth (+R5$\frac{1}{4}$ lakhs), but *decreases* under tea, black (—R63 lakhs), raw hides (—R39$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), cotton seed (—R6$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), groundnut seed (—R5 lakhs), raw jute (—R79$\frac{1}{5}$ lakhs), raw wool (—R12$\frac{3}{8}$ lakhs), hides, tanned (—R28$\frac{3}{8}$ lakhs), skins, tanned (—R11 lakhs), jute, gunny bags (—R27 lakhs), indigo (—R9$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), and myrobalans (—R8$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs).

VARIATIONS IN CLASSES.

The variations in October, 1915 and 1916, as compared with September, 1915 and 1916, respectively, according to the four main classes of merchandise, are as follows:—

	September 1915 R(lakhs)	October 1915 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)	September 1916 R(lakhs)	October 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)
IMPORTS						
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	2,90	3,33	+43	2,48	2,91	+43
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	80	60	—20	1,04	85	—19
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	9,02	7,38	—1,64	9,35	8,36	—99
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	11	21	+10	14	14	...
Total	12,83	11,52	—1,31	13,01	12,26	—75

EXPORTS	September 1915 R(lakhs)	October 1915 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)	September 1916 R(lakhs)	October 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)
1. Food, drink, and tobacco . . .	4,69(a)	4,19	—50	5,90	6,38	+48
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured . . .	6,21	7,40	+1,19	8,00	7,40	—60
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured . . .	5,86	6,11	+25	6,82	5,73	—1,09
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified .	21	17	—4	17	22	+5
Total .	16,97(a)	17,87	+90	20,89*	19,73*	—1,16

The imports in October, 1915, were less than those in September, 1915, by R1,31 lakhs, while the imports in October, 1916, were less by R75 lakhs than those in September, 1916. In October, 1915 and 1916, the imports of Food, drink, and tobacco increased by R43 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The imports of Raw materials in October, 1915, were less by R20 lakhs, and of Manufactured articles by R1,64 lakhs. In October, 1916, Raw materials decreased by R19 lakhs, and Manufactured articles by R99 lakhs.

Under exports, the figures for October, 1915, were more than those for September, 1915, by R90 lakhs, and in October, 1916, the figures were less by R1,16 lakhs as compared with September, 1916. In October, 1916, Food, drink, and tobacco showed an increase of R48 lakhs, as against a decrease of R50 lakhs in October, 1915, while Raw materials showed a decrease of R60 lakhs, as against an increase of R1,19 lakhs in October, 1915. Manufactured articles showed a decrease of R1,09 lakhs in October, 1916, as against an increase of R25 lakhs in the corresponding month of last year.

COMPARISON WITH THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF THE PRECEDING MONTH (SEPTEMBER, 1916).†

I.—Imports.

AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF SUGAR AND SPICES AND A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF SALT.

Imports of Food, drink, and tobacco in October, 1916, increased by R43 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, increased in October, 1916, to 49,287 tons, valued at R1,65¾ lakhs, from 40,393 tons, valued at R1,35 lakhs, in the preceding month (September, 1916). Imports from Java increased to 47,026 tons from 36,617 tons in September, 1916 and those from Japan to 713 tons from 3 tons in the preceding month. There were no imports from Mauritius in October as against 495 tons in September, 1916. In the seven months, April to October, 1916, the imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, amounted to 223,099 tons, valued at R7,31¾ lakhs, as against 304,713 tons, valued at R9,38 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year. Imports of salt decreased in October, 1916, to 38,534 tons, valued at R13¼ lakhs, from 51,333 tons, valued at R16½ lakhs, in the preceding month, mainly due to reduced imports from Spain, Egypt, and Aden. Imports of spices increased in October, 1916, to 13½ million lbs from over 9 million lbs in the preceding month, due mainly to larger imports of betelnuts from the Straits Settlements.

A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF MINERAL OILS AND RAW SILK.

The value of the imports of Raw materials in October, 1916, decreased by R19 lakhs. Imports of mineral oils decreased in October, 1916, to nearly 4¾ million gallons, valued at R27½ lakhs, from 11 million gallons, valued at R45⅝ lakhs, in the preceding month. Imports of kerosene oil fell to 3 million gallons in October, 1916, from 4½ million gallons in September, and of other kinds of mineral oil, mainly lubricating and fuel oils, to 1¾ million gallons from 6½ million gallons. Imports of raw silk also decreased in October, 1916, to 214,833 lbs, valued at R12⅝ lakhs, from 398,816 lbs, valued at R21¼ lakhs, in September, 1916, due to smaller imports from China.

A Decrease in the Imports of Manufactured Articles.

Cotton goods.

The value of the imports of Manufactured articles decreased by R99 lakhs. The imports of cotton piecegoods, including fents, in October, 1916, decreased to 184⅜ million yards, valued at R3,19 lakhs, from 168⅜ million yards, valued at R3,84 lakhs, in the preceding month. Grey goods decreased by nearly 8 million yards to 71½ million yards, white goods by nearly 16 million yards to 33 million yards and coloured, printed, or dyed, by 9 million yards to nearly 28 million yards. In the seven months, April to October, 1916, the total imports of cotton piecegoods amounted to 1,215 million yards valued at R26¾ crores, as against 1,332 million yards, valued at R22 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Iron and steel.

The quantity of iron and steel imported decreased in October, 1916, to 17,455 tons from 24,038 tons in the preceding month (September, 1916). Imports of pipes and fittings, cast decreased in October, 1916 to 853 tons from 2,989 tons in the preceding month, of iron or steel sheets and plates to 4,412 tons, valued at R17⅜ lakhs, from 5,702 tons, valued at R22¾ lakhs, in September, 1916. Imports of motor cars, in October, 1916, decreased to 293 cars, valued at nearly R9½ lakhs, from 386 cars, valued at R13 lakhs, in the preceding month.

Paper.

Imports of paper and pasteboard increased in October, 1916, to over R23 lakhs from R13⅜ lakhs in the preceding month, due mainly to larger imports of printing paper.

Silk goods.

Imports of silk piecegoods decreased in October, 1916, to 1¼ million yards, valued at R12¼ lakhs, from 2⅗ million yards, valued at R21¾ lakhs, in the preceding month, due mainly to smaller imports from China and Japan.

Matches.

Imports of matches increased in October, 1916, to 1,029,779 gross from 665,560 gross in the preceding month, due to larger imports from Japan.

II.—Exports.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF WHEAT AND RICE AND A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF BARLEY.

Exports of Food, drink, and tobacco increased in October, 1916, by R48 lakhs as compared with the preceding month.

Rice, not in the husk.

Exports of rice, not in the husk, increased in October, 1916, to 134,269 tons, valued at R1,50½ lakhs, from 100,228 tons, valued at R1,25½ lakhs, in the preceding month. The marginal table shows the exports in September and October, 1916, to certain principal importing countries. The United Kingdom, Ceylon, Java, Mauritius, and the West Indies increased their demands, while shipments to the Straits Settlements decreased. In the seven months ended October, 1916, the exports amounted to 887,541 tons, valued at R10½ crores, as against 715,346 tons, valued at nearly R8 crores in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Exports of rice, not in the husk.

	September, 1916	October, 1916
	tons	tons
To United Kingdom	24,233	26,297
" Ceylon	18,912	31,481
" Straits Settlements	24,040	17,068
" Java	4,000	14,150
" West Indies	2,417	11,093
" Mauritius	1,709	8,464
Total (including other countries)	100,228	134,269

Wheat.

Exports of wheat on private account increased in October, 1916, to 150,900 tons, valued at nearly R1,88 lakhs, from 138,736 tons, valued at R1,64⅜ lakhs, in the preceding month. There were no exports on Government account in September or October, 1916. The United Kingdom took 102,048 tons, Italy 18,255 tons, and France 28,428 tons of the total exports during October, 1916. In the seven months ended October, 1916, the exports (on private and Government account) amounted to 455,771 tons, valued at R5,42½ lakhs, as against 649,068 tons, valued at nearly R8,39 lakhs in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Barley.

Exports of barley decreased in October, 1916, to 8,418 tons from 11,718 tons in the preceding month, mainly due to smaller shipments to the United Kingdom.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF TEA.

Tea.

Shipments of tea in October, 1916, increased to 41⅘ million lbs, valued at nearly R2,25 lakhs, from 38⅔ million lbs, valued at R2,20½ lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took nearly 29½ million lbs in October, 1916, as against nearly 30 million lbs, in September, 1916, and Russia over 7 million lbs as against nearly 4½ million lbs. The total exports in the seven months ended October, 1916, amounted to 181⅓ million lbs, valued at R10½ crores, as against 196 million lbs, valued at R12 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW JUTE BUT A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW COTTON, SEEDS, RAW WOOL, AND RAW HIDES AND SKINS.

The value of the exports of raw materials decreased by R60 lakhs. The marginal table shows the exports of raw cotton during September and October, 1916, to the principal importing countries. The shipments decreased in October, 1916 to 28,510 tons, valued at R2,70 lakhs, from 40,860 tons, valued at R3,10⅘ lakhs in the preceding month. All the principal importing countries except Italy took smaller quantities. In the seven months ended October, 1916, the exports amounted to 274,876 tons, valued at R20½ crores, as against 272,274 tons, valued at R13¾ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Raw Cotton.

Exports of raw cotton.

	September, 1916.	October, 1916.
	tons	tons
To Japan . . .	31,984	21,040
" Italy . . .	1,651	3,142
" United Kingdom .	2,497	1,289
" China . . .	2,220	1,676
Total (including other countries) .	40,860	28,510

Raw Jute.

Exports of raw jute in October, 1916, increased to 66,718 tons, valued at R2,05⅔ lakhs, from 51,731 tons, valued at R1,52 lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took 47,484 tons, as against 34,905 tons in September, 1916, and the United States of America 13,780 tons as against 10,875 tons. In the seven months ended October, 1916, the exports amounted to 234,339 tons, valued at R6,94⅘ lakhs, as against 334,163 tons, valued at nearly R8,33 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Raw wool.

Exports of raw wool, entirely to the United Kingdom, amounted in October, 1916, to 1,600,588 lbs against 1,826,090 lbs in the preceding month.

Raw hides.

Exports of raw hides decreased in October, 1916, to 1,699 tons, valued at R25 lakhs, from 1,938 tons, valued at R29⅗ lakhs in the preceding month. The United States of America took 680 tons, as against 624 tons in the preceding month. Exports of raw skins decreased in October, 1916, to 1,766 tons from 2,035 tons in the preceding month. The United States of America took 1,525 tons, as against 1,745 tons in September, 1916.

Raw skins.

Oil-seeds.

Exports of seeds in October, 1916, amounted to 57,311 tons, valued at R98¼ lakhs, as against 91,212 tons, valued at R1,57 lakhs in the preceding month. Exports of linseed decreased to 31,502 tons, valued at R56½ lakhs, from 52,705 tons, valued at R96⅗ lakhs, in the preceding month. Exports of castor seed increased, while those of groundnuts, cotton seed, rape seed, and sesamum decreased.

A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF JUTE MANUFACTURES AND COTTON TWIST AND YARN AND AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF COTTON PIECE GOODS.

The value of the exports of Manufactured articles decreased by R1,09 lakhs. Exports of jute, gunny bags decreased in October, 1916, to 68 millions in number, valued at R1,81⅓ lakhs, from over 73 millions, valued at R2,01¾ lakhs, in the

Jute, gunny bags.

preceding month. The marginal table shows the number of hessian and sacking bags exported to certain principal countries during September and October, 1916. The exports to the United Kingdom and Australia increased, while those to the West Indies decreased. There were no exports to Chile in October, 1916. The exports of jute gunny bags, in the seven months ended October, 1916, amounted to 474 millions in number, valued at nearly R13⅗ crores, as against 410 millions, valued at R11 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Exports of gunny bags

	September, 1916			October, 1916		
	Sacking, (millions of bags)	Hessian, (millions of bags)	Total (millions of bags)	Sacking, (millions of bags)	Hessian, (millions of bags)	Total (millions of bags)
United Kingdom	2·2	24·3	26·5	1·9	27·6	29·5
Australia	11·6	·1	11·7	17·6	·4	18
Russia	...	·8	·8	...	·2	·2
France	·6	6·1	6·7	·5	6	6·5
United States of America	1	...	1	1·1	·3	1·4
Chile	6·3	...	6·3	...	...	...
West Indies	6·1	·4	6·5	3·8	...	3·3
Total (including other countries)	37·3	35·9	73·2	32·8	35·4	68·2

Jute, gunny cloth.

Exports of jute, gunny cloth in October, 1916, decreased to 94 million yards, valued at R1,61 lakhs, from 110½ million yards, valued at R1,77 lakhs, in the preceding month. Exports to the Argentine increased by 15 million yards, while the United Kingdom and the United States of America took, respectively, 8 million yards and 20 million yards less than in the preceding month. In the seven months ended October, 1916, the exports amounted to 703 million yards, valued at R11½ crores, as against nearly 731 million yards, valued at R10 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Exports of gunny cloth

	September, 1916			October, 1916		
	Sacking, (millions of yards)	Hessian, (millions of yards)	Total (millions of yards)	Sacking, (millions of yards)	Hessian, (millions of yards)	Total (millions of yards)
United Kingdom	·7	17·1	17·8	·9	9	9·9
Russia	...	3·7	3·7	...	5·3	5·3
France	...	9·9	9·9	...	4·4	4·4
Australia	·7	2	2·7	·9	2·6	3 5
Canada	...	3·2	3·2	...	2·7	2·7
United States of America	..	48·6	48·6	2·8	25·6	28·4
Argentine Republic	...	21·8	21·8	1·9	34·9	36·8
Total (including other countries)	1·5	108·9	110·4	6·7	87·7	94·4

Cotton, twist and yarn and piecegoods.

Exports of cotton twist and yarn decreased in October, 1916, to 18¼ million lbs, valued at R 80¾ lakhs, from over 23⅝ million lbs, valued at R1,04 lakhs, in the preceding month, due mainly to smaller shipments to China. The value of cotton piecegoods exported increased to R65 lakhs from R42⅘ lakhs in the preceding month.

Seven months ended October 1916.

The summary of the results for the seven months ended October, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1914 and 1915, is as follows:—

	1914		1915		1916		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1914	1915	1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Merchandise	87,46	1,11,71	76,96	1,12,30(a)	87,45	1,33,91(b)	24,25	35,34	46,46
Treasure (private)	14,33	2,77	8,15	2,92	8,30	3,02	—11,56	—5,23	—5,28

(a) Includes R6,88,59,547, being the value of wheat exported on Government account in May to October, 1915
(b) Includes R3,13,000 " " " in April, 1916

It will be seen that, during the seven months ended October, 1916, as compared with the seven months ended October, 1915, the imports of merchandise increased by R10,49 lakhs or 13 per cent, and the exports, including re-exports, by R21,61 lakhs or 19 per cent. The total value of merchandise increased by R32 crores, or 17 per cent, to nearly R221⅓ crores.

CHIEF INCREASES AND DECREASES.

Comparing the values of the imports during the seven months ended October, 1916, with those in the corresponding period of 1915, the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

Increases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Biscuits and cakes	23,89
	Canned and bottled provisions	25,34
	Salt	24,21
	Spirit	28,17
	Cigarettes	36,49
Class II	Mineral oil (other than kerosene)	52,98
	Wood (timber)	12,15
	Precious stones and pearls, unset	15,41
Class III	Boots and shoes	13,41
	Chemicals	34,01
	Drugs and medicines	23,85
	Hardware	47,83
	Instruments, electrical	33,03
	Paints and colours	24,48
Class III	Glass and glassware	30,70
	Motor cars and motor cycles	62,28
	Stationery	17,91
	Textile machinery	28,34
	Paper (excluding pasteboard)	66,65
	Cotton, twist and yarn	15,84
	" white piecegoods	1,76,15
	" coloured "	3,61,82
	" hosiery	43,00
	Haberdashery and millinery	37,61
	Woollen piecegoods	33,70
	Tea-chests	13,78
	Toys	9,70
	Soap	8,64
	Umbrellas	7,65
Class IV	Horses	22,10

Decreases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	2,06,47
	Betelnuts	7,45
Class II	Coal	7,90
	Kerosene oil	21,70
	Silk (raw)	11,97
Class III	Copper, wrought	31,99
	Bars and channel (steel)	20,57
	Iron or steel—sheets and plates	43,14
	" beams, pillars, etc.	18,72
	" pipes and fittings (cast)	16,69
Class III	Railway carriages and wagons	57,26
	" locomotive engines, etc.	90,79
	" materials for construction	35,06
	Silk piecegoods	19,41
	Cotton, grey piecegoods	99,27
	Cement	14,23
	Matches	28,53

Under exports the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

Increases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Pulse	36,13
	Rice	2,36,76
Class II	Coal	7,49
	Lac	50,20
	Hides (raw)	26,37
	Skins (raw)	1,60,31
	Manganese ore	35,02
	Coconut oil	9,60
	Castor seed	30,12
	Copra or coconut kernel	39,18
	Groundnut seed	14,10
	Linseed	2,86,18
	Rape seed	14,18
Class II	Sesamum seed	58,65
	Rubber (raw)	23,16
	Cotton (raw)	6,71,20
	Hemp (raw)	15,77
	Silk (raw)	14,29
	Wool (raw)	18,82
Class III	Saltpetre	22,13
	Opium	3,66
	Indigo	28,81
	Hides, tanned, etc.	38,30
	Skins, " "	94,31
	Cotton piecegoods	1,11,30
	Jute gunny bags	2,57,84
	" " cloth	1,31,97
	Paraffin wax	5,68

Decreases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Coffee	12,37
	Barley	12,84
	Gram	13,54
	Jawar and bajra	6,26
	Wheat (private and Government)	2,96,62
	Spices, pepper	9,90
	Tea	1,44,46
Class II	Jute (raw)	1,38,18
	Wood, teak	11,21
Class III	Cotton, twist and yarn	6,77
	Oil cakes	10,39
Class IV	Bran and pollards	20,65

Imports of Foreign Merchandise.

In the following table are shown the quantities and values of the principal articles of imports during the seven months ended October, 1916, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1915 :—

Principal Articles	Quantity.		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (−) in the seven months ended October, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	Quantity	Value
	(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Apparel (excluding haberdashery, hosiery, and boots and shoes)	—	—	81,93	94,14	—	+12,21
Carriages and carts (including cycles and motor cars)	—	—	77,25	1,42,16	—	+64,91
Chemicals	—	—	84,76	1,18,77	—	+34,01
Coal . . . tons	82	19	14,79	6,89	—63	—7,90
Drugs and medicines	—	—	69,05	92,90	—	+23,85
Dyes, aniline and alizarine . . lbs	504	337	10,48	9,28	—167	—1,20
Fruits and vegetables	—	—	48,79	35,08	—	—13,71
Glass and glassware	—	—	59,94	90,64	—	+30,70
Hardware	—	—	1,38,27	1,86,10	—	+47,83
Instruments, apparatus, etc.	—	—	71,46	1,17,36	—	+45,90
Liquors . . . gals.	2,771	2,977	1,08,46	1,55,72	+206	+47,26
Machinery of all kinds, including belting for machinery	—	—	3,11,00	3,88,01	—	+77,01
Matches . . . gross	11,873	5,887	86,44	57,91	—5,986	—28.53
Metals, iron and steel . . tons	276	169	5,65,08	5,44,43	—107	—20,65
„ copper . . . cwts	92	17	57,38	18,79	—75	—38,59
Oils—mineral . . . gals.	51,761	50,238	2,21,34	2,52,62	—1,523	+31,28
Paper and pasteboard	—	—	75,08	1,44,16	—	+69,08
Provisions and oilman's stores	—	—	1,16,12	1,89,17	—	+73,05
Railway plant and rolling-stock	—	—	3,07,67	1,24,56	—	—1,83,11
Salt . . . tons	352	283	65,47	89,68	—69	+24,21
Spices . . . lbs	88,631	80,935	1,03,85	1,05,03	—7,696	+1,18
Stationery	—	—	31,04	48,95	—	+17,91
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above . . cwts	6,094	4,462	9,38,23	7,31,76	—1,632	—2,06;47
Textiles— Cotton, raw . . . „	14	20	5,37	9,48	+6	+4,11
„ twist and yarn . . lbs	26,669	19,358	2,28,99	2,44,83	—7,311	+15,84
„ grey piecegoods . . yards	763,355	553,262	11,41,12	10,41,85	—210,093	—99,27
„ white „ . . „	861,514	879,727	6,06,62	7,82,77	+18,213	+1,76,15
„ coloured „ . . „	191,146	255,080	4,33,46	7,95,28	+63,934	+3,61,82
„ other sorts of manufactures	—	—	1,23,91	2,57,19	—	+1,33,28
Silk, raw . . . lbs	1,892	1,030	66,38	54,41	—862	—11,97
„ manufactures	—	—	1,61,77	1,60,57	—	—1,20
Woollen manufactures	—	—	51,38	95,25	—	+43,87

Exports of Indian Merchandise.

The table below shows the quantities and values of the principal articles of Indian merchandise exported during the seven months ended October, 1916, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1915 :—

Principal Articles	Quantity 1915	Quantity 1916	Value 1915	Value 1916	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the seven months ended October, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915: Quantity	Value
	(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Coal . . . . tons	463	556	43,08	50,57	+93	+7,49
Coffee . . . . cwts	110	89	60,36	47,99	—21	—12,37
Dyes, indigo . . . . . . ,,	11	10	43,07	66,88	—1	+23,81
Grain, pulse, and flour—						
Rice, in the husk . . . . ,,	288	470	9,31	15,66	+182	+6,35
Rice, not in the husk . . . . ,,	14,307	17,751	7,95,78	10,26,22	+3,444	+2,30,44
Wheat (a) Private . . . . ,,	2,312	9,063	1,50,38	5,39,22	+6,751	+3,88,84
Wheat (a) Government . . . ,,	10,669	52	6,88,59	3,13	—10,617	—6,85,46
Wheat (a) Total . . ,,	12,981	9,115	8,38,97	5,42,35	—3,866	—2,96,62
Wheat flour . . . . . ,,	627	700	60,09	59,35	+73	—74
Barley . . . . ,,	2,594	2,209	1,30,83	1,17,99	—385	—12,84
Jawar and bajra . . . . ,,	503	355	25,74	19,48	—148	—6,26
Pulse . . . . ,,	1,538	1,819	98,08	1,34,21	+281	+36,13
Other sorts . . . . . ,,	536	185	27,86	10,39	—351	—17,47
Hides, raw . . . . ,,	476	469	3,44,37	3,70,74	—7	+26,37
Skins, raw . . . . ,,	256	321	1,60,51	3,20,82	+65	+1,60,31
Hides and skins, raw, cuttings . ,,	7	7	77	71	...	—6
Hides and skins, tanned or dressed ,,	241	260	3,20,28	4,52,89	+19	+1,32,61
Lac . . . . ,,	226	234	85,52	1,35,72	+8	+50,20
Manures . . . . tons	38	37	28,15	32,99	—1	+4,84
Manganese ore . . . . . . ,,	243	382	42,40	77,42	+139	+35,02
Oilcakes . . . . cwts	1,841	1,410	67,73	57,34	—431	—10,39
Opium . . . . ,,	8	6	88,42	92,08	—2	+3,66
Seeds . . . . ,,	6,903	11,021	4,81,44	9,34,29	+4,118	+4,52,85
Tea . . . . lbs	196,125	181,384	11,88,19	10,43,73	—14,741	—1,44,46
Textiles—						
Cotton, raw . . . . . cwts	5,445	5,497	13,72,37	20,43,57	+52	+6,71,20
,, twist and yarn . . lbs	100,615	95,605	4,29,23	4,22,46	—5,010	—6,77
,, piecegoods . . yards	58,239	124,814	1,33,65	2,44,95	+66,575	+1,11,30
Jute, raw . . . . . tons	334	234	8,32,88	6,94,70	—100	—1,38,18
,, gunny bags Sacking . no.		214,067		8,56,91		
,, gunny bags Hessian . ,,		260,012		5,03,16		
,, gunny bags Total . ,,	409,865	474,079	11,02,23	13,60,07	+64,214	+2,57,84
,, gunny cloth Sacking yards		26,346		49,70		
,, gunny cloth Hessian . ,,		676,943		10,99,99		
,, gunny cloth Total . ,,	730,999	703,289	10,17,72	11,49,69	—27,710	+1,31,97
Wool, raw . . . . . lbs	39,092	30,044	2,16,11	2,34,93	—9,048	+18,82
Wood, teak . . . . cubic tons	22	16	42,21	31,00	—6	—11,21

(a) Exports of wheat on Government account are shown separately under Government stores from April, 1915.

TRADE BY PROVINCES.

The total imports and exports, including re-exports, of private merchandise into and from the several maritime provinces during the month of October, 1916, as compared with those of September, 1916, are stated below :—

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS, INCLUDING RE-EXPORTS	
	September, 1916	October, 1916	September, 1916	October, 1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Bengal	4,98	5,26	8,82	8,69
Bombay	4,66	4,07	7,28	6,08
Sind	1,20	82	2,35	2,75
Madras	1,15	97	2,15	1,31
Burma	1,02	1,14	1,10	1,59
Total	13,01	12,26	21,70	20,42

Under imports, Burma showed an increase of 12 per cent and Bengal of 6 per cent, but Sind showed a decrease of 32 per cent, Madras of 16 per cent, and Bombay of 13 per cent. Under exports, Burma showed an increase of 44 per cent, and Sind of 17 per cent, while Bombay showed a decrease of 17 per cent, Bengal of 1 per cent, and Madras of 39 per cent. These comparisons are with the preceding month (September, 1916).

TRADE WITH THE ALLIES AND NEUTRAL COUNTRIES.

The total trade with the Allies and the principal neutral countries in the month of October, 1916, as compared with September, 1916, is noted below :—

	Imports			Exports			Total		
	September, 1916	October, 1916	+ or −	September, 1916	October, 1916	+ or −	September, 1916	October, 1916	+ or −
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
United Kingdom	7,83	6,50	−1,33	7,99	7,12	−87	15,82	13,62	−2,20
Russia	...	11	+11	48	52	+4	48	63	+15
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
France	11	15	+4	1,10	1,06	−4	1,21	1,21	...
Italy	16	24	+8	89	66	−23	1,05	90	−15
Japan	98	1,16	+18	2,73	2,30	−43	3,71	3,46	−25
Sweden	..	17	+17	...	...	...	...	17	+17
Norway	1	11	+10	...	...	..	1	11	+10
Holland	9	12	+3	...	6	+6	9	18	+9
Spain	5	4	−1	9	7	−2	14	11	−3
United States of America	92	72	−20	1,68	1,53	−15	2,60	2,25	−35

It will be observed that in October, 1916, as compared with September, 1916, the total trade with the Allies and the principal neutral countries, except with Russia, Sweden, Norway, and Holland decreased. There were smaller imports from the United Kingdom, Spain, and the United States of America. Imports from Russia increased by R11 lakhs, France by R4 lakhs, Italy by R8 lakhs, Japan by R18 lakhs, Sweden by R17 lakhs, Norway by R10 lakhs, and Holland by R3 lakhs. Imports from the United Kingdom decreased by R1,33 lakhs, Spain by R1 lakh, and from the United States of America by R20 lakhs. Under exports, the United Kingdom accounted for a decrease of R87 lakhs, Japan of R43 lakhs, Italy of R23 lakhs, France of R4 lakhs, Spain of R2 lakhs, and the United States of America of R15 lakhs, while Russia showed an increase of R4 lakhs and Holland of R6 lakhs. There was practically no trade with Belgium. The above comparisons are with the preceding month (September, 1916).

BALANCE OF TRADE.

India's Balance of Trade during the seven months ended October, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915, is shown in the following table. The table takes into account the imports and exports of merchandise and

treasure on private account only as well as the value of wheat exported on Government account:

	April to October, 1915	April to October, 1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports*	1,12,30(a)	1,83,91 (b)
Imports " *	76,96	87,45
Excess of Exports over Imports	35,34	46,40
Net Imports of Gold*	1,45	7,16
" " " Silver*	3,78	—1,88
Net Imports of Treasure	5,23	5,28
Net (private) exports of merchandise and treasure *	30,11	41,18
Council bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India	7,54·9	13,84·2
Sterling bills on London sold in India	7,38·8	...
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports)	78·5	32·5
Interest on enfaced Rupee paper	16·6	14·9
	October (1915)	October (1916)
	d.	d.
Average rate of exchange	16·017	16·127(c)

In the seven months, April to October, 1916, the excess of exports over imports of private merchandise was R46,46 lakhs, as against R35,34 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1915, and the net imports of treasure were R5,28 lakhs as against R5,23 lakhs last year. The net exports (merchandise and treasure) were R41,18 lakhs, as against R30,11 lakhs in 1915.

The amount of Council bills and Telegraphic Transfers paid in India in the seven months ended October 1916, was R13,84 lakhs, of which R3,38⅔ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R3,20 lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and R7,25⅓ lakhs through the Treasuries. In the seven months ended October, 1915, the amount was about R7,55 lakhs, of which R1,08¾ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve and about R6,46¼ through the Treasuries. As regards enfaced Rupee paper, R23¼ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London, and R55¾ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London, in the seven months, April to October, 1916, while in the corresponding period of 1915, R32¼ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London and R1,10¾ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London.

Movements of Gold and Silver (Private and Government).

In the month of October, 1916, the imports of gold were valued at R1,83 lakhs and the exports at R42,000, as against R1,10 lakhs and R 2 lakhs, respectively, in September, 1916. Of the imports, gold bullion was valued at R1,75 lakhs, as against R96⅓ lakhs in the preceding month. Bullion worth R1⅓ lakhs was imported from the United Kingdom in October, 1916, as against R3⅖ lakhs in September, 1916, over R1,49¼ lakhs from Natal as against R74½ lakhs, R14 lakhs from the United States of America as against R5¾ lakhs, and nearly R10 lakhs from China as against R12 lakhs. Sovereigns and other British gold coin were valued at R6½ lakhs, as against R9⅗ lakhs in the preceding month. As regards exports, gold bullion worth R42,000 and sovereigns worth only R120 were exported in the month of report, as against R6,000 and R1,95,000, respectively, in September, 1916.

Imports of silver were valued at R3,85 lakhs, of which R3,80 lakhs were on account of Government, as against R1,87 lakhs on private and Government account in September, 1916. Bullion worth R3,62 lakhs was imported, as against R1,56 lakhs in the preceding month. Exports of silver were valued at R74½ lakhs, of which R3⅓ lakhs were on Government account, as against R44⅝ lakhs, entirely on private account, in the preceding month.

* Exclusive of Government transactions (other than wheat exports in the case of exports of merchandise).
(a) Includes R6,86,59,547, being the value of wheat exported on Government account.
(b) Includes R8,18,000, being the value of wheat exported on Government account.
(c) Approximate.

Declared value per unit of selected Articles.

The declared values per unit of certain selected articles imported and exported during October, 1915 and 1916, are noted below :—

		October 1915	October 1916			October 1915	October 1916
Imports		R A. P.	R A. P.	*Exports*—contd.		R A. P.	R A. P.
Coal	ton	18 5 1	27 13 10	Indigo	cwt	411 9 8	584 2 3
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwt	15 1 1	16 13 1	Rice, not in the husk	,,	7 11 8	5 9 7
Cotton, twist and yarn	lb	0 15 2	1 6 0	Wheat	,,	7 8 10	6 3 7
,, grey piecegoods	yard	0 2 7	0 3 1	Manganese ore	ton	17 13 10	19 6 3
,, white ,,	,,	0 2 9	0 3 6	Tea	lb	0 8 11	0 8 7
,, coloured ,,	,,	0 3 8	0 5 10	Cotton, raw	cwt	27 7 4	47 5 4
Exports				Jute, raw	bale	51 5 10	55 0 7
Coal	ton	8 12 4	9 2 9	,, gunny bags	no.	0 3 8	0 4 3
Coffee	cwt	47 6 10	51 7 2	,, gunny cloth	yard	0 2 5	0 2 9

Under imports, the declared unit value of coal rose by 52 per cent, of sugar by 11 per cent, of cotton twist and yarn by 45 per cent, and of cotton piecegoods, grey by 19 per cent, white by 27 per cent, and coloured by 59 per cent. Under exports, indigo showed an increase of 42 per cent, jute gunny cloth of 14 per cent, raw cotton of 72 per cent, raw jute of 7 per cent, coffee of 8 per cent, coal of 5 per cent, and manganese ore of 9 per cent; while wheat showed a decrease of 18 per cent, tea of 4 per cent, and rice, not in the husk, of 28 per cent. These comparisons are with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Customs Revenue.*

The following table shows the gross Indian sea customs revenue (excluding salt revenue) collected on principal and other articles in October, 1916, as compared with September, 1916, and October, 1915 and 1913 :—

	October 1913 (pre-war month)	October 1915	September 1916	October 1916	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in October 1916, as compared with		
					September 1916	October 1915	October 1913
Import duty	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
Special duties—	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)
Arms	61	44	1,06	65	—41	+21	+4
Cotton goods	18,74	9,64	13,90	12,83	—1,57	+2,69	—6,41
Liquors	11,11	8,75	10,38	8,95	—1,43	+20	—2,16
Petroleum	4,50	4,80	2,77	4,88	+2,11	+8	+38
Silver, bullion and coin	2,61	8,38	54	68	+14	—2,70	—1,93
Silver manufactures	(a)	(a)	18	30	+12	—	—
Sugar	12,78	7,31	11,53	15,43	+3,90	+8,12	+2,65
Tobacco	2,45	2,14	4,61	2,98	—1,63	+84	+53
General duties—							
Metals excluding silver, but including hardware, etc.	5,97	2,81	7,22	6,46	—76	+3,65	+49
Other articles	21,67	15,84	29,79	28,65	—1,14	+12,81	+6,98
Total import duty	80,44	55,11	81,98	81,31	—67	+26,20 (b)	+87 (b)
Export duty on jute	—	—	8,72	13,12	+4,40	—	—
,, ,, rice	6,31	2,33	6,30	6,32	+2	+3,99	+1
,, ,, tea	—	—	5,25	6,08	+83	—	—

The customs duty figures are an index to the volume of the import trade alone, as under exports jute, rice, and tea only are subject to duty. In the seven months ended October, 1916, the import duties increased to nearly R5,60 lakhs from over R4,13½ lakhs in the seven months ended October, 1915, and the export duty on rice rose to R44¾ lakhs from R35¾ lakhs. The export duty levied on raw jute amounted to R22,25,000, on jute manufactures to R24,56,000, and on tea to R24,58,000, in the seven months, April to October, 1916. The total customs revenue (excluding salt but including excise duty on cotton goods and land customs) for the seven months amounted to over R7,07 lakhs, as compared with nearly R4,77⅝ lakhs for the same period last year.

* The Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, IV of 1916, took effect from 1st March, 1916.
(a) Included with "other articles."
(b) The details are less by R30,000 than the total on account of the inclusion of the figures of "silver manufactures" with "other articles" in October, 1915 and 1913.

SHIPPING.

The following table shows the number and tonnage of vessels, which entered and cleared with cargoes at ports in British India during October, 1916, as compared with September, 1916, and October, 1915, 1914, and 1913:—

Entered with cargoes.

	STEAMERS.		SAILING VESSELS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
October, 1916	166	352,144	146	12,703	312	364,847
September, 1916	160	320,880	51	3,738	211	324,618
October, 1915	166	345,974	132	11,307	298	357,281
October, 1914	171	392,952	74	6,603	245	399,555
October, 1913 (pre-war month)	204	562,978	99	8,494	303	571,472
Cleared with cargoes.						
October, 1916	234	482,365	147	10,464	381	492,829
September, 1916	236	468,444	329	27,128	565	495,572
October, 1915	225	479,041	101	6,803	326	485,844
October, 1914	203	419,506	50	3,621	253	423,127
October, 1913 (pre-war month)	224	621,480	57	4,027	281	625,507

In the month of October, 1916, there were 312 arrivals* and 381 sailings † with cargoes in and from India. As regards tonnage, if a comparison be made with October, 1913, the corresponding pre-war month, it will be seen that there is a decrease in the tonnage of vessels cleared with cargoes of 132,678 tons or 21 per cent. The clearances from Sind in October, 1916, showed an increase of 41 per cent as compared with October, 1913; while Bengal recorded a decrease of 9 per cent, Bombay of 38 per cent, Madras of 47 per cent, and Burma of 13 per cent. The decrease in the entries (with cargoes) amounted to 206,625 tons or 36 per cent.

The shipping clearances with cargoes in foreign trade from the ports of British India in the seven months, April to October, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1913, *i.e.*, before the war broke out, were as follows:—

	TONNAGE CLEARANCES IN THE SEVEN MONTHS, APRIL TO OCTOBER.	
	1913 Peace conditions.	1916 War conditions.
British ships (including British Indian)	3,701,864	2,834,005
Foreign ships	1,042,001	578,984
TOTAL	4,743,865	3,412,989

Under war conditions, the total tonnage clearances have declined 28 per cent. Under peace conditions, the British (including British Indian) tonnage was 78 per cent and foreign tonnage 22 per cent of the total, while under war conditions, the British (including British Indian) tonnage is 83 per cent and foreign tonnage 17 per cent.

RAILWAY STATISTICS.

Railway statistics, like the import and export statistics above, are a valuable indication of the general movement of trade throughout the country, and show that the earnings from 1st April to 4th November, 1916, were R39,48 lakhs as against R35,82 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1915, or an increase of R3,66 lakhs.

* The details were as follows:—Bengal 30, Bombay 78, Sind 81, Madras 105, and Burma 18.
† The details were as follows:—Bengal 62, Bombay 43, Sind 93, Madras 150, and Burma 33.

TRADE OF ADEN, DURING SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, 1916.

The grand total value of the imports and exports of merchandise, by sea, into and from the port of Aden amounted to over R90 lakhs in the month of September, 1916, and to over R 1,23 lakhs in the month of October, 1916. The values of the principal articles of imports and exports during September and October, 1916, were as follows:—

	September, 1916.		October, 1916.	
	Imports R (thousands)	Exports R (thousands)	Imports R (thousands.)	Exports R (thousands.)
Cotton manufactures	19,97	14,57	29,72	19,60
Hides and skins, raw	7,47	3,96	6,06	8,36
Grain and pulse	4,92	3,14	9,21	3,76
Coffee	2,69	2,92	1,52	2,26
Coal	76	—	5,51	—
Tobacco, unmanufactured	91	3,56	4,59	3,75
Provisions	1,27	1,08	1,06	53
Sugar	2,61	—	2,91	—
Spices	1	—	1,51	—
Salt	—	44	—	58
Pearls	—	1,00	—	35
Other Articles	9,28	9,70	10,62	11,29
Total value	49,89	40,37	72,71	50,48

SHIPPING AT THE PORT OF ADEN IN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, 1916.

In September 1916, 74 steamers with an aggregate tonnage of 175,481 entered at the port of Aden, while 75 steamers with 171,395 tons, cleared from the port. Twenty-nine sailing vessels (country craft) with 719 tons entered and 26 vessels with 697 tons cleared from the port. In October 1916, 75 steamers with an aggregate tonnage of 165,027 entered, while 75 steamers with 167,597 tons cleared from the port. Fifty-six sailing vessels (country craft) with 1,459 tons entered and 43 vessels with 1,207 tons cleared from the port. These figures exclude vessels in ballast and Government vessels.

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Whereas an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:— IX of 5 & 6 Geo. V, c.

Ordinance No. VI of 1916.

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be called the Indian Paper Currency (Further Amendment) Ordinance, 1916.

Amendment of section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916.

2. Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916, shall be construed as if for the words "sixty millions" the words "one hundred and eighty millions" were substituted. IX of

Jaipur,
The 11th November, 1916.

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

Delhi, the 23rd November, 1916.

No. 56.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. John Ghest Cumming, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 21st November 1916.

No. 49-C.—Mr. A. Mayne has been permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 26th September 1916.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 90-C.—Mr. J. Hope Simpson, C.I.E., is permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 30th November 1916, or the subsequent date on which he may sail from India or relinquish charge of office in the event of his not taking subsidiary leave.

No. 92-C.—Sir H. S. Hartnoll, Kt., is permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 20th August 1916.

MEDICAL.

The 20th November 1916.

No. 17-C.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel G. G. Giffard, C.S.I., I.M.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras.

The 24th November 1916.

No. 101-C.—Captain J. D. Sandes, M.B., I.M.S., is appointed to hold charge of the duties of Superintendent, X-Ray Institute, Dehra Dun, in addition to his own duties, during the absence of Major A. E. Walter, I.M.S., on other duty.

J. H. DuBOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Delhi, the 18th November 1916.

No. 419.—The Reverend John Reginald Weller, B. A., has been appointed to be a Chaplain on probation on the Bengal (Lahore) Ecclesiastical Establishment to fill an existing vacancy.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 21st November 1916.

No. 122.—The following amendment is made in the rules for the encouragement of the study of oriental languages, published with the Department of Education Notification no. 80, dated the 6th June 1914 :—

In rule VIII, sub-paragraph 7, in the list of tour examinations conducted at Lucknow by the Secretary to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, against *Persian* add " and High Proficiency " after " Higher standard ".

The 22nd November 1916.

No. 124.—Major M. L. Ferrar, an Assistant Commissioner in the Punjab (now serving under the Government of India as Postal Censor, Bombay), has obtained for the second time a Degree of Honour in Persian in the First Division and is entitled to half the original reward prescribed for that division, *viz.*, to Rs. 2,500.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 127.—The following amendments are made in the rules for the encouragement of the study of oriental languages, published with the Department of Education Notification no. 80, dated the 6th June 1914 :—

In rule X number the present Note as Note 1, and add the following as Note 2 :—

"In the examination in the Punjabi language the Gurmukhi character must be used, *e. g.*, in the written translation from English into the Vernacular."

E. D MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CIVIL VETERINARY ADMINISTRATION.

Delhi, the 23rd November 1916.

No. 17-C.—The following officers are confirmed in the Civil Veterinary Department with effect from the dates noted respectively against each :—

Mr. J. G. Cattell, M.R.C.V.S., 27th November 1913.
Mr. P. J. Kerr, M.R.C.V.S., 22nd January 1916.
Mr. D. Meadows, M.R.C.V.S., 3rd November 1916.

FAMINE.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 20-C.—With reference to rule 3, clause (*c*) of the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 1616-F., dated 25th July 1900, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General, Central India, has appointed Rai Bahadur Nanak Chand, C.S.I., C.I.E., to be a Member of the Board of Management of the Indian People's Famine Trust *vice* Major General His Highness Sir Madho Rao Sindhia, Bahadur, Maharaja of Gwalior, G.C.S.I., G.C.V.O., resigned.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 20th November 1916.

No. 167-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act, 1886 (VI of 1886), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend J. A. Vanes, Wesleyan Missionary, to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths for the territories of Mysore, including the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, in respect of such persons of the classes indicated in section 11, sub-section (1), clause (*b*), of the said Act, as he may baptize or whose funeral ceremonies he may perform.

No. 169-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 30 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), as applied to the Cantonment of Secunderabad, and in continuation of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 2324-I. B., dated the 19th October 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made to the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2261-I. B., dated the 20th October 1911, excluding certain parts of the Cantonment of Secunderabad from the operation of the said Act, namely :—

To the statement appended to the notification, the following shall be added, namely :—

33	Between the Railway Audit Office and His Highness the Nizam's Government Audit Office.	Acres ·378.	Moorum.	As a road.	Railway Audit Offices.	His Highness the Nizam's Government Audit Office.	Road to Nizam's Guaranteed State Railway's General Offices.	St. John's Road.

The 22nd November 1916.

No. 203-D.—The Hon'ble Lieutenant-Colonel Sir John Ramsay, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., a Resident of the 1st class and Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner, Baluchistan, is granted privilege leave for 1 month and 12 days, with effect from the 14th November 1916, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 204-D.—Lieutenant-Colonel A McConaghey, C.I.E., an officiating Resident of the 2nd class, is appointed to officiate temporarily as a Resident of the 1st class and Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner, Baluchistan, with effect from the 14th November 1916.

No. 210-D.—Captain P. G. Loch, of the Political Department, is posted as Political Agent at Bahrein, with effect from the 18th November 1916.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 214-D.—Mr. A. L. Gordon Walker, Indian Civil Service, is placed on special duty under the orders of the Hon'ble the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, with effect from the 17th November 1916.

No. 227-D.—Captain H. N. G. Geary, R.E., 2nd Sappers and Miners, is appointed to officiate as Inspecting Officer, Imperial Service Sappers, with effect from the 11th November 1916, and until further orders.

No. 230-D.—Mr. J. V. S. Wilkinson of the Political Department is appointed temporarily to be Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, with effect from the 9th November 1916.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Simla, the 21st November 1916.

No. 2066-G.—With reference to Notification No. 1427-G., dated the 3rd August 1916, Mr. L. Volkart, Consul for Sweden at Bombay, resumed charge of his office on the 8th November 1916.

No. 2069-G.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Monsieur W. Tomanovsky as Consul-General for Russia at Calcutta.

Delhi, the 22nd November 1916.

No. 206-D.—The services of 2nd Lieutenant A. F. Fremantle, I.A.R.O., attached 28th Light Cavalry, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province, for employment with the Frontier Militia, with effect from the 6th November 1916.

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Delhi, the 20th November 1916.

No. 1286-F. E.—Mr. E. D. Chanter, an officer in class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department, has been attached to the office of the Examiner of Accounts, Military Works Services, with effect from the 8th November 1916.

No. 1287-F. E.—Mr. T. R. Panchapagesan has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Madras, with effect from the 2nd November 1916.

No. 1288-F. E.—Mr. A. Rajagopala Ayyar, an officer in class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department, has been attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal Railway, with effect from the 7th November 1916.

No. 1289-F. E.—Mr. T. P. R. Russell Stracey has been posted as Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Madras, with effect from the 3rd November 1916.

No. 1294-F. E.—Mr. S. K. Datta Gupta, has been appointed Additional Assistant Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department, with effect from the 15th November 1916.

The 21st November 1916.

No. 1296-F. E.—Mr. T. R. V. Sarma, Assistant Accountant General, Madras, has been granted privilege leave for three weeks with effect from the 4th November 1916.

Mr. T. Rangaswami Mudaliar, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Madras, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 4th November 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. T. R. V. Sarma.

The 22nd November 1916.

No. 1301-F.E.—Mr. L. C. Robertson, a Probationer, attached to the office of the Accountant General, Burma, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 1st November 1916.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 1303-F. E.—Mr. K. M Abraham has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Punjab, with effect from the 16th November 1916.

No. 1304-F. E.—Mr. W. A. T. Carnduff has been posted as Examiner of Accounts, Military Works Services, with effect from the 16th November 1916.

The 24th November 1916.

No. 28-E.—The following is substituted for the announcement in the notification of the Government of India in the Finance Department, No. 1326-E., dated the 19th October 1916, regarding the promotion of Mr. A. W. Schonemann.

Mr. A. W. Schonemann reverted to his substantive appointment on the 30th October 1916, and with effect from the same date, is appointed to officiate as a Superintendent, 2nd grade.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS.

The 24th November 1916.

No. 1581-F.—*Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.*

October 1916. **Lakhs of Rupees.**

	OCTOBER.		TO END OF OCT.		WHOLE YEAR.	
	1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	1915-1916.	Budget, 1916-1917.	Actuals, preliminary, 1915-1916.
Civil Revenue.						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	44	80	13,31	13,08	35,44	36,03
Opium	36	28	2,50	1,52	3,43	2,74
Salt	62	43	3,54	2,50	5,98	5,46
Stamps	47	50	4,82	4,60	8,22	7,96
Excise	1,08	1,02	7,64	7,20	12,83	12,92
Provincial Rates	...	...	2	4	4	6
Customs	1,10	62	7,07	4,78	11,55	8,80
Income Tax	43	27	2,87	1,69	4,17	2,98
Forest	20	21	1,28	1,26	3,07	3,05
Registration	5	5	49	47	78	78
Tributes from Native States	2	2	23	23	92	92
Other Civil Revenue	26	25	2,48	2,27	4,58	4,42
TOTAL CIVIL HEADS	5,03	3,90	46,25	39,59	91,01	86,12
Major Irrigation Revenue	5	6	2,42	2,24	4,28	3,92
Other Public Works Ordinary Revenue	3	3	37	31	72	59
TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE (including Ordinary Public Works)	5,11	3,99	49,04	42,14	96,01	90,63
Civil Expenditure.						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	—8	—10	—2,84	—2,87	—5,78	—5,69
Opium	—2	—1	—1,30	—1,33	—1,43	—1,39
Famine Relief (Civil)	...	...	—19	...	—5	—2
Other Civil Expenditure	—3,15	—3,43	—26,56	—25,66	—48,02	—46,10
TOTAL CIVIL HEADS	—3,25	—3,54	—30,89	—29,86	—55,28	—53,20
Major Irrigation Working Expenses	—13	—14	—1,07	—1,07	—2,05	—1,83
Buildings and Roads Expenditure	—33	—48	—2,63	—3,31	—6,11	—6,65
Famine Relief (Public Works)	—1	—6	—27	—46	—64	—76
Other P. W. Ordinary Expenditure	—8	—7	—59	—64	—1,25	—1,12
TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE (including Public Works)	—3,80	—4,29	—35,45	—35,34	—65,33	—63,56
Irrigation Capital Expenditure	—4	—8	—37	—69	—1,33	—1,06
Delhi Capital Expenditure	—2	—3	—22	—30	—32	—48
TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	—6	—11	—59	—99	—1,65	—1,54
Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from those Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments.						
The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance transactions.						
Posts and Telegraph (Net)	+1	—27	—28	—64	—1,94	—1,26
Marine (Net)	—69	—49	—6,38	—4,14	—7,43	—6,92
Military Works (Net)	—31	—15	—1,78	—80	—1,70	—1,89
Military Receipts	+23	+28	+1,47	+1,39	+1,42	+2,54
Military Issues	—4,93	—2,57	—30,88	—17,94	—40,79	—35,72
Railway Receipts.						
East Indian Railway	+67	+67	+5,08	+4,94	+59,81	+58,65
Other Railways	+3,99	+3,70	+29,81	+27,64		
TOTAL	+4,66	+4,37	+34,89	+32,58	+59,81	+58,65
Railway Issues.						
East Indian Railway	—37	—45	—3,22	—3,56	—38,53	—35,84
Other Railways	—2,52	—2,55	—18,72	—17,56		
TOTAL	—2,89	—3,00	—21,94	—21,12	—38,53	—35,84
TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS	—3,92	—1,88	—24,90	—10,67	—29,16	—22,44
Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net + Receipts more, — receipts less than payments)	...	+37	+6,73	+4,98	+6,48	+4,98
Temporary Loan	...	...	...	...	...	—4,50
Mint Certificates and Bullion Advances (Net as above)	+19	+5	+1,32	—4	...	+2
Transfers through Currency or Gold Standard Reserve	...	...	...	...	...	...
Remittance of Gold	...	...	...	—3,00	...	—3,00
Currency Transfers against silver	+3,04	...	+12,41	...	...	+51
Deposits of District Funds	—22	—33	+9	—12	—45	—50
Loans by Governments	—6	—18	+53	+27	+60	+65
Exchange on Remittance Account	...	...	...	+4	...	+19
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at R15 per £	—1,03	—1,06	—7,82	—6,46	—5,88	—7,64
Other Debt Heads	—28	—21	—3,22	—4,60	+54	—4,70
Sterling bills or Telegraphic Transfers on London	...	...	...	+7,34	...	+7,00
TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS	+1,69	—1,36	+10,54	—1,59	+1,34	—7,04
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES	—98	—3,65	—1,36	—6,45	+1,21	—3,95
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	17,65	19,37	18,03	22,17	17,18	22,17
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	16,67	15,72	16,67	15,72	18,39	18,22

H. F. HOWARD,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 25th November 1916.

No. 63-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz.* :—

Additions.

Chang Pei-Shu	Chefoo.
Chen Kee and Company	Hankow.
Fung Chong	Shanghai.
Hwa De and Company	Chefoo.
Paizis, Ch. J. and Company	„
Polverino, Adolfo	„
Schlaudecker, Eug.	„

No. 64-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alteration shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 6806-W.-II, dated the 5th August 1916 :—

For "Messrs. E. Grueber and Company" read "Messrs. E. Grueber and Company, Limited."

CUSTOMS.

The 25th November 1916.

No. 55-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9954-W.-II., dated the 14th October 1916. For the existing sub-clause (*d*) to proviso (*ii*) substitute the following :—

(*d*) goods transhipped in Indian ports or carried forward in the same bottom to destinations outside British India.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 25th November 1916.

No. 69-C.—Mr. F. D. Lalkaka, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is granted an extension by one month of the privilege leave sanctioned in the Notification of the Government of India in this Department, No. 7105-1, dated the 12th August 1916.

A. H. LEY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 24th November 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1393.—Colonel W. W. T. Duhan, British Service, to be temporary Inspector of Royal Garrison Artillery, *vice* Brigadier-General G. D. Chamier, C.M.G., British Service, vacated. Dated 6th October 1916.

No. 1394.—Colonel F. E. Johnson, C.M.G., D.S.O., British Service, to be temporary Inspector of Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery. Dated 12th October 1916.

No. 1395.—Major F. S. Keen, D.S.O., 45th Sikhs, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while holding the appointment of Senior Instructor, Staff School, Mhow, (graded as General Staff Officer, 1st grade). Dated 15th October 1916.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

The undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from 2nd November 1916 :—

Frederick Bertram DeSouza.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1396.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

John Thornton Shuttleworth. Dated 13th November 1916.

Infantry Branch.

Name	Date
Patrick John Maguire.	Dated 10th November 1916.
Robert Hendry Bodger.	Dated 10th November 1916.
Robert Bertram Whitby.	Dated 10th November 1916.
Ernest Edward Leslie Saunders.	Dated 10th November 1916.
William Samuel Dickens.	Dated 10th November 1916.
Stanley George Thorne.	Dated 10th November 1916.
Cecil George Bateman.	Dated 11th November 1916.
George Stainforth Davidson.	Dated 11th November 1916.
James Arthur Hyde.	Dated 15th November 1916.
Denis Victor Harvey.	Dated 18th November 1916.
Frederick Palmer.	Dated 21st November 1916.
John Humphrey Phillips.	Dated 21st November 1916.
Walter Francis Gipps.	Dated 21st November 1916.
Hugh Davies.	Dated 21st November 1916.
Charles Patrick Lyons.	Dated 21st November 1916.
Stanley Fisher.	Dated 21st November 1916.
Joseph Archibald Streatfield Hopkins.	Dated 21st November 1916.
Eric Gerald Nielson.	Dated 21st November 1916.
Harold Hargreaves.	Dated 21st November 1916.

No. 1397.—Edgar Cyril Walters [Temporary Second Lieutenant, 1st Garrison Battalion, Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)] to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 25th October 1916, but to rank from the 30th April 1915.

No. 1398.—Gerald Graves Bradley [Second Lieutenant, 3rd Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)] to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 6th November 1916, but to rank from the 2nd September 1915.

No. 1399.—Walter Henry Nicholson (Temporary Lieutenant, 1st Garrison Battalion, The East Yorkshire Regiment) to be Second Lieutenant with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 21st November 1916, but to rank as Second Lieutenant from the 30th July 1915, and as temporary Lieutenant from the 20th November 1915.

No. 1400.—Vernon Sampson Smith [Temporary Second Lieutenant, 1st Battalion, The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)] to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 21st November 1916, but to rank from the 10th March 1915.

No. 1401.—James Allen Fletcher [Temporary Second Lieutenant, 1st Battalion, The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)] to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 21st November 1916, but to rank from the 10th March 1915.

No. 1402.—Lieutenant Frederick George Carter, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Officer in charge, Supply and Transport, Kurnah, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 7th November 1916.

No. 1403.—In Army Department Notification No. 1202, dated the 3rd December 1915, for " John Michael Murray " read " Michael John Murray."

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1404.—The following is published for general information :—

Fourth Supplement dated the 25th September, 1916, to the " London Gazette " of the 22nd September, 1916, pages 9331 to 9339 and pages 9341 to 9342.

War Office,
25th September, 1916.

The following Despatch has been received by the Secretary of State for War from General Sir Archibald Murray, Commander-in-Chief, Egyptian Expeditionary Force :—

General Headquarters,
Egyptian Expeditionary Force,
1st June, 1916.

Sir,—I have the honour to submit a report on the operations of the Force under my command from the date on which I assumed command to the 31st May, 1916.

1. On 9th January, 1916, I arrived in Cairo, and, on the following day, took over the command of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force from General Sir C. C. Monro, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., who had himself arrived from Mudros but a few days before. At that date the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force was in a state of transition as regards its larger component, the Dardanelles Army. On the night of the 8th-9th January this Army had completed its successful evacuation of Cape Helles; its units were still concentrated at Mudros and Imbros awaiting transport to Egypt, where all the Force, excluding the Salonica Army, had been ordered to concentrate. Meanwhile, a portion of the Force, which had been set free by the earlier evacuation of the Suvla Bay and Anzac positions, had already arrived in Egypt, where it had come under the command of General Sir John Maxwell, K.C.B., K.C.M.G. The concentration of the Australian and New Zealand Army Corps, for instance, was practically complete, and the 53rd Division was occupied in operations on the Western Frontier of Egypt. General Headquarters of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force were temporarily established in Cairo.

The instructions which I had received from the Secretary of State for War placed under my command all organized formations then in Egypt, or on their way to Egypt, with the exception of such troops as might be considered necessary for the defence of Egypt and the Nile Valley against attack from the west, or for maintaining order in the Nile Valley and the Nile Delta. The function assigned to me was that of protecting Egypt against attack from the east, and the westward limit of my command was roughly fixed by a line running north and south approximately five miles west of the Suez Canal. The British Force at Salonica was also placed under my general supervision.

2. During the period under review, in addition to the extensive military preparations required for the defence of the eastern front, the amount of purely administrative work

thrown on all sections of my Staff has been extremely heavy. The exigencies of the Gallipoli campaign had placed the Force under my command in a state of serious disorganisation. Some units were in Egypt, others on the sea, others in Ægean ports. It was not until the end of February that the last units of the Dardanelles Army reached Egypt. Every day for over six weeks ship loads of troops, guns, animals and transport were arriving at Alexandria and Port Said. The components of this mass had to be disentangled and forwarded to their proper destinations; old units had to be re-organised, new units to be created, brigades, divisions, Army Corps to be re-formed. The British troops from Gallipoli were incomplete in personnel and material. It was urgently necessary to bring them up to strength, re-equip them, and provide them with train and mechanical transport on a modified scale. The Australasian troops also needed re-equipment, and, in their case, there was the additional problem of dealing with a mass of unabsorbed reinforcements. Further training of officers and men was an urgent necessity. Moreover, the embarkation of troops for service elsewhere began in February and continued without intermission till the end of April. To this work must be added not only the maintenance of my Force, both in Egypt and Salonica, with animals, supplies, ordnance stores, works material, and medical and veterinary stores, but also the provision and despatch of ordnance stores, works material, and supplies specially demanded for Basrah and East Africa.

The bulk of the work of disembarkation and embarkation, including the very heavy work of railway transport, fell upon the staffs of my Deputy Quartermaster-General and Inspector-General of Communications, to whom great credit is due. This work, together with the task of supplying and maintaining the troops operating on the eastern, and subsequently also on the western front, was efficiently carried out by the Ordnance, Supply and Transport, Remount, and Works departments.

As regards instruction, a training centre for Australasian reinforcements was started at Tel el Kebir and continued until it was decided that the Australasian training depôts should be transferred to England. Further, a machine gun school was formed at Ismailia which, after producing excellent results, was merged in the Imperial School of Instruction at Zeitoun. The latter institution, which came under my control after 19th March, has since been increased in size so as to train officers in all branches of warfare. Under its commandant, Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon'ble E. M. Colston, M.V.O., its work has been most valuable. Besides the ordinary courses for officers and non-commissioned officers, it holds machine gun, Lewis gun, signal and telephone, artillery, Stokes gun, and grenadier classes. Between 7th January and 31st May, 1,166 officers and 5,512 other ranks attended and passed in the various classes. A machine gun school was also started at Salonica.

Excellent work has been done by the signal service during this period. In the first place, it has efficiently carried out the work of refitting the signal units from the Peninsula, re-organising them to suit the conditions peculiar to Egypt, and training locally officers and men to fill the gaps and meet the increased demand for signallers and telegraphists. Ninety-four officers and 1,305 other ranks have been trained in these duties at Zeitoun and Alexandria this year. Secondly, it has had to provide intercommunication for troops engaged upon over 1,000 miles of front, which has involved the development of an unusually extensive net-work of military telegraphs. All the resource and ingenuity of the service has been taxed to cope with the conditions peculiar to this field of operations—abnormal distances, unusual means of transport, desert, sand storms and mirage. Lastly, it has substituted a military telegraph and telephone service for the civil system which, until this year, had been the only available means of communication throughout Egypt and was worked mainly by native personnel.

I would also specially mention the survey work that has been carried out since the arrival of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force in Egypt. In addition to the standardisation, printing and issue of tactical maps of Sinai to the whole of the army on the eastern front, a new survey on a large scale of the Canal zone and certain areas east of our lines and advanced posts has been continuously carried on by the Topographical Section of the Intelligence Branch, working in close co-operation with the Royal Flying Corps. This survey, which has now been in process for nearly six months, is now approaching Qatia. I believe that the map based on this survey is the first map entirely constructed on this principle. The work was initiated by Mr. E. M. Dowson, Director-General, Survey of Egypt, who placed his resources at the disposal of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force. The actual direction of the work has been in the hands of the Intelligence Branch of my General Staff, and is based on experience, gained in Gallipoli, of the production of trench maps from aeroplane photographs, controlled by ordinary field survey methods. Co-operation in this survey has been part of the routine of the Royal Flying Corps.

These labours, most of which demanded the utmost despatch in their completion, were carried out concurrently with the conduct of more strictly military operations, to my report on which I will now proceed.

3. When I arrived in Egypt the intentions of the enemy as regards an attack on the Suez Canal were by no means certain. Though his new means of communication in southern Syria and Sinai, commenced with this end in view, were still in a backward state, he undoubtedly had at his disposal the troops, amounting to 250,000 men or more, necessary for such an attack. The adequate defence of the Canal was, therefore, a matter of serious importance. The outline of a scheme of defence had already been prepared; certain works were being

constructed, railways and pipe-lines and roads commenced, and troops were being concentrated in the three sections of the Canal defences, which were based on Suez, Ismailia and Port Said respectively. A satisfactory agreement was arrived at between Sir John Maxwell and myself regarding the delimitations of our respective spheres of command and the troops to be allotted to him. On 22nd January General Headquarters opened at Ismailia.

My chief concern was now the defence of the Canal. The work on the stationary defences was backward. Difficulties of water supply on the east bank were increased by shortage of piping; labour troubles had delayed the progress of roads and railways. Guns had still to be emplaced, and no part of the front defence line was actually occupied by troops. Nevertheless, as there were no signs of an imminent advance on the part of the enemy, the question of the stationary defences caused me no serious anxiety, though everything possible was done to hasten on their completion. The organisation of the offensive defence, which time has proved to be paramount, was, however, a pressing matter hitherto untouched. Practically nothing had been done towards the organisation of mobile forces. The collection of a large number of riding and transport camels had to be undertaken at once and a plan of campaign to be devised. Moreover, time was short, for it was plain that any offensive on a large scale by the enemy must be commenced before the middle of March. For the force under my command the only possible line of advance was along the northern line from Qantara towards Qatia and El Arish, and the task was at once taken up of examining the possibilities of an offensive on this line and solving the problem of maintaining a considerable force at Qatia during the summer months. The result of these investigations is to be seen in my memorandum of 15th February addressed to the Chief of the Imperial General Staff, in which I stated that the first step towards securing the true base for the defence of Egypt was an advance to a suitable position east of Qatia and the construction of a railway to that place.

Up to the middle of February aeroplane reconnaissance was the only active military operation possible, owing to the need for reorganising the units of the Force and for pushing on the work of laying roads, pipe-lines and railways to enable an adequate force to be maintained on, and beyond, the front lines. The magnitude of the latter task may be judged from the fact that, during the period covered by this despatch, 114 miles of road, 154 miles of pipe-lines, and 252 miles of railway were laid. The work of the Royal Flying Corps, most actively and gallantly pursued, enabled me to keep the enemy's posts at Hassana, Nekhl and El Arish under close observation, and neither their reports nor those of the equally gallant and efficient Naval Air Service, which observed by seaplane the garrisons of southern Syria, showed any concentration of enemy troops for a big attack on the Canal. On February 16th the Russian Army entered Erzerum, inflicting a heavy defeat on the Turkish Army opposed to it. It seemed likely then that all the enemy's schemes for attacking the Canal in force must, for the present, fall to the ground, and such has proved to be the case. The garrisons in Syria were gradually reduced, until it was estimated that not more than 60,000 men were available for an attack on Egypt. During the latter half of February the work of reconnaissance beyond the front line began in earnest, especially in the northern section, where the 15th Corps patrolled as far as Bir El Nuss and Hod Um Ugba, establishing the fact that the country was all clear and practically deserted. At this period, too, a reconnaissance was undertaken from Tor. This post and that of Abu Zeneima, both on the Sinaitic coast south of Suez, were then garrisoned by a battalion of the Egyptian Army—subsequently by the 14th Sikhs—and had, by arrangement with General Maxwell, come under my direction. The reconnaissance from Tor was undertaken against a concentration of a small body of the enemy at Wadi Ginneh, some miles distant from the coast. This minor operation was in every way successful, though the enemy had fled before their camp was reached, leaving behind their baggage, which was destroyed. The troops then returned without further incident.

4. From March onwards, the rapid embarkation of troops for France depleted my forces considerably. During this month the military operations on the eastern front, if not momentous, were satisfactory. On 6th March a very gallant and successful attack on Hassana was made by the Royal Flying Corps, which resulted in the destruction of the pumping station. Bomb attacks were made on Nekhl and other places in Sinai, and on 24th March Hassana was again attacked in force with bombs. In the northern sector, the preliminary steps were being taken for the advance to Qatia. Week by week permanent posts were pushed further ahead, special reconnaissances were made with a view to testing the water supply, and the broad gauge railway from Qantara to Qatia was being carried forward as fast as possible.

5. On 11th March I received instructions from the late Secretary of State for War that the command of the troops in Egypt was to be reorganised, and that I was appointed General Officer Commanding-in-Chief all the Imperial forces in this country, which added to my original command the command held by General Sir John Maxwell. The preliminary details for carrying this change into operation were fixed at a Conference with General Maxwell held on 13th March, and on 19th March I formally took over the whole command in Egypt, thus ending a system of dual control which had of necessity been unsatisfactory, especially from the point of view of economy. By this change I not only became responsible for the administration of martial law in Egypt and the maintenance of order throughout the Nile Valley and Delta, but I also succeeded to the direction of the operations against the

Senoussi on the Western Frontier, which had very appropriately been brought to a triumphant period by General Maxwell by his victories which led to the occupation of Sollum on 14th March, the capture of Gaafer, the dispersal, with the loss of all his guns, of Nuri's force, and the recapture from the enemy of 90 British prisoners taken by hostile submarines. The unification of the command in Egypt made large economies in staff possible, and these were carried out at once. The Levant Base also ceased to exist, General Sir Edward Altham, K.C.B., remaining as Inspector-General of Communications. The work of re-organising the forces and staffs for the Delta and Western Frontier Force was pushed on as fast as possible. I decided to keep General Headquarters at Ismailia, and to establish at Cairo a General Officer Commanding the Delta District, who would also act as Commander of L. of C. Defences. For operations on the west I formed a Western Frontier Force, divided into two sections, a north-western and a south-western, divided by a line drawn east and west through Deirut. These staffs and forces were definitely established and at work by 1st April. The whole force under my command now took the name of Egyptian Expeditionary Force. Towards the end of March, at the request of the Sirdar, I undertook the responsibility for the defence of the reach of the Nile between Assouan and Wadi Halfa. Captain F. H. Mitchell, R. N., D. S. O., was sent for this purpose to make all arrangements for an armed naval patrol of this reach.

On 18th March, Captain H. R. H. the Prince of Wales took up his duties as Staff Captain on my Staff, remaining till his departure from Egypt on 1st May.

6. As soon as the conduct of operation on the Western Frontier devolved upon me, I took steps, in consultation with the various officers who were then best acquainted with the situation, to estimate the size of the hostile forces with which I should have to deal, and to determine the policy along this front of over 800 miles by which the Nile Valley could best be protected. It appeared from the information placed at my disposal that the Senoussi forces, spread over the whole Western desert, did not exceed 3,000, and it was certain that the enemy's morale had been severely shaken by Sir John Maxwell's recent successful operations. The chief dangers, therefore, against which I had to guard were enemy raids upon the Nile Valley, the stirring up of native tribes that were inclined to be well-disposed towards the Senoussi, and the creation of unrest in the Nile Valley and Delta among disaffected or nervous elements of the population. The chief end to be held in view was to prevent any local success on the part of the Senoussi.

On 15th April the Kharga Oasis, which had previously been reported by aerial reconnaissance and resident agents to be clear of the enemy, was occupied without incident. The movement of troops was effected by the existing light railway, and by the 18th April a force numbering 1,660 of all ranks was concentrated in the Oasis.

On the 27th April the small oasis of Moghara was occupied. A strongly entrenched post has been constructed. The occupation of this post has materially assisted in preventing the passage of foodstuffs from the Nile Valley to the west, and denies the water to any enemy force attempting to move in the contrary direction.

During April frequent raids and reconnaissances, chiefly with a view to capturing concealed depôts of ammunition, were undertaken on the Western Front; in these enterprises our armoured and light motor cars have been of inestimable value. On 7th April a detachment of four armoured cars, accompanied by the machine-gun section of the 2-7th Middlesex Regiment, conducted a raid from Sollum upon an ammunition depôt at Moraisa, eighteen miles north-west of Sollum. After a very slight resistance from the guard of thirty Muhafzia, twenty-one boxes of 8·9 centimetre Mantelli gun ammunition and 120,000 rounds of small arms ammunition were taken and destroyed. On 11th April a motor car reconnaissance found and removed eleven rifles and 7,000 rounds of small arms ammunition some twenty miles west of Sollum. On 23rd April an armoured car reconnaissance from Sollum discovered and brought in 140,000 rounds of small arms ammunition from a concealed depôt. On the 30th April a further 20,000 rounds were discovered and brought in to Sollum. During this month, also, four prisoners, including a Turkish officer, were captured sixty miles west of Minia, and two small camel convoys were captured near El Alamein. The light car patrols were responsible for all these captures.

7. During the month of April reconnaissance was active all along the Eastern Front, with the result that by the middle of the month all water supplies of any importance within thirty miles of the Canal were patrolled by our troops, and mobile columns were ready to go out and deal with enemy parties approaching them, or, in the event of serious threat, to demolish the rock cisterns. In No. 1 Section, on 20th April, a patrol from Bir Mabeiuk came in contact with an enemy patrol, fifty strong, on the sand hills near the mouth of the Wadi Hamatha, some eighteen miles W.S.W. of Suez. A squadron and fifty rifles endeavoured to cut the enemy off, but he at once retired and scattered among the hills. Our casualties were two men killed. On 23rd April and the following days four columns, each composed of mounted troops and infantry, carried out reconnaissances of the approaches from the west to Ain Sudr and Sudr El Heitan. The columns returned to their respective posts on 26th April.

In No. 2 Section, on 27th March, the 2nd Australian and New Zealand Army Corps came into existence on the departure of the 1st Australian and New Zealand Army Corps to France. The Corps was commanded by Lieutenant-General Sir Alexander Godley,

K.C.M.G., C.B., and consisted of the 4th Australian Division, commanded by Major-General Sir H. V. Cox, K.C.M.G., C.B., C.S.I., the 5th Australian Division, commanded by Major-General Hon'ble J. MacCay, V.D., and the Anzac Mounted Division, commanded by Major-General H. G. Chauvel, C.B.C., M.G. (attached). In this section, the wells at Moiya Harab and Wadi Um Muksheib having been brought into the regular patrolling area, a very successful reconnaissance to Jifjaffa was carried out between 11th and 15th April. The troops for this enterprise were a squadron of the 9th Australian Light Horse Regiment, accompanied by a detachment of Bikanir Camel Corps, and commanded by Major Scott, D.S.O., 9th Australian Light Horse. The objective was fifty-two miles from the starting point, and a jumping-off place for the attack, eight miles south-west of the objective, was reached at 2-30 A.M. on 13th April. From here an attack was launched by three troops upon the enemy's position at 9 A.M. The enemy, cut of in their attempted retreat by the right flanking party of the attack, stood at bay on one of the hills above the village, and lost six men killed and five wounded before surrendering. One Austrian lieutenant of engineers and thirty-three other prisoners were captured, our own casualties being one man and one horse killed. The destruction of the enemy's camp was thoroughly carried out, a quantity of correspondence was taken, and the elaborate well-boring plant, which had been at work for five months, was completely demolished. The manner in which this operation was carried out was most creditable, both to the commander of the column and to all ranks composing it.

In conjunction with this reconnaissance, a mounted column was sent out in No. 1 Section to reconnoitre Bir el Giddi and the roads leading east from it. This force satisfactorily accomplished its mission, and, after an encounter with a hostile patrol, captured unwounded three armed Arabs.

In the Qatia District, where alone there is sufficient water supply to maintain a large body of troops, preliminaries to the accomplishment of our ultimate aim—the permanent occupation of the well-watered zone radiating 15 miles east and south-east of Qatia—were steadily pushed on. On 2nd April, a squadron of the Gloucestershire Hussars under Lieutenant-Colonel Yorke, with a detachment of Bikanir Camel Corps, reconnoitred Bir el Abd, some 15 miles east of Qatia, met with no resistance, and burnt some tents and stores belonging to the enemy. On the following day, Bir Mageibra, 10 miles south-east of Qatia, was reconnoitred by the Worcestershire Yeomanry. On the 6th April Brigadier-General E. A. Wiggin, commanding the 5th Mounted Brigade, took command of the Qatia District, and was made responsible direct to the headquarters of No. 3 Section.

On 9th April, a further reconnaissance of Bir el Abd was undertaken by a squadron of Worcestershire Yeomanry. This time a strong party of enemy were found in possession of a ridge north-east of Bir el Abd. A sharp skirmish ensued when the Yeomanry attacked, and the enemy was driven eastwards from his position, but, owing to the heaviness of the sand, it was impossible for our cavalry to keep up the attack, and, after easily fending off an attempt at a flank attack, they withdrew unmolested. On 12th April, on orders being received for General Horne to proceed to France, Major-General The Hon. H. A. Lawrence took over the command of No. 3 Section.

By the 21st April, the railway towards Qatia had reached a point upon which a serious advance to hold the whole district could be based, as soon as the necessary dispositions could be made. On the 23rd, however, the enemy attempted to forestall any such advance by making a sudden raid in force upon Qatia. This operation, though comparatively small forces were engaged, produced the severest fighting yet experienced by the force under my command.

8. On 21st April, the 5th Mounted Brigade were disposed as follows:—The Worcestershire Yeomanry at Qatia, the Warwickshire Yeomanry, less one squadron, at Hamisah, 3 miles south south-west of Qatia, and Brigade Headquarters and the Gloucestershire Yeomanry at Romani, 6 miles north-west of Qatia. General Wiggin, commanding the Brigade, had received orders to dispose his Brigade in the Qatia District in such a manner as to protect all railway, topographical and water survey parties, with special attention to the exploitation of the water supply; also to observe the route eastwards towards Bir el Abd, but not to take any serious offensive measures without further orders. It had also been impressed on General Wiggin by the General Officer Commanding, No. 3 Section, that, since it would take two days to reinforce him with infantry, he was, in the event of a heavy attack, to manœuvre back upon Dueidar, 13 miles from Qantara on the Qatia road, or upon the railhead near El Arais some 7 miles north-west of Qatia On the evening of the 21st one squadron of Worcestershire Yeomanry moved into bivouac at Oghratina, 7 miles east-north-east of Qatia to cover an R. E. party detailed to prepare wells. On the 22nd another squadron of Worcestershire Yeomanry proceeded to Oghratina, being replaced in Qatia by a squadron of Gloucestershire Yeomanry, pending the arrival of one regiment of the Anzac Mounted Division, which had been ordered up from Salhia so as to reach Qatia on the 24th. The remainder of the 2nd Australian Light Horse Brigade was marching to arrive at Qantara on the 23rd.

In Qatia the squadron of Gloucestershire Yeomanry was covered by good trenches for some 50 or 60 men, and a number of smaller shelters afforded good covers. Their horses were picketed close to their camp.

The Officer Commanding the two squadrons of Worcestershire Yeomanry at Oghratina had been told to push on entrenchment as far as possible, and it was General Wiggin's intention

that these squadrons, if attacked in force, should retire on Qatia and thence, if necessary, on Romani, with their left flank covered by the Gloucestershire Yeomanry and their right by the Warwickshire Yeomanry from Hamisah.

On the morning of the 23rd, both posts stood to arms at 4 A.M., and I have ascertained that patrols had gone out by that hour, though those at Oghratina were probably much hampered by a thick fog.

On the 22nd April, the Royal Flying Corps reported to No. 3 Section that new bodies of enemy troops were at Bir el Bayud, 15 miles east-south-east of Qatia, and Bir el Mageibra, 10 miles south-east of Qatia. Upon receipt of this information, General Wiggin obtained leave from General Officer Commanding, No. 3 Section, to attack the enemy at Mageibra that night, reporting that he intended to use two squadrons of Warwickshire, and the one remaining squadron of Worcestershire Yeomanry. General Wiggin, with Lieutenant-Colonel Coventry, commanding the Worcestershire Yeomanry, accompanied the raid to Mageibra. Finding very few enemy, they destroyed the camp and returned to Hamisah about 9 A.M., on the 23rd with six Turkish prisoners. In the meantime the post at Oghratina was attacked at 5-30 A.M. This attack was repulsed. No further information was received from the Officer Commanding at Oghratina until 7 A.M., when he reported that he was again heavily attacked on all sides. This attack carried the post, all the garrison of which were either killed, wounded, or captured. No details of the fighting have, therefore, been obtainable. Qatia itself was attacked about 9-30 A.M. Lieutenant-Colonel Coventry was detached with one squadron of Worcestershire Yeomanry from General Wiggin's Force to operate towards Qatia. Unfortunately, this squadron became involved in the unsuccessful resistance of the Qatia garrison, and, with the exception of some 60 men and one officer who were able to disengage themselves, fell with it into the hands of the enemy. I have therefore been able to gather no detailed information of the actual fighting at Qatia.

General Wiggin and Colonel Yorke, commanding the Gloucestershire Yeomanry at Romani, both showed great judgment in dealing with the situation, and did all that was possible with their small forces against the enemy force of about 2,500, with four guns of small calibre. General Wiggin pushed forward from Hamisah north-east against the enemy's left, south of Um Ugba, and drove him back for about a mile; the advance was slow owing to the nature of the ground and the determined resistance encountered. Colonel Yorke, after hearing that Dueidar was safe, moved his whole force at 10 A.M., to attack the enemy's right advancing on Qatia. He skilfully drove the Turkish right back to El Rabah, and caused their guns to shift their position further east. The enemy gave ground slowly, and, since by 3-30 P.M. it was evident that Qatia had fallen, General Wiggin determined to fall back; he himself retired on Dueidar by way of Hamisah, Colonel Yorke on Romani; neither were followed. Meanwhile, at 5-30 A.M. a Turkish force, 1,000 strong, with one gun, advancing from the south, attacked Dueidar, the most advanced defensible post, which was held by 100 men of the 5th Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers, under the command of Captain Roberts, 5th Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers. This officer, who throughout showed conspicuous skill and ability, succeeded in repelling two determined attacks on the position at 6-30 A.M. and 8-30 A.M., respectively. Both attempts cost the enemy dear. At 9-30 A.M. reinforcements of two companies 4th Royal Scots Fusiliers, under the command of Major Thompson, 4th Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers, who had been despatched from Hill 70, seven miles away, on the first news of the attack, arrived at Dueidar. The various posts were strengthened, and a counter-attack, delivered at 12-30 P.M. with great spirit, forced the enemy to retire, leaving 30 prisoners in our hands and 70 dead. The Turks were pursued in their retreat by the 5th Australian Light Horse, who had only arrived at Qantara at 1 P.M., and by aeroplanes, thereby suffering further loss. Besides the three and a half squadrons of Yeomanry and details lost at Qatia and Oghratina, our casualties on the 23rd were two officers and 18 men killed, four officers and 21 men wounded. Aeroplane reconnaissance on the evening of the 23rd established the fact that the enemy force, which included a large body of picked Turkish regular troops, was already retiring. At dawn on the 24th eight machines of the 5th Wing, Royal Flying Corps, made a bomb and machine gun attack from a low altitude on the enemy troops left in Qatia, causing very heavy casualties and completely destroying the camp. One machine also located and attacked a large body of enemy at Bir el Abd, and located another party retiring on Bir el Bayud. On the morning of the 25th further bomb and machine gun attacks were made by the Royal Flying Corps on enemy forces at Bir el Abd and Bir el Bayud. Both attacks were extremely successful, working great havoc among men and animals. I cannot speak too highly of the admirable work done by the 5th Wing, Royal Flying Corps, during these few days. The strain thrown on pilots and machines was very heavy, and the former displayed the utmost gallantry and resource on all occasions. Chiefly through their efforts the enemy was made to pay a very heavy price for his partially successful raid. The general situation in front of No. 3 Section was not affected by these operations. Our cavalry continued to patrol the Qatia district, which was now practically clear of the enemy, while our infantry posts at Dueidar and Romani were strengthened, and the railway towards Romani was pushed on with all speed.

9. After 16th January, when General Sarrail assumed supreme control of the operations of the Allied Forces at Salonica, the British Force there commanded by Lieutenant-General Sir B. T. Mahon, K.C.V.O., C.B., D.S.O., only remained under my control for administrative purposes. From the beginning of January to the end of April no active

operations of importance took place. The general line of defences remained practically unaltered. Some 200 miles of deep trenches, including communication trenches, 710 emplacements for guns, 230 redults or strong posts, 160 miles of obstacles (barbed wire), and 1,300 miles of telegraph cable have been completed; and the defences as a whole are now quite ready for occupation should the situation demand it.

As in Egypt, so in Salonica, the administrative work has been extremely heavy. At the outset the state of the communications was very unsatisfactory. There were only two metalled roads leading to our lines, both in a shocking state of repair; the few existing tracks soon became impassable in wet weather for everything except pack animals. The construction and repair of roads had, therefore, to proceed simultaneously with the preparation of the defences. Roads in the forward area were all begun by the troops themselves, and all ranks worked admirably, the men thoroughly recognising the importance of the matter. Later, it was found possible to organise local civilian labour companies, who have largely been employed to complete and maintain the road work begun by the troops. Altogether about 90 miles of new metalled cart roads have been constructed, and 105 miles of mule tracks, besides some 60 miles of repairs to previously existing roads and tracks. Railway extensions leading to the various depôts on the Monastir road, with the necessary sidings, have been constructed, and Decauville lines laid within the depôts themselves. Preparations have been made for further extensions. Another great difficulty, that of insufficient wharfage accommodation, has been met by the construction of new piers in the bay itself and at Skala Stavros. These have reduced the congestion to an appreciable extent and fully justified the labour and expense involved.

The supply system, though hindered at first by the state of the communications and by the fact that the equipment of the force with a special scale of transport was only in process of gradual completion, has worked with uninterrupted success. The health of the troops has been excellent, all ranks having benefited by hard physical work in good climatic conditions. In view of the approach of summer, when malaria is likely to prevail in certain districts through which our line passes, special precautions have been taken for the protection of the troops and, where possible, alternative positions prepared.

Throughout the period the importance of training the troops has been insisted upon. At first one day weekly was devoted to training, as opposed to road-making or work on the defences. This proportion has gradually risen to four days weekly, excluding one day of rest.

On 9th May, under orders from the War Office, Lieutenant-General G. F. Milne, C.B., D.S.O., succeeded Lieutenant-General Sir Bryan Mahon, K.C.V.O., C.B., D.S.O., in command of the Salonica Army. General Mahon sailed on the same date to take up command of the Western Frontier Force in Egypt.

10. In Egypt during the month of May there was no major operation to record. Intelligence received early in the month showed that the Turks had materially increased their numbers in Sinai, doubtless with the view of detaining troops in Egypt. The enemy's main concentrations were too far away for me to strike at them, and I was in hopes that he might be induced to cross the barrier of hills which extends from north to south some sixty miles from the Canal: he would then have been exposed to attack with the defiles behind him. However, he made no such advance, and, during the hot weather in the middle of May, there were indications that he was drawing in his advanced posts. On the 8th and 21st May enemy aircraft attacked Port Said with bombs, doing no material damage. On the first occasion three civilians were wounded; on the second two civilians were killed, five soldiers and thirteen civilians were wounded. In each case the attack was answered by prompt and successful retaliation by the Royal Flying Corps. In all sections of the Eastern front reconnaissances were frequent, particularly in No. 3 Section, to which were now allotted three brigades of the Anzac Mounted Division. During the month the Mahemdia-Romani district has been occupied in some force, and at a conference, held on 17th May, at which General Lawrence, commanding No. 3 Section, was present, further decisions regarding the occupation of the Qatia district were arrived at.

During the month several successful reconnaissances to the east were made by the Anzac Mounted Division, which proved itself a unit upon which I could absolutely depend to display energy, resource and endurance. On the 8th May, starting early from Oghratina, the 2nd Light Horse Brigade reconnoitred to Bir el Abd with patrols pushed out to Hod Salmana. On the 16th May, a day of intense heat, the same brigade, starting from Hod el Sagia, five miles east-south-east of Qatia, reached Hod el Bayud, 15 miles on in the same direction, at 7 A.M. Camels and dismounted men were seen making off in a north-easterly direction. The enemy's camp was destroyed, and one prisoner, 36 camels, and a quantity of ammunition were brought in. The reconnaissance returned to Qatia, having covered 60 miles in 30 hours. During this time the Canterbury Mounted Rifles went out to Bir Abu Afein, covering 40 miles in 30 hours.

On the 18th May a very successful bombardment of El Arish from the sea and the air was carried out. A sloop and two monitors of His Majesty's Navy bombarded the town, reducing the fort south-west of the town to ruins and damaging the aerodrome. The seaplanes of the Royal Naval Air Service then attacked with bombs, being followed later by 6 machines of the Royal Flying Corps, who had orders to attack any enemy aircraft that appeared and to bomb the enemy's camp and troops. The camps were effectively bombed, and three

bombs exploded in the middle of a body of a thousand men who were on the march south o the town. A close reconnaissance of El Arish from the air was made, and many valuable photographs taken at the same time. All ships and aircraft returned safely. On 22nd May, the Royal Flying Corps carried out a highly effective bombardment of all enemy camps on a 45 mile front roughly parallel to the Canal, during which severe damage was done to the waterworks at Rodh Salem and to buildings at El Hamma and Bir Mazar. On 23rd May, the 2nd Australian Light Horse Brigade reconnoitred Hod el Gedaidia, 15 miles east of Qatia, where shots were exchanged with a patrol of 40 men on camels, who retired. Finally, on 31st May, the New Zealand Mounted Rifles Brigade, one regiment of Australian Light Horse, and a sub-section of the Ayrshire Battery, R.H.A., attacked the enemy's post at Bir Salmana, 20 miles East North East of Qatia. The post was surrounded before dawn, and an enemy post on the Ganadil road was rushed, while a camel detachment was seen making off to the south-east. The enemy lost 15 men killed and 2 men captured. Our cavalry pursued till 8 A M. when the pursuit was taken up by aeroplanes which bombed scattered parties with effect, killing 20 camels and 8 more men. The force returned, having covered 60 miles in 36 hours besides fighting an engagement. The only casualties were two men slightly wounded.

On the Western Front during May preliminary measures for the occupation of the Baharia Oasis have been in progress. A line of blockhouses has been established along the Darb el Rubi which runs due west from Samalut on the Nile. Four blockhouses were completed and occupied by 23rd May. Work on the two remaining blockhouses has been postponed till the railway has reached a point where it can materially assist in the supply of stores: this should be about the end of June. From the most advanced blockhouse it is now possible to reconnoitre as far as the Mohariq sand dunes, some 80 miles west of Samalut. The difficulty of maintaining such a line in a waterless desert subject to frequent and severe sands torms has not been small, but all ranks have worked well and with great keenness.

The enemy has a small body of troops, under the command of Nuri, collected on the Libyan side of the frontier west of Sollum, but as yet he has not openly displayed his intentions. Two battalions of Italian troops landed at Moraisa during the month and have occupied Bardia. The relations between the Italian and British commanders on the frontier are excellent. The area between Sollum and Barrani has been cleared of the Bedouin population, and, though it has been impossible entirely to prevent communication between the Bedouins and Siwa, the energy of our patrols, according to numerous reports, is successfully restricting the entry of food supplies into Siwa.

By means of patrols of Imperial Camel Corps and motor cars, communication between the oases occupied by the enemy and the Nile Valley and Delta has been rendered almost impossible. In particular, the camel patrolling from Kharga towards Dakhla and Beris has been carried out most efficiently by No. 1 Imperial Camel Company under specially trying conditions. The Farafra, Baharia, Moghara and Wadi Natrun fronts have also been controlled with great vigilance.

The Aulad Ali tribes in Egyptian territory are now all west of Barrani, except for a receiving camp at Sollum. Markets have been established for the sale of food at Sollum, Mersa Matruh, Dabaa, El Hamman and Wadi Natrun, where they are allowed to purchase what is necessary for their daily needs. This restricts indiscriminate movement to the west on to the Delta.

In spite of the occupation, during very hot weather, of so many advanced posts in the desert or on its edge, I am glad to report that the health of the troops has been remarkably good. I much regret, however, that General Sir Bryan Mahon, shortly after his arrival in this country to take up the command of the Western Frontier Force, had to be invalided home owing to severe sunstroke. In the meantime, Major-General A. G Dallas, C.B., has continued, with great ability, in temporary command of that force.

11. I beg to acknowledge with great respect the valuable assistance I have received from His Highness the Sultan of Egypt. He has with great kindness placed at my disposal his unrivalled knowledge of affairs affecting his country.

To His Excellency the High Commissioner, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir A. H. McMahon, G.C.V.O., K.C.I.E., C.S.I., and to the Government of Egypt, I owe, a deep debt of gratitude for whole-hearted co-operation and help.

I am very greatly indebted to Vice-Admiral Sir R. E. Wemyss, K.C.B., C.M.G., M.V.O., and the naval forces under his command for constant assistance and active co-operation.

The construction of roads, waterworks, and kindred tasks in connection with the Canal Defences, which I have described to you, owe their accomplishment in a very large measure to the admirable services of Colonel Sir Murdoch Macdonald, K.C.M.G., of the Public Works Department of Egypt. His wide experience and capacity have been an indispensable asset to me in dealing with these important problems.

I am particularly indebted to the Railway Department, under Colonel Sir George Macauley, K.C.M.G., R. of O., Royal Engineers, for the highly [illegible] manner in which railway communication has been carried on under great difficulties. The movement of alarge number of troops and impediments of an Army has severely taxed the capacity of the railway, and has put a great strain on its staff. That it never failed to accomplish what

was desired is due to the high efficiency this Department has attained, and to the personal exertions of Colonel Sir George Macauley.

I wish to bring to your notice the very responsible and important duties that have fallen to my Director of Army Signals, Brigadier-General M. G. E. Bowman-Manifold, D.S.O., R.E., and to the admirable way in which he has discharged them.

Military operations on the two fronts have been spread over a very wide front, amounting to close on 1,000 miles in the west and 90 miles in the east. Prompt and reliable inter-communication has been a matter of vital importance.

In the successful achievement of this I beg also to bring to your notice the services of the Egyptian Telegraph Department under Lieutenant-Colonel J. S. Liddell, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, and to express my thanks to the Eastern Telegraph Company and the Telephone Company of Egypt, who have given my Director of Army Signals unceasing v aluable help.

I beg to bring to notice the valuable services rendered to the Canal Defences by the representative and principal officer of the Suez Canal Company, Charles Comte de Serionne, Agent Superieur de la Compagnie du Canal de Suez, and by the staff of that company.

The arduous and important work of the care of the sick and wounded in the Hospitals has been considerably lightened by a large amount of voluntary aid. I wish specially to mention the work of the British Red Cross Society and Order of St. John of Jerusalem under Sir Courtauld Thomson, C.B.

The Nursing services, both English and Australian, have done admirable work, and the voluntary aid of the Sisters of Notre Dame de la Déliverance, working at the Austrian Hose pital at Alexandria, have been specially brought to my notice.

Finally, and in conclusion, I wish to bring to notice the admirable services of my Chief of the General Staff, Major-General A. L. Lynden-Bell, C.B., C.M.G., my Deputy Quarter-master-General, Major-General W. Campbell, C.B., D.S.O., and my Deputy Adjutant-General, Major-General J. Adye, C.B. No Commander-in-Chief has ever been more loyally served, and no staff has ever worked with less friction.

I have other names to bring to notice for distinguished and gallant service during the operations under review, and these will form the subject of a separate communication.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
A. J. MURRAY, General,
Commander-in-Chief,
Egyptian Expeditionary Force.

War Office,
London, S. W.,
25th September 1916.

The following despatches have been received by the Secretary of State for war from the Commander-in-Chief, Egyptian Expeditionary Force :—

General Headquarters,
1st July 1916.

SIR,

In accordance with the closing paragraph of my despatch of 1st June 1916, I have the honour to submit a list of names of those officers, non-commissioned officers and men whose services I consider deserving of special mention, and I beg to recommend them to your notice.

I will, at a later date, submit to you a further list of names of officers, non-commissioned rfficers and men, belonging to the Salonka Army, whom I desire to mention in despatches and oecommend for reward.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
A. J. MURRAY, General,
Commander-in-Chief,
Egyptian Expeditionary Force.

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STAFF.

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Watson, Major-General W. A., C.B., C.I.E.

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Macmullen, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) C.N., D.S.O., 15th Sikhs.

Henderson, Major (temporary Brigadier-General) M. H., Indian Army.

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Butler, Captain R. B., 30th Lancers.

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Ward, Captain H. C. S., 2nd Lancers, Indian Army.

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Harvey, Lieutenant (temporary Captain) C. O., 38th Horse, Indian Army.

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AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND FORCES.

Staff.

Birdwood, Lieutenant-General Sir W. R., K.C.S.I., K.C.M.G., C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O.

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Cox, Major-General Sir H. V., K.C.M.G., C.B., C.S.I., Indian Army.

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INDIAN ARMY.

INDIAN MISCELLANEOUS LIST.

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Edward Lawrence Bartlett.

23rd Sikh Pioneers.

Subadar Major Man Singh.
No. 3535 Havildar Chanda Singh.
No. 4025 Havildar Narain Singh.
No. 3963 Havildar Kehar Singh.

57th Wilde's Rifles.

No. 2155 Color Havildar Ali Badshah.
No. 2869 Havildar Hira Singh.
No. 1995 Naik Turai (55th Coke's Rifles attached).

58th Vaughan's Rifles.

Subadar Tika Khan.
Jemadar Hamesh Gul.
No. 3457 Naik Safirullah.
No. 2658½ Havildar Lal Singh.

2-3rd Gurkha Rifles.

Subadar Major Bhim Sing Thapa, I.O.M.
No. 1606 Havildar Man Sing Rana.
No 1671 Havildar Nain Sing Thapa.

INDIAN TROOPS.

Hyderabad Imperial Service Lancers.

Ressaldar-Major Mahomed Sirmast Khan.
No. 570 Duffadar Ghousuddin Hussain.

Mysore Imperial Service Lancers.

Regimentdar (Lieutenant-Colonel) B. Chamraj Urs, *Bahadur.*
Jemadar and Quartermaster A. Basavaraj Urs.

Patiala Imperial Service Lancers

Colonel Nand Singh, *Sardar Bahadur.*
Veterinarian Ahmed Hussain.

Alwar Imperial Service Infantry.

Major Pooran Singh.

4th Gwalior Imperial Service Infantry.

Lieutenant and Adjutant Govind Rao Powar.
No. 539 Havildar Bhup Singh.
No. 1461 Havildar Rattan Singh.

Patiala Imperial Service Infantry.

No. 30 Quatermaster Havildar Wariam Singh.
No. 100 Naik Shera.
No. 49 Kot Havildar Mangal Singh.

Bikanir Camel Corps.

Major Thakur Moti Singh.
Subadar Johari Singh.
No. 955 Naik Jaswant Singh.
No. 1453 Sepoy Amar Singh.
No. 964 Sepoy Hukam Singh.
No. 1449 Sepoy Hukam Singh.
No. 1417 M. Amdu Khan.

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No. 1405.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Supplement dated the 18th October 1916, to the London Gazette of the 17th October 1916, pages 10025, 10029 and 10033.

War Office,
18th October 1916.

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ESTABLISHMENTS.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE

The undermentioned temporary appointment is made :—

Officer of a Company of Gentlemen Cadets.—Lieutenant G. H. Chambers, Indian Army, *vice* Captain W. E. M. Wetherell, Reserve of Officers, 11th September 1916.

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Service Battalions.

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Middlesex Regiment.

Brevet Major C. C. Cunningham (Indian Army) to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel whilst commanding a Battalion, 3rd June 1916 to 6th June 1916, inclusive.

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Fourth Supplement dated the 19th October 1916, to the London Gazette of the 17th October 1916, page 10065.

War Office,
19th October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made :—

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GENERAL STAFF.

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2nd Grade, from the 3rd grade 26th August 1916—

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Captain (temporary Major) E. R. C. Wyatt, 106th Hazara Pioneers, Indian Army.

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Fifth Supplement dated the 19th October 1916, to the London Gazette of the 17th October 1916, pages 10077 and 10078.

Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

Downing Street,
October 19th, 1916.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, for services rendered in connection with military operations in the Field, to be dated the 3rd June 1916 :—

To be Additional Members of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Distinguished Order :—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Bowen Powell, Gurkha Rifles.

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War Office,
19th October 1916.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned Honours and Rewards for distinguished service in the Field, with effect from 3rd June 1916, inclusive :—

To be Brevet Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. V. Cummins, Punjabis.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. O. Parr, Rajputs.

To be Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels.

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Major J. H. M. Davie, Poona Horse.

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To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.

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Captain Reginald Charles Clifford, Indian Medical Service.

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Captain Basil Gerard Peel, Pioneers.

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Captain Gerard van Rossum Reyne, Punjabis.

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Lieutenant Roy Thornhill Sweet, Gurkha Rifles.

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Awarded the Military Cross.

Captain David Arthur, M.B., Indian Medical Service.

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Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Ernest Wyndham Burdett, Pioneers.

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Captain Henry Spencer Cardew, Garhwal Rifles.

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Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Arthur Henry Norman Gatherer, Punjabis.

Lieutenant William Sydney Halliley, Reserve of Officers (attached Rajputs).

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Captain Kalyan Kumar Mukerji, Indian Medical Service.

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Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Cyril Arthur Raynor, Pioneers.

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Captain Charles Hugh Stockley, Punjabis.

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London Gazette, dated the 20th October 1916, pages 10082, 10084 and 10088.

War Office,
20th October 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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Lieutenant (temporary Captain) W. H. G. Baker, 31st Lancers, Indian Army, to be Acting Major whilst commanding a Battalion, Cheshire Regiment. 28th July 1916.

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MEMORANDUM.

Pioneer Depôt.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. L. Holland, M.V.O. (Indian Army), vacates the command of the Depôt. 4th September 1916.

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Third Supplement dated the 21st October 1916 to the London Gazette of the 20th October 1916, pages 10225, 10227, 10228, 10230, 10231, 10237 and 10238.

War Office,
21st October 1916.

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SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

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SUPPLEMENTARY TO REGULAR UNITS OR CORPS.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

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CAVALRY.

2nd Dragoon Guards—Cyril Younghusband, late Lieutenant, Special Reserve and Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be Lieutenant. 16th October 1916, with seniority from 17th August 1914.

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MACHINE GUN CORPS (INFANTRY).

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Training Reserve.

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Major H. Welman (retired, Indian Staff Corps) to be appointed to a Battalion. 1st September 1916.

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VOLUNTEER FORCE.

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Sussex Volunteer Regiment.

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4th Battalion—

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To be temporary Captains. 22nd October 1916.

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Colonel Henry Francis Kelly Waldron (retired, Indian Army).

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Fifth Supplement dated the 23rd October 1916 to the London Gazette of the 20th October 1916, pages 10261 and 10261.

War Office,
23rd October 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

Captain J. de la H. Gordon, Indian Army, to be temporary Major whilst employed as a Military Governor. 19th September 1916.

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PROMOTIONS

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1406.—The following promotions are made subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Captains to be temporary Majors.

18th August 1916.

Harold Ernest Weeks, 2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

Charles Arthur Gilbert Money, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).

To be temporary Captain.

22nd November 1916.

2nd-Lieutenant Roger Gillies Ekin, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force), whilst holding the appointment of Brigade Machine Gun Officer.

No. 1407.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

14th November 1916.

Hugh Maurice Wellesley Souter, D.S.O., Commandant, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.

No. 1408.—In Army Department Notification No. 1282, dated the 27th October 1916, *for* "23rd Battalion, The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own)," *read* "24th Battalion, The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own)."

INDIA MISCELLANEOUS LIST.

No. 1409.—Conductor James Leonard Kenny (supernumerary) is absorbed in the rank of Conductor and Staff-Serjeant Alexander Wyatt to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Conductor George Marlow, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 31st October 1916.

BARRACK DEPARTMENT, PUNJAB—BENGAL.

No. 1410.—Staff-Serjeant William George Watson, Barrack Department, to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Commissary and Honorary Captain Joseph Darby, Barrack Department, Madras List, deceased; with effect from the 28th June 1916.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

BOMBAY ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 1411.—The undermentioned 2nd class Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 1st class Assistant Surgeons with effect from the 1st November 1916 :—

Joseph Henry Arnold Donnelland.

Charles Thompson.

No. 1412.—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class, and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Assistant Surgeon with effect from the 26th September 1916.

John Alexander Gaeizelar (Supernumerary, 2nd class).

No. 1413.—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeon is promoted to the 2nd grade, with effect from the 26th September 1916 :—

Henry Vincent (Supernumerary, 2nd class).

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

BOMBAY ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 1414.—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class, and passed the required departmental examination, to be 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon with effect from the 15th September 1916.

No. 321 Ram-krishna Anant Parab.

No. 1415.—The undermentioned 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class, and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon with effect from the 14th September 1916.

No. 381 Narmada Shanker Velji Raval.

No. 1416.—In Army Department Notification No. 1321, dated the 3rd November 1916, *below* "No. 371 Nilkhant Ramchandra Mauskar" *insert* "No. 378 Vasant Ganesh Anjarlekar......... 14th September 1915."

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

BENGAL ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 1417.—Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar, Barkat Ram (E) Supernumerary to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon 1st class Supernumerary, ranking as Subadar, and

Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar, Ramrachhpal (E) to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon 1st class, ranking as Subadar, and

No. 722 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Sultan Ali (E) to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar,

Vice 1st class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Subadar, Thakur Singh *deceased*, with effect from the 15th May 1916.

No. 1418.—Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar, Rafiud-din Khan (E), *Bahadur*, to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 1st class, ranking as Subadar, and

No. 765 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Rustam Ali (E) to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar,

vice 1st class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Subadar, Shah Mir Khan retained as supernumerary on attaining the age of 55, with effect from the 23rd May 1916.

No. 1419.—Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar, Bhagwan Singh (E) to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 1st class, ranking as Subadar, and

No. 759 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Abdus Shakur Khan (E) to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar,

vice 1st class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon ranking as Subadar *Rai Sahib* Gurditt Singh retained as supernumerary on attaining the age of 55, with effect from the 15th May 1916.

No. 1420.—No. 766 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Nizamud-din (E) to be Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar, *vice* 2nd class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon ranking as Jemadar Nanak Chand Anand, invalided with effect from the 26th June 1916.

(E)—Passed in English.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1421.—The following promotions are made :—

8th Cavalry.

Dafadar Muhammad Mushtaq Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 3rd May 1916; to complete the establishment.

Royal Artillery Depôt, Belgaum.

Havildar-Major Sultan Khan (Frontier Garrison Artillery) and Havildar Sohan Singh (Royal Artillery Depôt, Jubbulpore) to be Jemadars, with effect from the 22nd September 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Robinson Joseph Jacob to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.

Colour-Havildars Bahadur Singh Mahar and Ranjit Singh Rawat to be Jemadars, with effect from the 20th August 1916 and Havildars Gaur Singh Rawat and Mohan Singh Negi to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st September 1916; to complete the establishment.

92nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Juma Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 15th January 1916; to complete the establishment.

95th Russell's Infantry.

Jemadar Ram Pershad Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Shaikh Haidar and Havildar-Major Ramchander Gaikwad to be Jemadars, with effect from the 27th July 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles.

Subadar Mehar Singh Khattri, I.O.M., to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 9th March 1916; to complete the establishment.

No. 1422.—The following promotions are made :—

1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

Dafadar Abdul Razaq Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

18th King George's Own Lancers.

Kot-Dafadar Jagat Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

27th Light Cavalry.

Dafadar Mustafa Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th May 1916 to complete the establishment.

28th Light Cavalry.

Dafadar Fateh Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th March 1916 to complete the establishment.

32nd Lancers.

Dafadar Nihal Singh to be emadar, with effect from the 2nd November 1916 to complete the establishment.

33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.

Ressaidar Muhammad Arshad Khan to be Risaldar, Jemadar Prem Singh to be Ressaidar and Dafadar Muhammad Yusuf Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th April 1916; to complete the establishment.

34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.

Ressaidar Muhammad Ali Khan [1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse)] to be Risaldar and Jemadar Abdul Gafoor Khan to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 6th August 1916, Jemadar Rewat Singh (32nd Lancers) to be Ressaidar and Dafadar Amir Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

Aden Troop.

Dafadar Bharat Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st September 1916; *vice* Diwan Ali Khan, deceased.

3rd Sappers and Miners.

Colour-Havildar Kailas Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th June 1916 to complete the establishment.

19th Punjabis.

Jemadar Azizulla (1) to be Subadar, with effect from the 16th August 1916, Jemadar Bodh Raj to be Subadar and Havildars Khuda Bakhsh and Anant Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1916, and Havildar Ghafur Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

33rd Punjabis.

Jemadar Ghulam Hassan to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st August 1916; to complete the establishment.

75th Carnatic Infantry.

Havildar Kandasami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 28th July 1916 and Havildar Viranna to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

93rd Burma Infantry.

Jemadar Jhanda Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 17th April 1916; to complete the establishment.

33rd Punjabis.

No. 1423.—The promotion referred to in Army Department Notification No. 1087, dated the 15th September 1916, is cancelled and the following substituted :—

Jemadar Abdullah to be Subadar, with effect from the 29th July 1916, *vice* Kutub Khan, transferred to the pension establishment.

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53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

No. 1424.—The promotions referred to in Army Department Notification No. 1225, dated the 13th October, are cancelled and the following substituted :—

Jemadar Teja Singh [54th Sikhs (Frontier Force)] to be Subadar, with effect from the 23rd March 1916; Jemadar Dost Mahammad [54th Sikhs (Frontier Force)] to be Subadar, with effect from the 17th June 1916 , Jemadar Zardad Khan [54th Sikhs (Frontier Force)] to be Subadar, with effect from the 11th July 1916 ; Havildar Kehr Singh, I.O.M., to be Jemadar, with effect from the 4th June 1916 ; Havildar Santokh Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th June 1916, and Colour-Havildar Muhammad Sher [54th Sikhs (Frontier Force)] to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th July 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

No. 1425.—In Army Department Notification No. 1327, dated the 3rd November 1916, *for* " Kalbir Thapa " *read* " Kalbir Gharti ".

105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

No. 1426.—In Army Department Notification No. 274, dated the 10th March 1916, *for* " Havildar Ramchandar Rao Erkunder " *read* " Havildar Ramchandar Rao Erundkar."

81st Pioneers.

The following direct appointment is made :—Daud Khan to be Jemadar on probation with effect from the 15th August 1916 ; to fill an existing vacancy.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

No. 1427.—The following promotion is made :—

2nd Mule Corps.

No. 174 Kot Dafadar Sardar Khan to be Jemadar, to complete establishment; with effect from 23rd June 1916.

No. 1428.—The following promotions are made to complete the establishment required for the new camel corps raised locally in Mesopotamia :—

No. 1 Camel Corps.

Kot Dafadars No. 506 Mardan Shah, 39th Mule Corps, No. 134 Jahan Dadd, 9th Mule Corps, and No. 97 Fatteh Din, 1st Mule Corps, to be Jemadars with effect from the 1st October 1916.

No. 4. Camel Corps.

Kot Dafadars No. 18 Bahadar Ali, 13th Mule Corps, No. 1458 Allah Din and No. 126 Shad Muhammad, 28th Mule Corps, and No. 380 Sham Singh, 16th Mule Corps, to be Jemadars with effect from the 1st October 1916.

No. 5 Camel Corps.

Kot Dafadars No. 302 Zaman Ali, 11th Mule Corps, No. 191 Alla Ditta, 7th Mule Corps, No. 1364 Ishar Singh, 27th Mule Corps, and Q. M. D. No. 216 Wali Din, 12th Mule Corps, to be Jemadars with effect from the 15th October 1916.

Camel Corps Depôt (Basrah)

Kot Dafadar No. 596 Sher Ali Khan, 19th Mule Corps, to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th October 1916.

DISMISSALS, REMOVALS AND DISCHARGES.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

BOMBAY ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 1429.—No. 346, 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Dowlatrao Ramchandra Rao is dismissed from the service, by sentence of a Summary General Court Martial, with effect from the 18th March 1916.

REDUCTIONS.

No. 1430.—Sub-Conductor F. W. Ellison, Supervisor, Military Works Services, is remanded to regimental duty in the rank of Corporal, under the provisions of section 180 (2) (*f*) of the Army Act, with effect from the afternoon of the 8th November 1916.

RESIGNATIONS.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1431.—Second Lieutenant Harold Crawford Walters, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 27th September 1916.

No. 1432.—Second Lieutenant Thomas Allen Womersley, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 24th October 1916.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1433.—Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Archer, C.S.I., C.I.E., Supernumerary List, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 19th August 1916.

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 1434.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admission to the Order of British India. Dated the 24th November 1916.

To the 2nd class with the title of "Bahadur."

Subadar Sher Baz, 27th Indian Mountain Battery.

This appointment will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment.

INDIAN ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 1435.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admissions to the Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit:—

For admission to the 2nd class of the Order.

No. 2519 Sowar Kala Singh, Burma Military Police, for conspicuous gallantry, coolness and resource on the 24th February 1915, when carrying despatches with a comrade through jungle country infested by the enemy. During the journey they were fired on from an ambuscade and Sowar Kala Singh's comrade was severely wounded and rendered unconscious. He was, however, helped to safety by Kala Singh who thus saved his life.

No. 2055 Lance Dafadar Khazan Singh, 4th Cavalry, for conspicuous gallantry and resource on the 24th May 1916, in swimming across a river and boarding, with only one companion, an enemy mahela which contained several Arabs and one Turk. Lance Dafadar Khazan Singh attempted to pole the mahela across the river and when it drifted back he took the tow rope between his teeth, jumped overboard, and attempted to swim across with it. He only desisted in his efforts when ordered by his Troop Commander to do so, owing to the presence of entrenched Turkish infantry a little further down stream. Eventually he succeeded in rejoining his troop on the bank of the river under heavy fire. Lance Dafadar Khazan Singh volunteered for the above duty.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Baluchistan Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1436.—Joseph Ralph Cornah to be Second Li utenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 5th October 1916.

Kolar Gold Fields Rifle Volunteers.

No. 1437.—Captain George Edward Payne is permitted to revert to the rank of Second Lieutenant. Dated the 1st August 1916.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 1438.—His Excellency the Governor General of India is pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officers:—

1st Punjab Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant Frederick Robert Grindal.

Simla Volunteer Rifles.

Captain George William Marshall, I.S.O.

2nd Presidency Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

Captain William John Traise

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 24th November 1916.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given:—

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	
2nd-Lieutenant C. C. E. Manson.	Indian Army Reserve of Officers.	4th December 1915.	Intestate	2,727 13 7	Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 24th November 1916.

No. 50.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Impressment of Vessels Ordinance, 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the first column of the schedule annexed to Marine Department Notification No. 73, dated the 18th August 1914, as amended by Marine Department Notifications Nos. 77, 30, 40, 16 and 36, dated the 1st September 1914, the 10th September 1915, the 10th December 1915, the 5th May 1916 and the 25th August 1916, respectively:—

For "Captain W. Lumsden, C.V.O., R.N., Director of the Royal Indian Marine," "Captain N. J. F. Wilson, Officiating Director of the Royal Indian Marine," shall be *substituted.*

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 17th November 1916.

No. 1892-E.-16.—Mr. N. W. Synnott, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, in class III, grade I, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent in class II of that Establishment with effect from the 1st November 1916 and during the absence of Rai Bahadur Jai Narain, District Traffic Superintendent, on privilege leave.

The 21st November 1916.

No. 821-E.-16.—Mr. I. S. Cameron, officiating District Locomotive Superintendent, North-Western Railway, is promoted from grade 3 to grade 2 of class III (and class II officiating) of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways with effect from the 22nd November 1916.

Delhi, the 22nd November 1916.

No. 942-T.-16.—The following is published for general information :—

No. 942-T.-16.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Simla, the 21st November 1916.

Adoption on the Kalighat Falta Railway of the General Rules for working railways under construction and certain amendments therein.

RESOLUTION.—The Managing Agents of the Kalighat Falta Railway Company, Limited, have applied for permission to adopt on such portion or portions of that railway as may be under construction, the General Rules for working railways under construction and not used for the public carriage of passengers, animals or goods, which were promulgated with Railway Board's Resolution No. 1216 R. T., dated the 6th July 1912, and published in the *Gazette of India* under their Notification No. 114 of the same date, and certain amendments therein which were promulgated with Railway Board's Resolution No. 1023 T., dated the 23rd June 1914, and published in the *Gazette of India* under their Notification No. 169, dated the 26th June 1914.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the General Rules for working railways under construction and of the amendments therein cited in paragraph 1 above, on such portion or portions of the Kalighat Falta Railway as may be under construction.

ORDER.—Ordered that this Resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), and that the General Rules and the amendments, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be further notified to the railway servants concerned, and to the public, by a copy thereof being kept open to inspection, free of charge, in the office of the

Engineer-in-Chief in charge of the construction of the railway; also that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to the Managing Agents, Kalighat Falta Railway Company, Limited, for information and guidance and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2, for information.

Simla, the 23rd November 1916.

No. 1936-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1795-E.-16, dated the 23rd October 1916, Mr. A. A. Phillips, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, will continue to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent in Class II of that Establishment until further orders.

F. A. HADOW,

Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 23rd November 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. There was very little rain, except at the close of the week when a storm from the Bay, crossing the south of the Peninsula, occasioned fairly widespread and locally heavy rain in east Madras.

2. *Burma, including the Bay Islands.*—Port Blair was the only station that reported rain.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Rain fell at Tezpur on the 17th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Weather was dry.

Northwest India.—There was no rain.

The Peninsula.—Rainfall was confined to the south of the Peninsula. It was nearly general on the 22nd on the north Madras coast.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

November 17th. Tezpur 1·26″.

„ 18th. Cuddalore 1·33″ and Madras 1·30″.

„ 19th. Port Blair 3·77″, Calicut 1·10″, Trivandrum 2·58″ and Kodaikanal 0·94″.

„ 20th. Port Blair 1·22″.

„ 22nd. Salem 2·17″, Madras 3·53″, Cuddapah 0·94″ and Nellore 3·26″.

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent or more in excess in the Bay Islands, Assam, Malabar and the Madras Coast North, and was normal in Mysore, Madras Southeast and the Madras Deccan. No rain fell in the remaining divisions, but none usually falls at this time of the year in Bihar, the United Provinces, the Punjab, Sind, Rajputana East, and Hyderabad South.

The rainfall from the 28th April to date is as much as 20 per cent in defect in Kashmir alone. It is within 20 per cent of the normal in the Bay Islands, Burma, Assam, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, the Punjab Southwest, Gujarat, Central India East, the Central Provinces, Malabar and Madras Southeast, and is 20 per cent or more in excess in the remainder of the country.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 23rd November 1916.			Rainfall data from 28th April 1916 to 23rd November 1916.			Percentage departure from normal.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	5·5	1·8	+3·7	109·8	104·2	+5·6	+5	+2
Lower Burma	0	0·6	–0·6	148·4	141·5	+6·9	+5	+5
Upper Burma	0	0·2	–0·2	42·4	42·5	–0·1	0	0
Assam	0·2	0·1	+0·1	72·6	78·1	–5·5	–7	–7
Bengal	0	0·1	–0·1	85·3	70·0	+15·3	+22	+22
Orissa	0	0·3	–0·3	67·1	58·7	+8·4	+14	+15
Chota Nagpur	0	0·1	–0·1	47·4	49·5	–2·1	–4	–4
Bihar	0	0	0	63·6	49·7	+13·9	+28	+28
United Provinces, East	0	0	0	49·0	39·3	+9·7	+25	+25
United Provinces, West	0	0	0	51·0	39·2	+1 ·8	+30	+30
Punjab, East and North	0	0	0	30·3	21·3	+9·0	+42	+42
Punjab, South-West	0	0	0	9·4	8·1	+1·3	+16	+16
Kashmir	0	0·1	–0·1	6·9	9·0	–2·1	–23	–22
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·1	–0·1	11·0	5·9	+5·1	+86	+90
Baluchistan	0	0·1	–0·1	4·2	2·4	+1·8	+75	+83
Sind	0	0	0	12·9	4·8	+8·1	+169	+169
Rajputana, West	0	0·1	–0·1	23·1	11·4	+11·7	+103	+104
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	31·6	22·9	+8·7	+38	+38
Gujarat	0	0·1	–0·1	26·6	23·5	+3·1	+13	+14
Central India, West	0	0·1	–0·1	40·4	29·7	+10·7	+36	+36
Central India, East	0	0·1	–0·1	48·2	41·1	+7·1	+17	+18
Berar	0	0·1	–0·1	45·6	31·0	+14·6	+47	+48
Central Provinces, West	0	0·1	–0·1	51·9	45·0	+6·9	+15	+16
Central Provinces, East	0	0·1	–0·1	50·1	48·2	+1·9	+4	+4
Konkan	0	0·1	–0·1	126·4	97·1	+29·3	+30	+30
Bombay Deccan	0	0·1	–0·1	38·9	27·5	+11·4	+41	+42
Hyderabad, North	0	0·1	–0·1	41·7	33·0	+8·7	+26	+27
Hyderabad, South	0	0	0	47·4	30·2	+17·2	+57	+57
Mysore	0·2	0·2	0	39·0	27·9	+11·1	+40	+40
Malabar	1·0	0·7	+0·3	101·0	98·1	+2·9	+3	+3
Madras, South-East	1·6	1·6	0	29·8	28·5	+1·3	+5	+5
Madras Deccan	0·3	0·3	0	36·9	24·3	+12·6	+52	+53
Madras Coast, North	1·1	0·8	+0·3	43·6	34·9	+8·7	+25	+25

G. C. SIMPSON,
for Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 23rd November 1916.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 18th November 1916.

Burma.—Sixteen districts report light showers. Reaping of autumn rice, agricultural operations in connexion with island and miscellaneous crops and harvesting of groundnut and cotton are progressing. Standing crops are generally satisfactory. Cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon has risen slightly to Rs. 113 per hundred baskets and is slightly below normal. The market for white rice is steady.

Assam.—The weather was seasonable and favourable for standing crops. Harvesting of autumn rice is finished. Plucking and manufacture of tea are nearly finished. Ploughing of land for sowing mustard, *matikalai* and pulses and harvesting of winter rice are in progress. Prospects of tea and mustard are fair and those of cotton are fair to good. Damage caused by insect pests to paddy crops is still reported from Cachar. Cattle disease is reported from five districts and insufficiency of fodder from three. Price of common rice has fallen in three districts. Distribution of agricultural loans still continues in Cachar.

Bengal.—The week was almost rainless; a few light and scattered showers fell in the Mymensingh district. Sowing of spring crops is progressing satisfactorily. Harvesting of early winter rice has commenced in places and that of jute is nearing completion. The prospects of winter rice and other standing crops are reported to be generally satisfactory. Fodder is scarce in parts of Jessore, Faridpur and Tippera. Cattle disease prevails in five districts. The average price of common rice has fallen by about 1·6 per cent. as compared with that of the preceding week.

Bihar and Orissa.—There was no rain during the week and the weather was seasonable. Sowing of spring crops continues. Harvesting of paddy is in progress. Standing crops are on the whole doing well. The average price of common rice has fallen as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder is generally sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from sixteen districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is on the whole good.

United Provinces.—The week was rainless. Harvesting and threshing of autumn crops, irrigation of winter crops, pressing of sugarcane and picking of cotton continue. Sowing of winter crops is nearing completion. Standing crops are doing well and prospects continue favourable. The condition of agricultural stock is good though some cattle disease is still reported from twenty districts. Fodder and water are ample. Markets are full. Prices have risen in twenty-eight districts situated in all parts of the province.

Punjab.—The weather during the week remaind dry. Picking of cotton and harvesting of rice and maize, etc., continue. Pressing of sugarcane has commenced in some districts. The outturn of these crops is generally normal to good. The condition of standing spring crops and of sugarcane and cotton is good. Sowings of wheat, barley, rapeseed, etc., are in progress and are normal or above normal. Crops newly sown are germinating well. Cattle are healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Prices have an upward tendency but still range between normal and warning rates. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices of wheat :—Lahore and Lyallpur 9½, Rawalpindi 9⅝, Ferozepore 10¼, and Ambala 10½ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—The week was rainless. Rain is required for autumn sowings on unirrigated areas in the Peshawar district. The weather is cold. The condition of standing irrigated and unirrigated crops is average in the province. Sowings of spring and harvesting of autumn crops are proceeding. The outturn of the latter is reported to be average. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is not running. The public health is good, but malarial fever is still prevalent in Peshawar. A few cases of cholera occurred in the Dera Ismail Khan district. Prices are high and are rising in the case of wheat, maize and gram in Peshawar; of wheat, *bajra* and barley in Bannu and of gram and *bajra* in Dera Ismail Khan.

Jammu.—No rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 14 and maize from 14 to 24 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Cattle disease is still prevalent in the Ranbirsinghpura tahsil. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—No rain fell during the week. Water and fodder are sufficient. Spring crops are in progress. Prices are normal.

Rajputana.—The weather during the week was cool and clear. Standing crops are good. Harvesting of autumn and sowing of spring crops are in progress. Prospects are good. The condition of agricultural stock is good except in some places in Kishangarh where cattle disease is reported. Water and fodder are abundant. Prices are falling in hilly tracts, Mewar, Tonk, Bharatpur ; rising in Shahpura, Dungarpur, Banswara, Rotah, Jaipur, Karauli, and stationary elsewhere.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was sufficient. Sowing of spring and harvesting of autumn crops continue. Standing crops and probable outturn are fair in Indore and Bhopal and good elsewhere. Crops have been damaged in Bhopal by excessive rain. Agricultural stock is in good condition except for some cattle disease. Fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are rising in Gwalior and Bhopal, fluctuating in Indore and are steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather continues to be clear and cool. Harvesting of autumn crops, picking of cotton and preparation of land for spring sowings are well advanced. Germination of spring crops already sown is so far satisfactory and prospects are favourable. The supply of fodder and water is adequate and agricultural stock is in good condition. The price of *juar* rose in Chhindwara, Wardha and Akola by 2 to 3¾ seers per rupee. Wheat fell by half seer in the Vindhyan districts but prices of food grains generally show a slight upward tendency.

Feudatory States—No rain fell during the week. Standard crops are in good condition.

Bombay.—Rain fell during the week in parts of Konkan, the Karnatak, Savantvadi and Kolhapur. Standing crops are thriving except in parts of Bijapur, Belgaum and Kolhapur where they have been damaged by rain. Autumn harvesting generally continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh, Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Kathiawar. Spring sowing generally continues. Fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Irrigation water is deficient in parts of Panch Mahals and Kaira. Prices of food grains have slightly fallen in Sind, risen in Gujarat and Karnatak and generally steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—There were isolated showers during the week, the average being four cents. The autumn and early rice crops, though much damaged by rain especially in the Raichur District, are improving and are being harvested. Lands where spring crops have been much damaged by rain is being resown. Late rice lands are being prepared. Cattle disease is prevalent in twenty talukas. Prices of food grains are high and steady. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 9 seers per rupee in Warangal and the lowest 26¾ seers per rupee in Usmanabad.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good in Hassan, Mysore, Kadur, Tumkur, and Shimoga and light elsewhere. The price of *ragi* has risen in Hassan. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of harvested *ragi*, paddy and sugarcane is fair. The prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy in the greater part of the state. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall ten cents. The condition of rice is good. Picking of cardamom and coffee continues. Prices of food gr ns are high. Public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was light or *nil* in the Circars, Kurnool, Banganapalle, Bellary and Anantapur; fair in Cuddapah, Salem, Trichinopoly and Cochin ; heavy in Chingleput, Madras, South Arcot and Tanjore; and good elsewhere. Standing crops are fair to good generally but have been damaged by heavy rain and floods in parts of two districts and require more rain in parts of two others. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water supply is insufficient in parts of Anantapur, Chittoor, North Arcot and the southern parts except Tanjore and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is sufficient. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 24th November 1916.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 18th November 1916 is published for general information:—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	......	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City	9	8
		Kaira District	34	9
		Surat Town and Port	9	8
		Surat District	7	4
		Kalyan Port	2*	1*
	Central	Ahmednagar District	730	495
		West Khandesh District	396	248
		East Khandesh District	51	43
		Poona Town	326	293
		Poona District	536	402
		Nasik District	193	119
		Satara District	355	265
		Sholapur Town	94	74
		Sholapur District	418	339
	Southern	Ratnagiri District	4	3
		Panvel Port	1	1
		Kolaba District	...	2*
		Belgaum District	223	147
		Hubli Town	35	34
		Dharwar District	176	108
		Kanara District	1	...
		Bijapur District	282	168
	Political Charges.	Baroda State	54	46
		Mangrol Port	7	3
		Kathiawar Agency	20	12
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country States	270	169
		Bijapur Agency	2	1
		Satara Agency	11	9
		Rewa Kantha Agency	13	13
		Savanur State	69	44
		Akalkot State	22	13
		TOTAL	4,380	3,081

* Imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	...	Anantapur District	20	13
		Bellary District	119(a)	62
		Coimbatore Town	8 (b)	6 (b)
		Coimbatore District	363(c)	273(d)
		Salem Town	4	3
		Salem District	79	48
		North Arcot District	25(e)	17(d)
		Nilgiris District	3	3
		TOTAL	621	425
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.	...	......	...	...
BIHAR AND ORISSA.	Patna	Patna City	3	3
		Patna District	11	11
		Shahabad District	12	7
	Tirhut	Saran District	28	18
		Muzaffarpur District	...	4
		Darbhanga District	16	9
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	46	34
		TOTAL	116	86
UNITED PROVINCES.	Rohilkhand.	Moradabad District	1	1
		Pilibhit District	1	1
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad District	6	6
		Cawnpore City	2	2
		Cawnpore District	15	15
		Allahabad District	32	32
	Benares	Benares District	5	5
		Jaunpur District	18	18
		Ghazipur District	47	24
	Gorakhpur.	Ballia District	12	12
		Gorakhpur District	133	65
		Basti District	9	9
		Azamgarh District	29	19
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	2	2
		Unao District	39	27
		Rae Bareli District	5	4
		Sitapur District	9	7
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	16	6
		Gonda District	12	5
		Sultanpur District	7	3
		Partabgarh District	10	8
		TOTAL	410	271

(a) One imported. (b) Two imported. (c) Six imported. (d) Three imported. (e) Four imported.

In the return for the week ending 11th November 1916, against Cawnpore City *read* 2 cases, 2 deaths, *for* 12 cases, 12 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District	4	3
	Lahore	Gurdaspur District	1	...
		Gujranwala District	1	1
	Rawalpindi.	Rawalpindi District	83	64
		TOTAL	89	68
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town	5	6
		Insein District	1	...
		Tharrawaddy District	8	8
		Prome District	11	11
	Irrawaddy	Henzada District	3	3
	Tenasserim.	Toungoo District	2	2
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	1	1
	Meiktila	Kyaukse District	1	1
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	1	1
		TOTAL	33	33
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town	368	358
		Nagpur District	256	177
		Kamptee Cantonment	133	89
		Bhandara District	1	1
		Wardha District	76	46
		Chanda Town	1	...
		Chanda District	4	
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	180	182
	Chhatisgarh.	Raipur District	1	...
	Berar	Amraoti Town	1	...
		Amraoti District	27	26
		Yeotmal District	2	1
		Akola District	147	98
		Buldana District	157	123
		TOTAL	1,354	1,108
ASSAM	...	......	...	...
COORG	...	Coorg	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	53	48
		Bangalore City	36	32
		Bangalore District	129	95
		Mysore City	17	14
		Mysore District	77	45
		Hassan District	14	13
		Kadur District	12	12
		Shimoga District	66	45
		Chitaldroog District	57	25
		Kolar Gold Fields	36	26
		Kolar District	85	64
		TOTAL	582	419
HYDERABAD STATE.	..	Aurangabad District	221	173
		Bir District	145	126
		Parbhani District	104	81
		Nander District	172	132
		Gulbarga District	93	83
		Raichur District	25	21
		Usmanabad District	100	66
		Atrafibaldah Sarf-i-Khas District	137	127
		Bidar District	4	4
		Medak District	77	63
		Nalgonda District	5	5
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	429	366
		TOTAL	1,512 (a)	1,247 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Indore City	103	78
		Indore Residency Bazar	1	...
		Mhow Cantonment	1	1
		Dhar State	5	2
		TOTAL	110 (b)	81 (b)
RAJPUTANA.	...	Ajmer District	2*	...
		TOTAL	2	...
N.-W.-F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	9,209	6,814

(a) From the 6th to the 12th November 1916.
(b) For the week ending 11th November 1916.
* Imported.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 99-C.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 24th November 1916.

RESOLUTION.

The undermentioned gentlemen, recently appointed in England to the Indian Civil Service, are, under the orders of the Governor General in Council, allotted to the provinces shown against their names:—

Mr. John Younie. Mr. Dudley Garnet Davies. Mr. Satyendranath Modak.	Bengal.
Mr. Abraham Raisman. Mr. Nenumal Pohoomal Thadani.	Bihar and Orissa.
Mr. Arnold Gordon Patton	Assam.
Mr. Marie Ferdinand Philippe Herchenroder. Mr. Shivlal Panachand Shah	United Provinces.
Mr. Bernard King Parry	Central Provinces.
Mr. Barnet Abraham Zaiman Mr. John Jennings Bennison	Burma.

2. The Governor General in Council is further pleased to direct that the gentlemen posted to Bengal shall, on arrival at Calcutta, report themselves to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal. The officers posted to Bihar and Orissa arriving at Bombay or Calcutta should on arrival enquire from the Resident Under Secretary to the Government of Bombay or the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal as the case may be whether any orders as to their destination await them. In the absence of any such orders they should at once proceed to Patna (Bankipur Railway Station) and there report themselves to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bihar and Orissa or in his absence to the Commissioner of the Patna Division. Mr. A. G. Patton should proceed to Shillong and report himself to the Chief Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Assam. The officers posted to Burma should proceed to Rangoon and report themselves to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Burma.

3. The officers appointed to the United Provinces should proceed to Allahabad and report themselves to the Chief Secretary to Government there. Mr. B. K. Parry should proceed to Nagpur and report himself to the Chief Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

ORDER:—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Governments of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, the United Provinces and Burma and the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces and Assam for information and guidance. Also that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, and that a copy be forwarded to each of the gentlemen named therein.

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 06-F. A.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

RESOLUTION.

Delhi, the 24th November 1916.

The Governor General in Council has recently considered the organization, methods and procedure of the Buildings and Roads Branch of the Public Works Department with the object of deciding whether it can be improved and rendered more economical and efficient. Whilst the Governor General in Council desires to recognise the great services of the Public Works Department in the past, and the important part that it has taken in the development of India, a recognition with which the Secretary of State desires fully to associate himself, there is a considerable body of opinion that the changing conditions make it desirable to reconsider the methods under which Public Works are carried out and more particularly to secure, if and whenever this is possible, the substitution of private for departmental agency. It is urged that much of the work at present carried out by the Public Works Department could be intrusted to private agency, and that greater economy could thus be secured, and further that much greater use might be made by Government of local bodies, some of which at present employ a skilled public works agency. Much work of a simple and unimportant character which is now undertaken and supervised by highly salaried officers of Government could, it has been suggested, be carried out at reduced cost under contract subject to Government inspection. In the second place, it is urged that, if local bodies are encouraged and enabled to arrange more extensively than at present for the execution by their own staff or by private agency of their works, it will not only be a further step in the direction of decentralization but also would stimulate the growth of firms of standing in the building and allied trades and so encourage further industrial activity. Such developments will, further, tend automatically to react upon the educational system of the country. A demand for more highly trained engineers in private employ would involve the provision of facilities for the best possible training at the Engineering Colleges. And it is considered that such provision must be an integral factor in any schemes for the development of private enterprise such as would be connected in changes of the kind in view.

2. For the purpose of examining these matters the Governor General in Council has accordingly determined, with the approval of the Secretary of State, to appoint a Committee whose duty it will be to inquire into and report generally upon the organization and the system of administration of the Buildings and Roads Branch of the Public Works Department, with special reference to the considerations advanced in the foregoing paragraph, and to make such suggestions for change as the circumstances seem to justify. Among the particular points which the Committee should inquire into are the following:—

(*i*) whether the methods at present adopted for the execution of civil works are economical and suitable for the purpose for which they were devised;

(*ii*) whether under the existing system private enterprise is sufficiently encouraged, and whether it is possible and desirable to entrust the construction and upkeep of certain classes of public works to agency other than departmental, and if so, upon what lines such change should be effected;

(*iii*) whether any changes recommended by the Committee necessitate any modification of the organization of the staff of the Public Works Department, and if so what;

(*iv*) whether the Public Works Department meets the needs of other Departments of the Administration, and whether the relations *inter se* of the various sub-divisions of the Buildings and Roads Branch, Sanitary, Architectural, Electrical and Civil Engineering are satisfactory ;

(*v*) whether further decentralization within the Public Works Department itself is desirable, and, if so, to what extent and in what directions.

(*vi*) whether the Public Works Department Code which regulates the execution and maintenance of civil works is unduly restrictive and if so, in what direction change is desirable;

(*vii*) whether the system of education in Government Engineering Colleges is organised on a sufficiently broad basis to meet the needs of private agency as well as of Government, whether it attracts suitable candidates and whether the standard of instruction is sufficiently advanced to provide fully qualified civil engineers for employment by Government, local bodies, and private engineering and contracting firms, and if not, in what directions and to what extent improvement is required ;

(*viii*) whether adequate provision is made for the practical training on works of students who have received their scientific education in English or Indian Colleges.

3. For this purpose the Governor General in Council, with the approval of the Secretary of State, has decided to constitute a Committee of Inquiry, consisting of an officer experienced in Indian Administration as President, an officer acquainted with the system followed by the Local Government Board in England, a member familiar with English methods of local self-government, and two *ex*-members of the Public Works Department, of whom one should be an Indian. He has, therefore, been pleased to appoint the following members :—

(1) F. G. Sly, Esq., C.S.I , I.C.S., Commissioner, Nagpur Division, Central Provinces.

(2) Sir Noel Thomas Kershaw, K.C.B., Local Government Board, England.

(3) C. S. Cobb, Esq., M.V.O., M.A., LL.B., Chairman of the London County Council.

(4) Rai Bahadur Gangaram, C.I.E., M.V.O., late of the Public Works Department.

(5) The second *ex*-member of the Public Works Department to be appointed hereafter.

Mr D. G. Harris, Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, has been appointed Secretary to the Committee.

During the visit of the Committee to each Province where its inquiries will be conducted, a local member will be appointed to the Committee by the local Government or Administration concerned in order to represent the views of the local authorities and to see that the local circumstances and conditions are fully laid before the members of the Committee. The local members will not be required to join in the preparation of the final report.

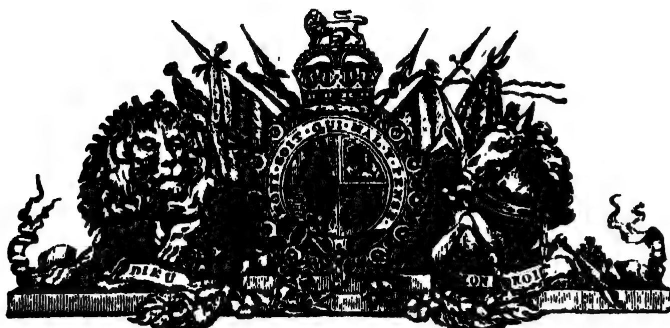
4. The general inquiry will be public and its conduct and the regulation of the course of business are entrusted to the President in communication with the members. The Governor General in Council leaves it to the President to determine the procedure to be adopted in obtaining and recording evidence. The Committee, through the Secretary, acting under instructions from the President, will correspond directly with local Governments. The Governor General in Council desires that all communications or requisitions for information emanating from the Committee may be treated as urgent and complied with promptly and that, in each Province visited by the Committee they may be afforded every facility for prosecuting their inquiries.

F. C. ROSE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 13425 P.—The 1st December 1916.—His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Frederic John Napier, Baron Chelmsford, P.C., G.M.S.I., G.C.M.G., G.M.I.E., Viceroy and Governor-General of India, accompanied by Her Excellency the Lady Chelmsford and Staff, will arrive by the SS. "Arankola" off Prinsep's Ghât at 4 P.M. (Calcutta time) on Friday, the 22nd December 1916, and will immediately proceed on board the Royal Indian Marine launch "Empress Mary," where they will be received by the Vice-Chairman of the Port Commissioners, the Port Officer of Calcutta, the Deputy Conservator of the Port of Calcutta and the Military Secretary to the Governor of Bengal.

2. On arrival of the launch at Prinsep's Ghât at 4-15 P.M. their Excellencies will be received by His Excellency the Governor of Bengal and the Lady Carmichael. At the same time a Viceregal salute of 31 guns will be fired from the ramparts of Fort William.

Guards of Honour furnished by the Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps and Indian Infantry will be drawn up opposite the landing-stage and will salute as His Excellency steps on shore.

3. His Excellency the Governor will then present the following gentlemen who will be present at the ghât :—

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.
The Commissioner of the Presidency Division.
The Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta.
The Inspector-General of Police, Bengal.
The Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.
The Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor.
The Aides-de-Camp to His Excellency the Governor.

4. After the inspection of the Guards of Honour their Excellencies the Viceroy and Lady Chelmsford attended by Staff will drive to Government House, escorted by a battery of Royal Field Artillery. His Excellency the Viceroy's Bodyguard, the Calcutta Light Horse and His Excellency the Governor's Bodyguard and a squadron of Indian Cavalry.

5. The route will be *viâ* the Ellenborough Course, the Red Road and Government Place, East, the entry into Government House being by

the North-East Gate. The route will be lined throughout by troops under the orders of the General Officer Commanding the Presidency Brigade.

6. A Guard of Honour of British Infantry and a Guard of Honour of the Calcutta Volunteer Rifles will be drawn up opposite the Grand Staircase of Government House and will salute on His Excellency the Viceroy alighting from his carriage.

7. At Government House there will assemble not later than 3-45 P.M. (Calcutta time) all Civil, Naval and Military Officers of Government at the Presidency, who may be present at Calcutta. Consular Officers and other representatives of Foreign Governments at Calcutta, Ruling Chiefs and Noblemen of Bengal, Members of the Bengal Legislative Council and other gentlemen on the Calcutta and Dacca Government House lists, who are desirous of attending, are also invited to be present. Limited accommodation will be provided in the Throne Room for the ladies of the gentlemen invited to attend.

Admission to Government House Grounds, except to officers in uniform, will be by ticket only, for which application should be made to the Under-Secretary, Political Department, Writers' Buildings, not later than the 19th December 1916.

8. Their Excellencies the Viceroy and Lady Chelmsford will be received at the foot of the Grand Staircase by the General Officer Commanding the 8th (Lucknow) Division and the General Officer Commanding the Presidency Brigade, who will accompany His Excellency on his inspection of the Guards of Honour.

9. After the inspection, His Excellency the Viceroy, accompanied by His Excellency the Governor and followed by their Excellencies Lady Chelmsford and Lady Carmichael, will proceed to the head of the stairs, where the formalities of a public arrival will take place. The flag at Government House will be hoisted and a salute of 31 guns will be fired from the ramparts of Fort William. His Excellency the Governor will present the Chief Justice, the Lord Bishop of Calcutta and the Members of the Bengal Executive Council; and the Chief Justice will present the Puisne Judges of the High Court and the Advocate-General, Bengal.

10. At the entrance to the Throne Room the high officials and others assembled there will be presented to His Excellency the Viceroy as follows:—

(*a*) Ruling Chiefs and Noblemen, by His Excellency the Governor.
(*b*) Consuls General by His Excellency the Governor.
(*c*) Member of the Board of Revenue, Secretaries to the Government and Principal Heads of Departments by His Excellency the Governor.
(*d*) Staff Officers and Officers Commanding Units by the General Officer Commanding the Presidency Brigade.
(*e*) The Sheriff of Calcutta; President, Chamber of Commerce; President, British Indian Association; Master, Trades' Association; and President, National Chamber of Commerce, by His Excellency the Governor.
(*f*) Members of the Bengal Legislative Council by His Excellency the Governor.

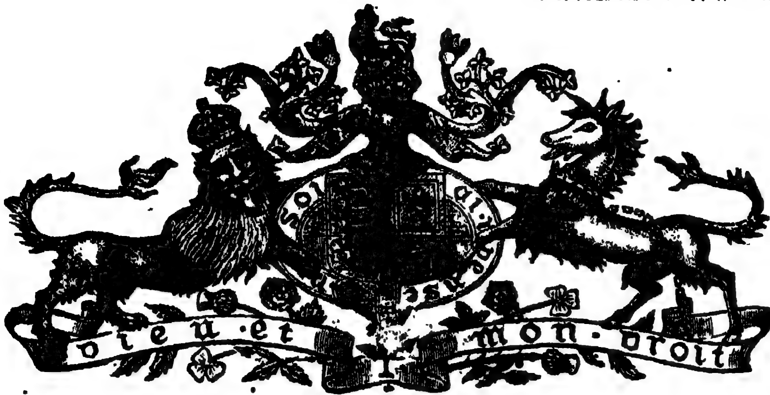
11. His Excellency the Viceroy will then leave the Throne Room attended by his personal Staff.

12. Levée Dress will be worn by Civil officers, Service Dress by Military officers. Gentlemen not entitled to wear uniform will appear in Morning Dress.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller-General, etc.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 10th October 1916.

On and after 18th November and until further notice, Parts I, IV, V and VI of the *Gazette of India* and the Weather and Crop Report will be published in Delhi. Parts II and III will continue to be published in Calcutta. All notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts should be addressed to the Publisher at Delhi and Calcutta, respectively.

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"It has been brought to the notice of this Department that matter for the *Gazette of India* is sometimes sent to the Press late on Friday evenings for publication in the next day's *Gazette* and that this involves considerable inconvenience to the Press and expense to Government. In the Circular Memorandum of this Department, No. 777—79, dated 9th February 1870, the Government of India directed that all notifications or other matter intended for insertion in the *Gazette of India* should be delivered at the Press not later than 2 P.M. on Friday, and that any papers sent thereafter must be certified to be extremely urgent in order to ensure their appearance in the next day's *Gazette*. The undersigned is directed to request that these orders may be more strictly observed in future, and that Departments will refrain from sending to the Press as extremely urgent any papers which can without harm or inconvenience be held over for the next *Gazette*.

J. P. HEWETT,
Secretary to the Government of India."

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F. J. HALL,
Offg. Publisher, *Gazette of India*.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

No. B. R.-1449.—Preliminary Account of Receipts and Disbursements of the Government of India for the first six months of 1916-1917 as compared with the corresponding period of 1915-1916.

ENGLAND. Whole year. Preliminary Accounts, 1915-1916.	ENGLAND. Whole year. Budget, 1916-1917.	ENGLAND. April to September. 1915-1916.	ENGLAND. April to September. 1916-1917.	ENGLAND. April to September. Increase.	ENGLAND. April to September. Decrease.	RECEIPTS.	INDIA. Whole year. Preliminary Accounts, 1915-1916.	INDIA. Whole year. Budget, 1916-1917.	INDIA. April to September. 1915-1916.	INDIA. April to September. 1916-1917.	INDIA. April to September. Increase.	INDIA. April to September. Decrease.
£	£	£	£	£	£	**Revenue.**	R	R	R	R	R	R
						PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Land Revenue (including that due to Irrigation)	36,03,07,000	35,43,87,000	12,73,30,000	12,86,86,000	13,56,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Opium	2,74,47,000	3,43,04,000	1,28,95,000	2,14,52,000	85,57,000	...
...	...	...	...	.	...	Salt	5,46,18,000	5,98,14,000	2,06,14,000	2,91,72 000	85,58.000	...
...	...	...	...	..	...	Stamps	7,96,14,000	8,22,57,000	4,10,06,000	4,35.19,000	25,13,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Excise	12,92,16,000	12,82,70,000	6,19,09,000	6,56,38,000	37,29,000	...
...	...	...		...	...	Customs	8,78,96,000	11,54,70 000	4.15,39,000	5,96,71.000	1,81,32.000	...
...	...	...	.	...	..	Other Heads	7,92,51,000	9,14,10,000	3,21,72.000	4.28,82,000	1.07,10.000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL PRINCIPAL HEADS	81,83,49,000	86,63,12,000	33,74 65,000	39,10,20,000	5,35,55,000	...
204,100	326,200	89,200	352,000	262,800	...	Interest	1,30,41,000	1,27,37,000	61,03,000	56,00.000		5,03,000
19,200	21,300	17,500	20,300	2,800	...	Posts and Telegraphs and Mint	5,39,30,000	5,89,28,000	2,64,79,000	2,94,86 000	30,07,000	...
1,100	1,300	300	400	100	...	Receipts by Civil Departments	2,34,96,000	2,32,28,000	1,03,82,000	1,10,79.000	6,97,000	...
66,600	60,000	43,000	28,000	...	15,000	Miscellaneous	63,33,000	75,77,000	30,52,000	38,26,000	7,74,000	...
74,500	72,300	70,000	178,700	108,700	...	Railways	56,97,49,000	56,38,61,000	27,36,62,000	30,31,35,000	2,94,73,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Irrigation (excluding Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	4,23,31,000	4,71,56,000	2,32,66,000	2,50,05,000	17,39,000	...
...	...		...	...	...	Other Public Works	41,88,000	40,45,000	20,72,000	27,08,000	6,36,000	...
339,900	314,700	135,600	140,900	5,300	...	Military Receipts	1,17,06,000	1,27,68,000	49,49,000	63,31,000	13,82,000	...
704,800	795,800	355,600	720,300	364,700	...	TOTAL REVENUE	1,54,33,23,000	1,59,66,12,000	68,74,30,000	77,61,90,000	9,07,60,000	...
						Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Capital subscribed by Native States towards outlay on State Railways.	10,00,000	10,00,000	10,00,000	...		10,00,000
...	...	...	...	..	...	Capital of Railway Companies (net Receipts)	1,29,34,000	19,64,000	73,82,000	13,41,000	...	60,38,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL	1,39,34,000	29,64,000	83,82,000	13,44,000	...	70,38,000
						Debt, Deposits and Advances.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Permanent Debt (net incurred)	4,93,32,000	6,48,32,000	4,61,08,000	6,44,39,000	1,83,31,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Temporary do. (do.)	...	...	...			...
...	...	...	...	...	..	Unfunded do. (do.)	60,04,000	38,21,000	63,72,000	1,07,65,000	43,93,000	...
5,789,400	1,234,400	...	...	...	...	Deposits and Advances (net)	..	.	1,07,99,000	...	...	1,07,99,000
...	...	...	...	..	...	Loans and advances by Imperial Government	88,18,000	31,00,000	21,56,000	32,08,000	10,52,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. by Provincial Governments	2,38,57,000	1,97,50,000	1,29,79,000	1,01,63,000	...	28,16,000
...	...		...	...	...	Loans to Local Boards	1,16,000	1,20,000	41,000	42,000	1,000	...
21,427,900	17,092,300	12,040,100	7,740,500	...	4,299,600	Remittances (net)		...	...	...	...	...
4,590,100	3,885,000	3,471,2?0	4,260,700	789,500	...	Secretary of State's bills drawn	...	...		...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Drafts on London (net)	7,00,20,000	...	7,33,95,000	...	...	7,33,95,000
31,807,400	22,211,700	15,511 300	12,001,200	...	3,510,100	TOTAL	15,81,47,000	9,16,23,000	15,18,50,000	8,86,17,000	...	6,32,33,000
33,512,200	23,007,500	15.866,900	12.721,500	...	3.145.400	TOTAL RECEIPTS	1,71,54,04,000	1,69,11,99,000	84,76,62,000	86,81,51,000	2,04,89,000	
7,913,200	14,475,500	7,913,200	12,803.300	4,890 100	.	Opening Balance	22,16.90.000	17,17,79,000	22.16,90,000	18,02,41,000	..	4,14,49.000
40,425,400	37,483,000	23,780,100	25.524,800	1,744,700	...	GRAND TOTAL	1,93,70,94,000	1,86,29,78,000	1,06,93,52,000	1,04,83,92,000	...	2,09,60,000

ENGLAND.						DISBURSEMENTS.	INDIA.					
WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO SEPTEMBER.					WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO SEPTEMBER.			
Preliminary Accounts, 1915-1916.	Budget, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.		Preliminary Accounts, 1915-1916.	Budget, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
£	£	£	£	£	£	**Expenditure.**	R	R	R	R	R	R
98,300	96,600	51,100	45,900	...	5,200	Direct Demands on the Revenues	13,84,32,000	14,03,10,000	7,22,72,000	7,96,29,000	73,57,000	...
2,316,600	2,227,900	1,213,900	999,400	...	214,500	Interest (including in India that on Capital Expenditure on Railways and Irrigation Works)	5,96,63,000	6,83,87,000	2,83,66,000	2,85,83,000	2,17,000	...
150,000	329,100	68,900	160,200	91,300	...	Posts and Telegraphs and Mint	3,83,87,000	4,89,70,000	2,07,68,000	1,92,59,000	...	15,09,000
382,800	424,000	149,500	176,700	27,200	...	Salaries and Expenses of Civil Departments	28,08,40,000	28,37,39,000	13,46,22,000	13,75,45,000	29,23,000	...
2,456,000	2,424,800	1,197,600	1,227,900	30,300	...	Miscellaneous Civil Charges	4,14,24,000	4,28,78,000	2,02,99,000	2,20,77,000	17,78,000	...
5,600	21,100	4,600	...	...	4,600	Famine Relief and Insurance	93,77,000	1,46,84,000	40,62,000	45,01,000	4,39,000	...
9,378,200	9,481,300	4,658,300	4,841,700	183,400	...	Railway Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on capital Expenditure)	30,84,38,000	31,54,34,000	15,50,04,000	15,62,07,000	12,03,000	...
127,600	127,600	61,400	64,200	2,800	...	Irrigation Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on Capital Expenditure)	3,29,88,000	3,39,21,000	1,55,00,000	1,47,82,000	...	7,18,000
49,800	39,500	21,500	27,000	5,500	...	Other Public Works	7,92,31,000	7,05,71,000	3,71,21,000	2,89,88,000	...	81,33,000
5,143,000	4,691,700	2,348,500	2,434,700	86,200	...	Military Services	19,27,26,000	25,46,13,000	8,99,57,000	9,80,45,000	80,88,000	..
20,107,900	19,863,000	9,775,300	9,977,700	202,400	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE, IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL	1,18,15,06,000	1,30,35,07,000	57,79,71,000	58,96,16,000	1,16,45,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	*Add*—Provincial Surpluses, that is portion of allotments to Provincial Governments not spent by them in the year	...	+2,07,000	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	*Deduct*—Provincial Deficits, that is portion of Provincial Expenditure defrayed from Provincial balances	...	—54,96,000	..	...	...	...
20,107,900	19,863,000	9,775,300	9,977,700	202,400	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE CHARGED AGAINST REVENUE	1,18,15,06,000	1,29,82,13,000	57,79,71,000	58,96,16,000	1,16,45,000	...
						Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.						
888,000	775,500	603,600	181,100	...	422,500	Capital outlay on Railways and Irrigation Works	1,88,71,000	4,38,52,000	—1,30,20,000	1,25,91,000	2,56,11,000	...
1,017,800	410,200	609,000	192,300	...	416,700	Capital of Railway Companies (net payments)	...	...	...	...	...	...
9,900	51,300	4,400	11,100	6,700	...	Initial expenditure on new Capital at Delhi	48,14,000	38,30,000	27,08,000	20,11,000	...	6,97,000
1,915,700	1,237,000	1,217,000	384,500	..	832,500	TOTAL	2,36,85,000	4,70,82,000	—1,03,12,000	1,46,02,000	2,49,14,000	...
						Debt Deposits and Advances.						
909,000	500,000	407,500	...	...	407,500	Permanent Debt (net discharged)		...	...	...	...	...
...	1,500,000	1,000,000	1,500,000	500,000	...	Temporary do. (do.)	4,50,00,000	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	..	..	...	Unfunded do. (do.)	...	...	...	...	...	..
...	...	93,700	1,364,800	1,271,100	...	Deposits and Advances (net)	6,02,52,000	29,52,000	...	54,33,000	54,33,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans and advances by Imperial Government	70,31,000	37,71,000	7,59,000	10,16,000	2,57,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. by Provincial Governments	1,92,13,000	1,32,79,000	98,74,000	65,15,000	...	33,59,000
...	...	...	..	...	...	Remittances (net)	34,35,40,000	25,54,95,000	24,33,15,000	19,24,40,000	...	5,08,75,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Secretary of State's Bills paid	7,63,04,000	5,82,94,000	5,39,69,000	6,29,41,000	89,72,000	...
4,668,000	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. do. exchange	—16,08,000	—19,000	54,000	—6,33,000	...	6,87,000
.	..	4,668,000	.	...	4,668,000	Drafts on London (net)	..	...	...	...	...	...
5,577,000	2,000,000	6,169,200	2,864,800	...	3,304,400	TOTAL	54,97,32,000	33,37,75,000	30,79,71,000	26,77,12,000	...	4,02,59,000
27,600,600	23,100,000	17,161,500	13,227,000	...	3,934,500	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	1,75,49,23,000	1,67,90,75,000	87,56,30,000	87,19,30,000	...	37,00,000
12,824,300	14,383,000	6,618,600	12,297,800	5,679,200	...	Closing Balance	18,21,71,000	18,39,03,000	19,37,22,000	17,64,62,000	...	1,72,60,000
40,425,400	37,483,000	23,780,100	25,524,800	1,744,700	...	GRAND TOTAL	1,93,70,94,000	1,86,29,78,000	1,06,93,52,000	1,04,83,92,000	...	2,09,60,000

THE TREASURY:
Calcutta, the 30th November 1916.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

THE PATENT OFFICE.

PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 2nd December 1916.

CORRIGENDUM.

The following entry which appeared in the Notification published by this office in Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 10th June 1916, under the heading "Cessation of Exclusive Privilege" is hereby cancelled.

1911—801, (Cook).

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

November 20.

2814. H. B. Stocks. *Improvements in scooters.*

November 21.

2815. Nobel's Explosives Co., Ld. *Improvements in explosives.*

November 22.

2816. C. Hodges and H. Jackson. *Improvements in and relating to the flushing of water-closet basins and the like.*

November 25.

2817. O. Röhm. *Improvements relating to processes for cleansing various materials or objects for domestic or industrial purposes.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in opposing the grant of a Patent on any one of the applications, referred to below, may, at any time within three months of the date of this *Gazette of India*, give notice at the Patent Office in the prescribed form No. 5 of such opposition.

Printed copies of the specifications in the following list will be on sale at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, within about three weeks.

Any one desiring a copy posted to an address in British India should send to the Patent Office the sum of annas eight by money-order on which the number of the application should be stated on the coupon at the foot of the order.

2749. J. N. Rakshit. *Manufacture of potassium carbonate and potassium bicarbonate from potassium nitrate.*

2776. R. W. Springer. *Improvements in and relating to the art of maintained gravitational aerial navigation.*

2786. W. Raitt. *An improved method of isolating or extracting cellulose or paper-pulp from fibrous vegetable materials and apparatus therefor.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

Printed copies of the undernoted specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, annas eight each.

2711. D. B. Karajgar. *A machine for laminating cooked rice.*

2734. W. J. Gee. *Method of separating solids from suspension in liquids and apparatus therefor.*

2736. H. K. Harris. *Improvements in and relating to advertising and like apparatus.*

2742. K. V. Gunde Rao. *Auto-home printer.*

2743. J. W. Cook, T. E. Leigh and J. Jowett. *Improvements in or relating to apparatus for stripping carding engines.*

2744. J. L. Patterson and D. A. Reid. *Improved method of and means for securing and locking the hatch covers of barges and ships.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

Notice is hereby given that a patent may now be sealed on the applications referred to below. If it is desired that a patent should be sealed, a request on the prescribed form No. 7, accompanied by the fee, R30, should be sent to the Controller of Patents, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta.

2653. Berry.
2671. Das.
2672. Synthetic Hydro-Carbon Co.
2674. Ramsay.
2675. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Ld.
2676. Marriott.
2678. Nygaard.

PATENTS SEALED.

2142. Killen.
2143. Higginson and Beamish.
2564. Markwick.
2647. Christie.
2648. Christie.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

330 of 1907. Walker & anr. (To 14 December 1917.)
182 of 1908. Sheffield & anr. (To 24 November 1917.)
186 of 1908. Fraser & ors (To 24 November 1917.)
472 of 1910. Freymuth. (To 24 November 1917.)
525 of 1910. Tyer. (To 23 December 1917.)
555 of 1910. Smith. (To 8 December 1917.)
443 of 1911. Syed Ahmed & Bros. (To 21 November 1917.)
604 of 1912. Southey. (To 21 November 1917.)
606 of 1912. Societe Anonyme Pour L'Exploitation Des Procedes Westinghouse leblanc & anr. (To 21 November 1917.)
608 of 1912. Societe Generale Des Nitrures. (To 21 November 1917.)
611 of 1912. Dey. (To 22 November 1917.)
614 of 1912. Kershaw & ors. (To 23 November 1917.)
617 of 1912. Fennell. (To 25 November 1917.)
621 of 1912. Kahn. (To 25 November 1917.)
622 of 1912. Tylor & anr. (To 25 November 1917.)
623 of 1912. Byrne. (To 25 November 1917.)
624 of 1912. Byrne. (To 25 November 1917.)
630 of 1912. Mills. (To 2 December 1917.)
642 of 1912. Hamm. (To 9 December 1917.)

CESSATION OF EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGES.

The public are warned that entries under this heading must not be accepted as final, as under the provisions of Rules 9 and 11 of "The Indian Patents and Designs (Temporary) Rules, 1915," the Controller may extend the time prescribed by the Indian Patents and Designs Act, 1911, and by the Inventions and Designs Act, 1888, for paying the necessary renewal fees.

The Patent Office will supply on request definite information, so far as possible, as to the position of any particular Patent or Exclusive Privilege.

1907.

336, (Davidson & anr.).

1911.

175, (Kratt).

1912.

443, (Jenkins). 444, (Loyn). 445, (Lyon & anr.). 446, (Moretti). 447, (Wain). 449, (Beale). 451, (Sayer). 452, (Smith).

DESIGNS ENTERED ON THE REGISTER.

November 20th to 25th, 1916.

Class 13. Nos. 5136 to 5160. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. November 18.

Class 14. Nos. 5161 to 5165. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. November 18.

NOTICES.

THE PATENT OFFICE, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA.

Public room, open 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

1. *All communications* relating to applications for patents and for registration of designs under the Indian Patents and Designs Act (II of 1911), or in continuation of applications under the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888) should be addressed to the Controller of Patents and Designs, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta. Documents sent by post should be carefully packed.

2. *Directions* for the guidance of inventors and others are given in the Patent Office Handbook (price one rupee) which contains the Indian Patents and Designs Act, 1911, the Indian Patents and Designs Rules, 1912, the Indian Patents and Designs (Temporary Rules) Act, 1915, the Indian Patents and Designs (Temporary) Rules, 1915, together with current regulations and instructions. These should be consulted before an application is made to the Controller.

3. *Advice.* The Patent Office cannot undertake (1) to give opinions on the interpretation of Patent Law, or on the advisability of protecting inventions and designs or on their infringement; (2) to make searches in respect of information available in the public room; (3) to recommend any particular agent; or (4) to assist in the disposal of inventions. Applicants are warned that the Indian Patents and Designs Act, 1911, is in force in British India only, and patents granted under it do not extend to the United Kingdom or any of the British possessions. The International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property does not include India. For information regarding patents in countries other than India applications should be made to the patent offices in the countries concerned.

4. *Fees* are payable in *cash* and must be received in the Patent Office within the time allowed by the Acts. When cheques are offered in payment of fees, it must be clearly understood that the office cannot hold itself responsible for any delay that may occur in the collection of cash on the cheques; any cheque not payable in Calcutta is subject to commission. In cases where it is not possible to have the fees handed in at the Patent Office, it is preferable to send them by money-order or postal order payable at Calcutta to the Controller of Patents and Designs, and to advise him that they have been so sent. Stamps will not be received in payment of fees.

5. *Trade and property marks and names* are not registered and *medicines* are not patented under the Indian Patents and Designs Act. There is no provision of Law in British India for their registration. Neither does this Act deal with *pictures, photographs, etc.*, for which copyright is obtainable under the Indian Copyright Act, 1914.

6. *Printed Specifications* of applications, which have been accepted, are published within about three weeks after acceptance has been notified in the *Gazette of India.* These specifications can be purchased at the Patent Office at a uniform price of 8 annas per copy; and may be seen free of charge, together with other publications of the Patent Office, at the following places:—

AHMEDABAD	R. C. Technical Institute.
ALLAHABAD	Public Library.
BANGALORE	Indian Institute of Science.
BOMBAY	Record Office.
,,	Victoria Jubilee Textile Institute, Byculla.
,,	The Bombay Textile and Engineering Association, No. 1A, Sussex Road, Parel.
CALCUTTA	Patent Office, No. 1, Council House Street.
,,	Office of the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence.
,,	Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
CAWNPORE	Office of the Director of Industries, United Provinces.
CHINSURAH	Office of the Commissioner, Burdwan Division.
CHITTAGONG	Office of the Commissioner, Chittagong Division.
DACCA	Office of the District Board, Dacca.
DELHI	Office of the Deputy Commissioner
HYDERABAD	Revenue Department of His Highness the Nizam's Government.
JALPAIGURI	Office of the Commissioner, Rajshahi Division.
KARACHI	Office of City Deputy Collector.
LAHORE	Punjab Public Library.
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MADRAS	Record Office, Egmore.
,,	College of Engineering.
MYSORE	Office of the Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Department.
NAGPUR	Victoria Technical Institute.
POONA	College of Engineering.
RANGOON	Office of the Revenue Secretary, Government of Burma.
ROORKEE	Thomason College.
SHOLAPUR	Office of the Collector.

7. *Specifications* of inventions which have been notified in the *Gazette of India* as filed under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888) are not printed, but copies may be inspected on payment of a fee of one rupee at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta; the Record Office, Egmore, Madras; the Record Office, Bombay; the Office of the Revenue Secretary to the Government, Rangoon; and the Office of the Director of Industries, United Provinces, Cawnpore. Specifications and other publications of the United Kingdom Patent Office can also be seen in the Patent Office, Calcutta, in the Record Office, Bombay, and in the Connemara Library, Madras.

8. *Publications* on sale at the Patent Office:—

	Price.	
	Rs	a.
(a) Patent Office Handbook (Acts, Rules and instructions) . . .	1	0
(b) The Indian Patents and Designs Act, II of 1911	0	10
(c) The Indian Patents and Designs Act, II of 1911 (Urdu and Hindi) . . . . each	0	2
(d) The Indian Patents and Designs Rules, 1912	0	2
(e) Weekly Notifications (Extract from the *Gazette of India*) . . .	0	1
Annual Subscription with postage	3	0
(f) Inventions (Consolidated Subject Matter Index 1900-1908 and Chronological lists 1900-1904)	2	0
(g) Inventions (Consolidated Subject Matter Index 1900-1911 and Chronological lists 1905-1911) . . . . each	3	0
(h) Patent Office Journal (Issued quarterly) . . . . . each	0	8
(i) Patent Office Journals, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915 . . . each	1	0
(j) Specifications of Inventions . . . . each	0	8

H. G. GRAVES,

Controller of Patents and Designs.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

NOTICE.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Manager's Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and Ex-Officio President of the Board of Examiners.

DHANBAD;
20th October 1916.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

NOTICES.

Text-books, etc., for sale.

List of text-books, etc., prescribed for the examination (other than departmental) of Civil and Military officers in oriental languages (Urdu, Persian, Arabic, Hindi, Sanskrit, Assamese, Bengali and Uriya), together with annual collections of Specimens of Examination Papers, obtainable from the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, can be had from the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta.

Persian and Arabic Instructors.

Two fully qualified instructors, natives of Persia and Arabia, respectively, are maintained by the Government of India, for the convenience of officers wishing to study Persian and Arabic. The services of these instructors may be obtained in Calcutta, on application to the Secretary, Board of Examiners.

The instructors shall be stationed at Simla during the ensuing hot weather from the end of April to the end of October to give instruction to candidates on study leave there. Their services can be engaged on application to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta.

Qualified Urdu Munshis.

The following list of Munshis who are qualified to teach Urdu under India Army Order No. 162 of 1907 is published for the information of all those students of this language who are desirous of obtaining competent teachers:—

	ALLAHABAD.
M. Shaikh Mohammad Ismail	South Malaka, Allahabad.
	AMBALA.
M. Mohd. Miyan Khan	Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
M. Mohd. Akbar Khan	The Oriental Lodge, Ambala.
M. Anand Sarup	Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment (winter only).
M. Mohd. Ishaq	R. A. Munshi, B. C. Bazar, Ambala.
	BANNU.
M. Mul Chand Khurana	Mission Clerk, Bannu.
	BAREILLY.
M. Rashid Ahmad Khan	Old City, Sailani, Bareilly.
M. Chhote Lal	Sadar Bazar, Bareilly.
M. Jawala Parshad, II	Regimental Munshi, Sudder Bazar, Bareilly.
	BOMBAY.
M. Mohamed Sarwar	Regimental Munshi, Colaba Barracks, Bombay.
	CALCUTTA.
M. Mohd. Gholam Kibriya Ibrat	17/1, Noorallah Doctor's Lane, Balligunge Road, Calcutta.
M. Badruddin Ahmed, B.A.	8, Elliot Lane, Calcutta.
M. Hossain Mirza	1, Syed Ismail Lane, or 4-1, Collin Lane, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Israil Khan	11, Goristan Lane, Calcutta.
M. Syed Nawab Ali	11, Colootola Street, Calcutta.
M. Wahidun Nabi Khan	88/1, Baitak Khana Road.
M. Mohd. Abdul Hamid	36, Indian Mirror Street, Calcutta.
M. Daliluddin Ahmed	37, Karaya Bazar Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Wajid	106, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
M. A. M. Ubaidur Rashid, B.A.	4, Korabardar Lane, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Muslim	12, Damzen's Lane. Chinapara, Calcutta.
M. Nisar Ahmad Khan	C/o Munshi A. K. Nashtar, 1, Jhowtolla Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Imdad Hussain	9, Baloo Huckak's Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Habib Khan	89, Jhowtollah Road, P. O. Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Mahmud Hasan Israili	11, Cantopher Lane, Entally.
M. Azherus Sadain	138/1, Karaya Road.
	CAWNPORE.
M. S. Abdul Ghani	Regimental Munshi, Garrison Battalion, Royal Irish Rifles.
	DELHI.
M. Mohd. Akbar Khan Haidari	British Garrison Meer Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.
M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi)	Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.
	DINAPORE.
M. Farzand Ali Khan (of Patna)	Regimental Munshi, 2/4th Somerset Light Infantry, Dinapore.

DUM DUM.

M. Syed Hadi Hussain . . . . Regimental Munshi.

FEROZEPORE.

M. Suraj Narain, B.A. . . . . Kabari Bazar, Ferozepore.

HAPUR.

M. S. Khursad Ali . . . . Mohalla Kaziwara, Hapur District, Meerut.

JHELUM.

M. Thakur Das Pahwa . . . . Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JULLUNDUR.

M. Karam Chand . . . . C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

KARACHI.

M. Mukhtar Ahmad . . . . Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.

KASAULI.

M. Anand Sarup . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

KULTI.

M S. M. Shahabuddin . . . . . . Kulti, E. I. Railway.

LAHORE CANTONMENT.

M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani . . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

LEBONG.

M Farhat Ali Suhail . . . . Hill Sanitarium, Lebong.

LUCKNOW.

M. Abdul Alim . . . . Near the Police Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil) . . . Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
M Abdul Karim . . . . C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Lucknow.

MURREE HILLS.

M S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragali P. O., Murree Hills.

MUSSOORIE.

M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey . . . . Islamia School, Mussoorie.

NAINI TAL.

M. Faqir Ulla . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

M. Muhammad Din . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).

PATNA.

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

M. Ahmed Din . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.
M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.
M. S. Karim Bukhsh . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
M. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.
M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh Gyani (Munshi Fazil) . Officers' Munshi, Ahata Sultan, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

In addition to the above, the following, who were examined in Urdu previous to the institution of the examination mentioned in the above India Army Order, are also, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, qualified to teach:—

M. Mohd. Arif	Camp Bareilly.
M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	14, Karaya Road, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
M. Badru-z-Zaman	212/1, Linton Street, Calcutta.
M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 34, Collin Street, Calcutta.
M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	25, Tiljalah 1st Lane, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nur Ali's Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Shuaib	Arabic Teacher, Zilla School, Mozufferpore.

N.B.—It is requested that Munshis who have passed this examination, and whose names do not appear above, should communicate their present addresses to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, so that their names may be published also

Whenever any munshi changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. Post system*, and are obtainable from The Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1916 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	R
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	21-8 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	22-8 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
***Cinchonidine** is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4: and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage Re.	0	10	0
,, ,, 3 ,,	,, 6 ,,	,, Re.	1	0	0
,, ,, 2 ,,	,, 9 ,,	,, Re.	1	8	0

N.B.—Postage stamps will not be accepted as revenue.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 16TH TO 22ND NOVEMBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

NAME OF MINTS.	COINAGE OF BRITISH INDIA GOVERNMENT COINS.													COINAGE FOR EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT.			SUBSIDIARY COINAGE FOR THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS GOVERNMENT.		
	RECEIPTS.				COINAGE.			BALANCE OF BULLION AND COIN.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	TOTAL.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	TOTAL.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	TOTAL.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	(a) 42	...	...	42	38	...	38	5	(b) 61	29	...	95	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	63	...	...	66	40	...	40	...	(c) 158	7	...	165	2	2	...	...	...	...

(a) Includes 1 received from Bombay Mint.
(b) Exclusive of 39 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(c) Exclusive of 52 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, LT.-COLONEL, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT:
Calcutta, the 28th November 1916.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 28th November 1916.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,08,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* .	50,00,000	0	0	1,58,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				50,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	87,16,264	11	10			
Public Deposits at Branches	1,10,15,819	2	5	1,97,32,074	14	3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				20,84,20,333	2	5
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .				16,26,791	3	7
Sundries				13,64,159	13	0
RUPEES .				27,19,43,359	1	3

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities . .				6,51,48,122	12	0
Other authorized Investments .				1,11,08,145	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .				2,85,06,443	6	2
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				5,76,62,175	6	10
Bills discounted and purchased				2,69,32,247	12	7
Balances with other Banks .				39,03,626	15	8
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,28,625	14	1
Stamps				11,342	6	1
Sundries . . .				3,70,476	14	0
				19,65,71,206	7	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	3,24,86,444	2	11			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	4,28,85,708	6	11	7,53,72,152	9	10
RUPEES .				27,19,43,359	1	3

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,555 0 0

† Do. do. do. „ 8,76,442 8 0

Rs. 12,27,997 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 30th November 1916.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 8 per cent.
Percentage 32·60

RAJPUTANA ADMINISTRATION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

LOCAL ADMINISTRATION'S ORDERS.

Camp Ajmer, the 24th November 1916.

No. 1610-*C. S.*—Mr. H. C. Sanders, Superintending Engineer and Secretary, Public Works Department, Rajputana, having retired from the Government service on the afternoon of the 23rd November 1916, Mr. C. E. Hall, Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary, took over charge of the office of the Superintending Engineer and Secretary, Public Works Department, Rajputana, with effect from the same date.

C. E. HALL,
Secretary to A. G. G. in the P. W. D., Rajputana.

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THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—
   (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 27th November 1916.

No. 2791-974.—Mr. K. F. Watkinson, Artist, Geological Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 3 months with effect from the 1st December 1916 or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

H. H. HAYDEN,
Director, Geological Survey of India.

HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL SIDE.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 30th November 1916.

The Hon'ble the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, appointed Babu Ojit Coomar Gangoly, Head Assistant, Insolvency Office, on Rs. 150 to Rs. 175, to be an Assistant Registrar on Rs. 200 to Rs. 300, with effect from the 16th November 1916, *vice* Babu Nursing Chunder Mukerjee, who has been promoted to the office of an Assistant Registrar in the Taxing Office on Rs. 300.

By order,
J. H. HECHLE,
Registrar

HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL SIDE.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 30th November 1916.

It is ordered that rule 13 of Chapter IV; rule 1 of Chapter XIV; rule 14 of Chapter XXXII; and rules 46, 48 and 49 of Chapter XXXVI of "the Rules of the High Court, 1914" be repealed and that the following rules be passed in substitution therefor; and also that in the Table of Fees set out in rule 74 of Chapter XXXVI; item 33 be repealed and the under written item substituted therefor and that after item 47 the undermentioned item to be numbered as 47A be added. The whole with effect from the 29th day of November 1916.

Chapter IV, rule 13.

Where office copies of depositions of witnesses, examined in any suit or proceeding before the Court, a Judge or an Officer, are required for the purposes of an appeal, a fair copy of every such deposition, where taken in longhand, shall be settled by the Judge or Officer by whom the same may have been taken down, and all office copies shall be made from the fair copy so settled. Where a deposition has been taken down in shorthand such office copies shall be made from the filed transcript.

Chapter XIV, rule 1.

Upon the hearing of any suit or matter in Court or before a Judge the evidence of each witness shall be taken down by or in the presence and under the superintendence of the Judge or one of the Judges.

Such evidence shall be taken down ordinarily in a narrative form when in longhand, and in the form of question and answer when in shorthand, by such officers of the Court as may be appointed for the purpose, and shall form part of the record.

The transcript of the shorthand note so taken shall be signed by the officer recording the note and be deemed the deposition of the witness and shall also form part of the record.

Chapter XIV, rule 1A.

A party to a suit or matter in which the evidence has been taken down in shorthand shall be entitled, upon payment of the prescribed fee, to be furnished with a typed copy of the transcript by 10-30 A.M. on the day following the day on which the evidence is taken, provided that ordinarily notice has been given at the commencement of the hearing that the copy will be required.

Chapter XXXII, rule 14.

The appellant's attorney shall be responsible for the preparation of the paper book, and shall within two months from the filing of the memorandum of appeal, where the appeal is from a decree, and within one month in other cases, deliver six copies of the paper book to the Registrar, at the same time producing for inspection of the Registrar, office copies of all depositions printed in the paper book, and shall also without delay deliver to the respondent or to each respondent, where there is more than one appearing separately, as many copies as he may require, not exceeding six, on payment by him of the price of such copies, the price being arrived at by dividing the cost of printing the number of copies printed.

Chapter XXXVI, rule 46.

Where a suitor appears in person, he shall affix on the deposition of each witness examined on his behalf, within one week after the termination of the trial, Court-fee stamps equal to the amount of the fee payable for swearing and reducing into writing or, where taken down in shorthand, transcribing the deposition of such witness, and for filing any exhibit put in on behalf of such suitor.

Chapter XXXVI, rule 48.

In all cases in which the parties are represented by attorneys, the attorney for each party will be held personally responsible to the Court for the payment of the fees for swearing and reducing into writing or, where taken down in shorthand, transcribing the depositions of witnesses examined on behalf of his client and for filing exhibits put in.

Chapter XXXVI, rule 49.

In every such case Court-fee stamps equal to the amount of the fee payable for swearing and reducing into writing or, where taken down in shorthand, transcribing the deposition of each witness and for filing exhibits, if any shall within one week after the termination of the trial, be affixed on his deposition and on the list of exhibits, if any, by the attorney of the party on whose behalf such witness was examined.

Chapter XXXVI, Rule 74.

Item 33—For reducing into writing or, where taken down in shorthand, transcribing the deposition of each witness, for each folio.. 0-8-0

After item 47 insert the following :—

47-A. Typed copies of transcript under chapter XIV, rule 1-A for any party for his own use only, first copy per folio 2 annas.

Subsequent copies under the same rule...............1 anna.

The party producing a typed copy shall be entitled to have the same certified as an office copy on payment of an additional fee of 6 annas per folio.

(NOTE.—A party taking copies under chapter XIV, rule 1-A will not be allowed to supply copies therefrom to any other party, the intention being that any party requiring copies under the rule should taken them from the Court).

L. SANDERSON.
JOHN G. WOODROFFE.
ASUTOSH MOOKERJEE.
C. W. CHITTY.
E. E. FLETCHER.
DIGAMBAR CHATTERJEE.
NALINI RANJAN CHATTERJEE.
W. TEUNON.
T. W. RICHARDSON.
A. CHAUDHURI.
C. P. BEACHCROFT.
H. WALMSLEY.
W. E. GREAVES.
B. B. NEWBOULD.

OUDH AND ROHILKHAND RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lucknow, the 24th November 1916.

No. 9.—Mr. E. Verrieres, Executive Engineer, State Railway, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of 7 months' leave on Medical Certificate, in continuation of the combined leave granted, *vide* this office notification No. 3 of 1915.

H. B. HOLMES,
Agent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 22nd November 1916.

No. 27.—Mr. G. L. Watkis, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, in class III, grade 5, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, passed the Lower Standard Examination in Hindustani held at Fort Sandeman on the 4th October 1915.

The 25th November 1916.

No. 28.—Mr. A. E. B. Sullen, Executive Engineer, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India leave for one month and thirteen days in extension of that sanctioned to him in this office Notification No. 17, dated the 10th May 1916.

S. L. CRA'STER, Colonel,
Agent, N. W. Railway.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th November 1916.

No. 182.—The following promotions and reversions of officers in the Northern India Salt Revenue Department are ordered with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	Nature of promotion or reversion.	With effect from	
Mr. C. A. M. Beatson	Assistant Commissioner, Rs. 500—30—800.	Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Reversion .	11th September 1916.	Consequent on return from leave of Mr. H. A. R. Lyon, Assistant Commissioner. From 11th September 1916 to 17th September 1916 both dates inclusive S. Ghulam Husain, Khan Sahib, was acting in the transit period of Mr. C. A. M. Beatson, Superintendent.
" Ahmad Husain .	Officiating Superintendent, 4th grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Ditto.	Ditto.	
S. Ghulam Husain, Khan Sahib.	Officiating Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grage.	Inspector, 3rd grade.	Ditto.	18th September 1916.	
Mr. Ahmad Husain .	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Officiating Superintendent, 4th grade.	Officiating promotion.	11th September 1916 to 15th September 1916.	In the leave vacancy of Mr. E. D. Wilson, Superintendent.
" B. K. De . .	Ditto.	Ditto.	Ditto.	16th September 1916.	
" B. K. De . .	Officiating Superintendent, 4th grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Reversion .	Ditto.	Consequent on return from leave of Mr. H. O'Donnell, Superintendent.
" Mahmud Hasan	Officiating Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Inspector, 2nd grade.	Ditto .	Ditto.	
" Ahmad Husain .	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade s. *p. t.*	Sub. *pro tem.* promotion.	16th September 1916 to 28th September 1916.	In succession of Mr. A. V. Nash, Superintendent, being seconded for Military duty.
" B. K. De . .	Ditto.	Ditto.	Ditto.	29th September 1916.	
" Mahmud Hasan .	Inspector, 2nd grade .	Officiating Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Officiating promotion.	27th September 1916. Consequent on the grant of leave to Mr. Ahmad Husain, Assistant Superintendent.	
" Abid Husain .	Inspector, 3rd grade.	Ditto.	Ditto.	27th September 1916. In the leave vacancy of Mr. Bhan Chand, Superintendent.	
" B. K. De . .	Officiating Superintendent, 4th grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Reversion .	29th September 1916. Consequent on return from leave of Mr. E. D. Wilson, Superintendent.	

J. F. CONNOLLY,

Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 24th November 1916.

No. 38.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave in India on medical certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name:—

Temporary Assistant Engineer A. E. Woods, R.I.M.	2 months and 21 days, with effect from 29th September 1916.

No. 39.—The undermentioned officer was granted leave in India on medical certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name:—

Commander A. R. G. Willock, R.I.M.	3 months, with effect from 25th June 1915.

F. J. WILSON,

Offg. Director, Royal Indian Marine.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 22nd November 1916.

No. 590-J.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9, clause (3), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased to appoint Mr. T. J. C. Acton, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, Sibi, to be an Assistant Sessions Judge in the Sibi Sessions Division.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

Secretary.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 22nd November 1916.

No. 591-J.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9, clause (3), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan is pleased to appoint Mr. T. J. C. Acton, I.C.S., Assistant Political Agent, Kohlu-Nasirabad and Railway District, to be an Assistant Sessions Judge in the Kohlu-Nasirabad and Railway Sessions Division.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 24th November 1916.

No. 7841-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending 18th November 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females	Total	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi .	225,471	147	126	273	76	75	151	..	...	...	50	9	60	1	31	...	31	26	57	62·96	34·83
	Notified Area	3,673	2	1	3	1	...	1	.	...	...	1	...	...	...	...		...	...	.	42·47	14·15
	Total .	229,144	149	127	276	77	75	152	...	..	...	51	9	60	1	31	...	31	26	57	62·63	34·49

The 27th November 1916.

No. 7871-*C. & I.*—In exer ise of the powers conferred on him by section 16, sub-section (*b*), of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (I of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to add the following rule after rule 25 of the rules published in this office Notification No. 4220-C. & I., dated the 26th June 1915, as subsequently amended, regulating the import into, export from, and transport within and through, the Delhi Province, of cocaine, preparations and derivatives of the coca plant and all portions of the said plant from which such preparations are made, all drugs having a like physiological effect to that of cocaine and every preparation and admixture of these articles, which in section 3, sub-section (13), clauses (*b*) and (*d*) of the said Act, and Notification No. 4216-C. & I., dated the 26th June 1915, have been declared to be included in the definition of "intoxicating drugs" for the purpose of that Act :—

"*E.—General.*

26. Any person other than a Government officer acting as such in the course of his official duties, who transports or exports these drugs or causes them to be transported or exported, shall do so only by means other than that of the Post."

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 22nd November 1916.

No. 2999-*D*.—The Reverend E. R. Clough, Chaplain of Mhow, is promoted to the rank of Senior Chaplain with effect from the 22nd November 1916.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 43 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Maung Gale, of No. 21, 38th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Maung Gale an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 78 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 13th November 1916.

In the matter of Rajagopaul David Thana Rao, of No. 33, 36th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Rajagopaul David Thana Rao an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 10th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 105 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Maung Ngwe Nyun, of No. 24, 15th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Maung Ngwe Nyun an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 14th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 119 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of K. F. Ingleton, Photo Engraver of British India Press, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said K. F. Ingleton an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 14th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 122 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Karim Gubboo Mustan *alias* Musaf Khan, of No. 15, Pawna Basti, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Karim Gubboo Mustan *alias* Musaf Khan an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 123 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Mahomed Nazul Haq, of No. 38, 39th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Mahomed Nazul Haq, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 125 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Iyavoo Pillay, Paddy Measurer, of Kemmendine, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Iyavoo Pillay, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 14th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 131 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Bariff Chandra Nath, of No. 10, Strand Road, Kemmendine, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Bariff Chandra Nath, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 132 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 15th November 1916.

In the matter of Rajkumar Dey, of No. 3, Strand Road, Kemmendine, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Rajkumar Dey, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 188 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 7th November 1916.

In the matter of Maung Kya Nyun, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Kya Nyun, Clerk, residing at No. 3, 5th Street, Rangoon, on the 6th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Kya Nyun.

CASE No. 189 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 7th November 1916.

In the matter of Shaik Mahomed Yunus, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Shaik Mahomed Yunus, Clerk, No. 80, 31st Street, Rangoon, on the 6th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Shaik Mahomed Yunus.

CASE No. 190 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 10th November 1916.

In the matter of Abiram Patty, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Abiram Patty, Hotel-keeper, residing at No. 32, 35th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Abiram Patty.

CASE No. 191 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 13th November 1916.

In the matter of Jialall Banwari Lall, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Jialall Banwari Lall, Trader, residing at No. 52-53, 124th Street, Rangoon, on the 11th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Jialall Banwari Lall.

CASE No. 207 OF 1915.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of P. S. S. Chelliah Pillay, Cloth Merchant of No. 84, Mogul Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said P. S. S. Chelliah Pillay, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 15th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 142 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of Mohan Lall of No. 83, 28th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Mohan Lall, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 17th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 151 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of Chidambaram Atchary, Native Doctor of No. 85, 29th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Chidambaram Atchary, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 17th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 192 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1916.

In the matter of Maung Gale, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Gale, Clerk, of No. 21, 38th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Gale.

CASE No. 193 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 21st November 1916.

In the matter of K. M. Basu, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kamini Mohan Basu, No. 54, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kamini Mohan Basu.

CASE No. 194 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1916.

In the Matter of H. Z. Mahomed Raoof, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by H. Z. Mahomed Raoof, Trader of Mogul Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said H. Z. Mahomed Raoof.

CASE No. 195 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1916.

In the matter of Dorai Raja, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Dorai Raja of No. 68, 35th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Dorai Raja.

CASE NO. 196 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1916.

In the matter of Albon Boog, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Albon Boog, residing at 101st Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Albon Boog.

CASE NO. 197 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1916.

In the matter of K. R. M. P. R. Saminathan Chetty, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by K. R. M. P. R. Saminathan Chetty, Clerk, of No. 10, 41st Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said K. R. M. P. R. Saminathan Chetty.

CASE NO. 198 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of Chokalingasawmy, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Chokalingasawmy, son of Ramayya, Maistry, residing at No. 58, 38th Street, Rangoon, on the 17th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Chokalingasawmy.

CASE NO. 199 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of Abdul Rahaman Raj, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Abdul Rahaman Raj, residing at No. 102, Dalla, Rangoon, on the 17th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Abdul Rahaman Raj.

CASE NO. 200 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 21st November 1916.

In the matter of C. Runganatham Moodaliar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by C. Runganatham Moodaliar, No. 42, Bow Lane, Kala Busty, Rangoon, on the 20th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said C. Runganatham Moodaliar.

CASE NO. 201 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 21st November 1916.

In the matter of Maung Ou Maung, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Ou Maung, Clerk of British Burma Press, residing at No. 33, 51st Street, Rangoon, on the 20th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of Insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Ou Maung.

(Illegible),

Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.
In Insolvency.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 175 OF 1916.

The 24th November 1916.

Re Edward Joseph Coveney Markquick, residing at No. 10, Lower Rawdon Street, in the Suburbs of Calcutta, and carrying on business as a broker for sale of coal and other merchandise for various firms in Calcutta, aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor. M. N. Sen—Insolvent's Attorney.

On the 16th day of November 1916 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 177 OF 1916.

The 24th November 1916.

Re Methai Lal, lately residing at No. 15, Roop Chand Roy Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as a sweet-meat vendor at No. 6, Munsi Bazar Road in the Suburbs of Calcutta, and also at No. 8, Circular Road in Calcutta aforesaid and now a prisoner on the Civil side of the Presidency Jail, Calcutta.

Ex parte the debtor. Syama Charan Basak—Insolvent's Attorney.

On the 20th day of November 1916 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 178 OF 1916.

Dated the 28th November 1916.

Re Oswald Eric Davidson, formerly residing at No. 19, Ripon Lane in the town of Calcutta at present residing at No. 9-A, Ripon Lane in Calcutta aforesaid, employed as an assistant in Messrs. Cook & Co., Ld.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 24th day of November 1916 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 180 OF 1916.

The 30th November 1916.

Re Bomangi Sheriar Irani, residing at No. 1, Giri Baboo Lane, in the Town of Calcutta and carrying on business as Tobacconist at No. 21-4, Chowringhee Lane in Calcutta aforesaid, under the name and style of Dinshaw & Co.

Ex-parte the debtor. Khogendra Nath De—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 25th day of November 1916 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

Summary Case.

No. 102 OF 1916.

The 30th November 1916.

Re M. E. Alpassie.

Ex parte the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 9th day of January 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying respectively for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
669—1916	Vasanji Pasa Sha and Manilal Mowji Joshi.	Hindu	Chinch Bunder and Vadgadi Mandvi, respectively.	Lately trading in partnership as Cotton brokers in the name of Vasanji Pasu and now servants in the employ of Bhowanji Laxumidas and Mowji Vagji respectively.	22nd	November	1916	22nd	November	1916
670—1916	Makund Moroba Patil	"	Shivree	Gardener	23rd	"	"	23rd	"	"
671—1916	Parshotum Poonja Thacker	"	Old Bardan Gali	Lately trading as dealer in old gunny bags in his own name and now servant in the employ of Dayal Hansraj.	24th	"	"	24th	"	"
672—1916	Alfred Coutts	East Indian	Bellasis Road, Byculla	Guard in the B., B. and C. I. Railway Company.	"	"	"	"	"	"
673—1916	Shivram *alias* Shiwa Bhikhoo Marate.	Hindu	Fergusson Road	Fitter in the Edwards Sassoon Mills	"	"	"	"	"	"
674—1916	Hormusji Edulji Merchant	Parsi	Tardeo	Formerly petty general merchant in the name of Hormusji Edulji *alias* Edulji & Co., and lately in partnership with Premchand Hassum in the name of the British India Tobacco Co. and now salesman in the said British India Tobacco Company.	25th	"	"	25th	"	"

675—1916	Mahomed Shariff Memon	Mohamedan	Bhaukagre Molla	Lately hawker in millinery, etc., and now unemployed.	27th	"	"	27th	"	"
676—1916	Shermahomed Bhimji Sajan	"	Khadak	Formerly petty dealer in second-hand clothing and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT
Bombay, this 27th day of November 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE COURT OF THE ADDITIONAL JUDGE AT DELHI.

CIVIL MISCELLANEOUS SUIT No. 26 OF 1916.

Mrs. Agnus Ellen Courtenay, Housekeeper of the Victoria Zenana Hospital, Delhi, Petitioner.

In *re* the goods of John James Courtenay, deceased.

Whereas Mrs. Agnus Ellen Courtenay, the widow of the deceased, has applied for grant of Probate of the Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased and 20th day of December 1916 has been fixed for hearing of the petition, this citation is issued in term of section 250 of Act X of 1865 calling upon all persons claiming to have any interest in the estate of deceased to come and see the proceedings before the grant of the Probate if so desired. Given under my hand and the seal of the court this 14th day of October 1916.

MURARI LAL,

Additional Judge, Delhi.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

SUIT No. 62 OF 1916.

Delhi, the 16th November 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Hafiz Abdur Rahman, son of Hafiz Abdullah of Delhi, Lal Darwaza Bazar Haus Qazi.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Hafiz Abdul Rahman to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 5th December 1916.

SUIT No. 63 OF 1916.

Delhi, the 21st November 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Nur Mohamed, son of Mohamed Awaz of Gali Batasan, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Nur Mohamed to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 18th December 1916.

RAHIM BAKHSH,

Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 25th November 1916.

No. 83-*G.*—*Camp.*—Mr. S. J. Samson, Accountant, 1st grade, in the Office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 5th (Mhow) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, from the 20th October to the 1st November 1916.

Delhi, the 27th November 1916.

No. 93-*G.*—*Camp.*—The leave on medical certificate for six months granted to Mr. A. E. O'Hara, Deputy Examiner, 1st grade, in Military Accounts Department Notification No. 372-G., dated the 4th May 1916, is commuted into privilege leave for ten days in combination with leave on medical certificate for 5 months and 20 days, under articles 232, 233 and 336, Civil Service Regulations.

No. 94-*G*.–*Camp*.—Lieutenant H. G. W. Chandler, I. A., Military Accountant, 1st class, Military Accounts Department, is granted leave under the provisions of India Army Order No. 236 of 1916 for thirty days with effect from the 20th November 1916.

Delhi, the 29th November 1916.

No. 109-*G*.-*Camp*.—Mr. W. H. Johnston, Superintendent, temporary and supernumerary and officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 1st (Peshawar) Division, is appointed as a temporary Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 20th September 1916.

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B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,

Military Accountant General.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 28th November 1916.

No. 5870-*T*.—Mr. H. Marley, Deputy Superintendent, Traffic, 2nd class, is appointed to officiate in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch as Superintendent of Post Offices, Traffic, Bengal and Assam Circle, with effect from the 4th November 1916, *vice* Mr. C. H. Cooper.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 29th November 1916.

No. 5884-*T*.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 23rd November 1916 to 29th November 1916.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
Adozai Camp	North-West Frontier	3rd November 1916	Closed.
Bombay Apollo Street	Bombay	1st October 1916	Opened.
Gadag Betgeri	Do.	5th November 1916	Closed.
Makut	Madras	6th „	Opened.
Meerut Artillery Lines	United Provinces	8th „	„
Turbat	Baluchistan	16th October 1916	„
	Railway Telegraph Offices.		
Panijajobi	Bengal Nagpur Railway	10th October 1916	Opened.
Rehta Siding	Rohilkhund Kumaon Railway.	20th November 1916	„
Urma	Bengal Nagpur Railway	15th „	„

The following alteration in the name of a Government Telegraph Office is notified :—

" Mankachar " instead of " Manikarchar. "

R. MEREDITH,

Deputy Director-General of Telegraph Traffic.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 22nd November 1916.

No. 4044s-Ap.—Mr. W. C. Dennehy, Superintendent of post offices, 3rd grade, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 15th December 1916 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Babu Surendra Bhusan Roy, clerk, office of the Postmaster-General, United Provinces, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. W. C. Dennehy, or until further orders.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 4049s-Ap.—Mr. H. Ostoche, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 4th grade, and Assistant Director of Postal Services, Egyptian Expeditionary Force, is granted special leave on full pay for 2 months and 29 days from the 6th July 1916 to the 4th October 1916 inclusive, under Army Department letter No. H.-5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

No. 4060s-Ap.—Mr. S. C. W. Rose, Deputy Postmaster-General, 2nd grade, Punjab and N.-W. F., is granted an extension of privilege leave for twenty days with effect from the 21st November 1916.

The 25th November 1916.

No. 4067s-Ap.—Babu Revati Raman Shome, Inspector of post offices, Dacca Sub-Division, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 8th September 1916 and until further orders.

No. 4071s-Ap.—Mr. M. Bickers, Reserve Superintendent of post offices, sub. *pro tem.* in the 4th grade, Bengal and Assam Circle, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 18th November 1916.

Babu Hem Chandra Guha, Inspector of post offices, Gauhati Sub-Division, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. M. Bickers, or until further orders, in the arrangements *vice* Mr. W. S. Hogan, Superintendent of post offices, 2nd grade, on combined leave.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 24th November 1916.

No. 2772s-E.E.—The following promotion in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified:—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. R. F. Massey	Inspecting Telegraphist.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, officiating.	26th September 1916.

W. MAXWELL,

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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA }
November 28, 1916 }

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics

Published by order of the Governor-General in Council

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending the 31st October 1916 as compared with the corresponding period of 1915.

Province.	RICE (COMMON)		WHEAT (*Triticum Sativum*)		BARLEY (*Hordeum vulgare*)		JAWAR (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		MAIZE (*Zea Mays*)		GRAM (*Cicer arietinum*)		ARHAR DÂL (*Cajanus Indicus*)		GHI		RAW SUGAR (*Gur*)		SALT	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 31st October of																			
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Burma	100	73	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	86	100	88	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	98
Assam	100	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	106	100	77	100	119
Bengal	100	86	100	92	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	84	100	89	100	102	100	102	100	119
Bihar and Orissa	100	84	100	78	100	61	100	64	100	93	100	88	100	72	100	114	100	80	100	111
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	91	100	80	100	84	100	70	100	79	100	86	100	73	100	108	100	71	100	110
Delhi	100	83	100	88	100	87	100	64	100	83	100	93	100	85	100	104	100	63	100	111
Punjab	100	90	100	88	100	95	100	81	100	79	100	93	100	75	100	110	100	67	100	184
North-West Frontier Province	100	91	100	88	100	48	100	75	100	88	100	96	100	73	100	98	100	97	100	125
Sind and Baluchistan	100	101	100	100	100	92	100	85	100	97	100	89	100	83	100	110	[illegible]	...	...	...
Bombay	100	88	100	78	100	76	100	78	...	...	100	85	100	87	100	111	100	71	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	91	100	80	...	...	100	84	...	...	100	93	100	77	100	127	...	...	100	120
Madras	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	98	...	...	100	93	100	75	100	108	100	62	100	122
India	100	89	100	87	100	78	100	78	100	86	100	90	100	81	100	108	100	77	100	122

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 31st October 1916 as compared with the previous fortnight.

Province.	RICE (common).		WHEAT (*Triticum Sativum*)		BARLEY (*Hordeum vulgare*)		JAWAR (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		MAIZE (*Zea Mays*)		GRAM (*Cicer arietinum*)		ARHAR DÂL (*Cajanus Indicus*)		GHI		RAW SUGAR (*Gur*)		SALT	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending																			
	15th Oct 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Oct. 1916	31st Oct. 1916
Burma	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	98	100	86	100	100	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100
Assam	100	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	98	100	98	100	100
Bengal	100	98	100	103	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	93	100	100	100	100
Bihar and Orissa	100	104	100	108	100	95	100	95	100	100	100	101	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	97
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	99	100	99	100	100	100	89	100	100	100	99	100	100	100	101	100	104	100	99
Delhi	100	92	100	108	100	102	100	58	100	80	100	97	100	109	100	104	100	107	100	100
Punjab	100	103	100	102	100	111	100	102	100	96	100	99	100	95	100	108	100	109	100	111
North-West Frontier Province.	100	100	100	105	100	65	100	98	100	114	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	101	100	104	100	108	100	94	100	100	100	100	100	102	100	105	100	101	...	...
Bombay	100	101	100	99	100	95	100	101	...	...	100	94	100	104	100	101	100	100	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	103	...	...	100	104	100	98	100	107	...	...	100	106
Madras	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	98	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	99	100	100	100	100
India	100	100	100	102	100	97	100	96	100	98	100	99	100	100	100	101	100	102	100	101

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅐ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the fortnight ending 31st October of the years 1914, 1915 and 1916.

Marts.	WHEAT (*Triticum sativum*)			RICE (common)			JAWAR (*Andropogon sorghum*)			BAJRA (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			GRAM (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 5 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	6 3 0	7 8 0	5 15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 10
Bombay	4 10 6	5 13 1	...	4 11 9	5 3 10	4 11 3	2 12 0	3 6 0	...	3 6 2	3 14 8	...	3 4 6	3 12 11	...
Karachi	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	5 1 0	5 6 0	4 13 2	2 10 0	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	5 4 10	5 4 9	5 12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 4	4 15 4	5 0
Rangoon	4 15 5	5 2 7	4 13 0	3 8 3	5 0 8	3 9 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 14 1	4 4 9	4 8
Dacca	...	...	...	6 2 0	7 0 0	5 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna	3 7 6	5 0 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	5 5 6	4 10 0	2 5 0	3 10 0	2 6 0	3 5 0	...	...	3 1 0	3 8 0	3 14
Ranchi	4 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	6 12 0	6 1 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 2 0	5 0
Cuttack	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 4	4 8 1	4 4 9	4 8 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 11	4 5 8	3 12
Benares	3 15 9	4 11 3	4 7 6	5 2 11	6 2 8	5 11 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 1 7	4 0 1	4 8
Cawnpore	4 0 0	4 14 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	4 12 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	3 5 0	4 0
Meerut	3 11 6	4 11 3	4 9 0	5 8 3	5 11 0	5 10 6	2 5 9	...	...	2 9 0	...	3 0 8	2 15 6	3 3 0	3 11
Agra	4 5 2	5 8 3	4 13 6	6 15 3	5 14 9	5 11 5	2 5 7	3 5 4	2 5 7	2 9 3	3 11 6	2 12 1	3 5 5	3 6 5	4 3
Lucknow	3 14 6	4 13 6	4 9 2	4 0 0	4 13 6	4 7 1	2 6 9	...	2 8 0	2 6 9	...	2 8 0	2 10 8	3 8 10	4 1
Ferozepur	3 13 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	5 0 0	5 11 3	5 0 0	...	3 10 3	...	2 5 6	...	...	2 14 6	3 4 3	3 12
Lahore	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 11 3	5 2 6	5 2 6	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 12 0	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 5 3	3 2 3	3 3 3	3 7
Amritsar	3 12 0	4 3 3	3 14 6	4 13 6	5 6 9	5 2 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 3	3 4 3	3 10
Rawalpindi	3 11 0	4 5 0	3 12 0	5 8 0	6 2 6	5 10 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	2 7 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 7 0	3 6
Lyallpur	3 14 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 7
Ambala	3 14 0	4 10 0	4 0 0	5 4 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	2 15 0	3 8 0	3 1 3	3 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 1 0	4 0
Delhi	4 0 0	4 13 0	4 11 0	5 8 0	6 10 0	6 7 0	2 4 0	3 8 0	3 3 0	2 11 0	3 12 0	3 3 0	2 15 6	3 3 0	3 13
Peshawar	3 10 4	4 6 2	3 11 6	5 9 5	6 2 5	5 9 0	2 2 8	3 9 10	1 12 11	3 1 3	3 11 6	3 6 9	3 3 10	3 8 0	3 5
Quetta	4 15 0	4 7 0	4 1 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	2 11 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poona	4 11 7	5 6 8	...	5 8 0	6 7 4	...	2 8 0	2 14 8	2 14 1	3 8 8	3 9 9	3 8 1	3 11 6	3 13 9	4 15
Ahmednagar	3 8 11	5 2 8	4 12 4	...	5 7 3	...	...	2 6 9	1 15 0	...	2 13 7	2 7 2	3 0 1	4 2 3	4 12
Ahmedabad	4 3 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 12 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	2 4 0	3 4 4	3 0 0	2 14 0	3 14 6	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 10 2	4 2
Nagpur	3 11 7	4 10 5	4 8 1	4 2 1	4 3 8	4 3 8	2 5 0	2 8 0	3 4 2	...	...	...	3 7 6	3 14 0	5 1
Jubbulpur	3 11 6	5 0 0	4 9 1	4 11 4	5 0 0	4 11 4	...	...	3 3 2	...	...	...	3 7 7	3 14 5	4 3
Godavari	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malabar	...	...	...	5 2 11	5 6 10	4 15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Burma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	37·65	51·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy		...	38·55	32·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	..	...	32·99	49·23	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	35·16	50·39	49 61	51·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	37·87	51·2	82·05	88·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	34·97	49·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	35·75	46·38	68·08	68·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	34·41	46·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	32·99	48·12	49 23	51·61	...	...	...	...	19·69	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	35·75	45·71	...	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	42·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*—															
Surma—															
Sylhet (Balagunj)	37·5	37·5	55	58·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	...	30	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	26·25	27.5	49·37	60	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	...	...	52·5	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	32·5	38·75	61·25	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	32·5	37·5	61·87	75	43·12	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	32·5	30·25	50	55	50	56·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Midnapore	26·25	30	52·5	62·5	50	57·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	30	31·25	53·75	61·25	...	47·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	30	22·5	57·5	70	55	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa*—															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpur	..	...	53·75	68·75	41·25	53·12	...	...	31·25	45	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	61·56	66·56	38·12	50	...	...	25	30	...	...	.	...	...
Bihár, south—															
Patna	...	...	39·69	53·44	34·69	50	...	...	24·6	40·94	23·12	36·25	33·12	...	...
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	45·05	42·07	40·73	50·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
(a) Agra—															
Eastern—															
Benares	28·23	30·32	51·82	61·67	39·84	47·03	47·71	58·07	28·44	36·09	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	21·25	26·25	52·5	57·5	40	48·75	46·87	55	29·37	35	22·5	...	...	35	...
Jhánsi	...	...	50	55·16	38·65	48·75	.	...	24·53	...	20·78	30·21	28·75	38·28	...
Western—															
Meerut	26·56	28·59	55·16	56·67	37·19	47·03	40·94	51·56	30·16	33·12	28·59	...	25·62	...	...
Agra	...	57·13	69·53	59·22	48·23	55·16	50	60·36	30·73	34·74	28·49	38·33	25·78	37·19	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	20	28·44	35	47·19	36·25	45·78	42·08	53·12	26·25	32·5	25	...	24·37	34·69	...
(b) Oudh—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	30·73	40	48·44	39·06	48·44	47·03	57·18	25·78	34·06	24·22	...	24·22	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	24·06	30·62	55·16	61·41	39·06	51·93	...	...	...	30	...	...	..	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	61·54	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	65·98	59·26	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	38·79	42·95	57·14	60·88	49·61	62·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	55·17	68·82	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	43·84	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	18·71	21·84	34·41	40·51	64·65	68·82	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	34·41	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	72·73	57·14	...	72·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63·75	...	...	Sylhet (Balaganj)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	52·5	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	55	55	70	70	...	...	...	...	100	80	60	65	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	60	75	...	...	...	...	80	100	75	70	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	36·25	38·75	52·5	63·75	...	...	...	...	62·5	55	50	57·5	Calcutta
															Western—
...	...	...	38·75	42·5	55	60	...	...	...	...	70	55	55	50	Burdwan
...	...	...	38·75 to 41·25	47·5	52·5 to 65	67·5	...	...	...	...	55	50	52·5	75	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	80	87·5	...	...	...	...	60	46·25	60	62·5	Pabna
...	...	...	76·25	70	75	67·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
...	27·5	28·75	38·75	42·5	37·5	70·62	27·5	42·5	...	...	55	52·5	45 to 47·5	50 to 52·5	Bhágalpur
...	26·87	30	32·66	38·12	53·12	61·56	25	42·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
20·62	24·69	26·87	30·62	35	40	59·37	22·5	40	...	...	66·25	55	49·37	51·56	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	38·07	43·54	55·62	68·07	33·85	43·54	...	...	...	...	61·04	75	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) Agra—
															Eastern—
...	27·13	31·93	30·99	40·05	42·4	62·97	...	...	...	...	50·05	48·38	51·2	47·92	Benares
															Central—
...	31·25	30	28·75	33·12	43·12	56·25	41·25	52·5	20	22·5	60	50	48·12	48·75	Cawnpore
...	19·53	27·6	30·52	31·56	...	...	...	...	...	24·22	...	...	...	...	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	25	30	29·69	31·87	43·28	58·28	...	...	...	...	53·12	61·56	42·19	44·87	Meerut
...	22·19	...	33·38	34·01	55·16	66·67	...	...	21·56	22·81	59·22	53·44	43·33	51·77	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	28·75	26·87	30	36·25	41·25	56·87	...	...	21·09	22·5	57·19	45·62	47·03	50	Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
															Southern—
...	31·09	...	26·67	35·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	47·03	45·1	50	53·33	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	23·19	...	27·5	33·75	44·37	61·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	43·75	...	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER—*conti*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *jinjili*) 1916	Sesamum 1915	Ghi 1916	Ghi 1915	Sugar, raw (*Gur*) 1916	Sugar, raw 1915	Salt 1916	Salt 1915	Tobacco leaf 1916	Tobacco leaf 1915	Turmeric 1916	Turmeric 1915	Grass 1916	Grass 19
Burma—														
Tenasserim—														
Mergui	...	...	457·14	640	...	...	27·47	21·26	...	...	...	...	...	..
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25·7	25·7	...	...	...	...	...	..
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457·14	457·14	...	...	24·62	32	...	...	...	...	...	..
Pegu (deltaic)—														
Rangoon	...	...	581·82	581·82	...	...	32·47	27·47	...	...	...	...	...	..
Maubin	...	...	492·31	492·31	...	...	40	58·78	...	...	...	...	...	..
Bassein	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·71	32	...	...	...	...	...	..
Pegu (inland)—														
Henzada	...	...	533·33	492·31	..	...	35·75	50	...	...	...	...	...	..
Toungoo	...	...	...	...		...	36·16	45·07	...	...	...	...	...	..
Upper Burma—														
Mandalay	...	...	640	640	.	...	39·02	36·57	...	...	...	...	...	..
Pakokku	...	...	581·82	581·82	..	...	45·30	46·72	...	...	...	...	...	..
Arakan—														
Akyab	...	...	711·11	581·82	...	...	30·77	36·36	...	...	...	...	...	..
Assam—														
Surma—														
Sylhet (Balaganj)	...	...	525	510	77·5	105	30·31 to 32·19	26·25	...	...	...	...	...	..
Brahmaputra—														
Goálpára	...	...	...	480	...	90	...	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	..
Gauhati	...	...	555	505	80	100	32·5	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—														
Eastern—														
Chittagong	...	...	540	580	90	90	28·75	28·75	...	...	...	...	...	..
Dacca	...	...	550	580	105	130	32·5	30	...	...	...	...	...	..
Deltaic—														
Calcutta	...	...	520	490	72·5	82·5	28·75	22·5	...	...	...	...	...	..
Western—														
Burdwan	...	...	510	470	80	61·25	25	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	550 to 580	510 to 560	80 to 85	85	31·25	26·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—														
Pabna	...	...	580	550	86·87	107·5	36·87	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	560	540	100	70	40	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—														
Bihar, north—														
Bhágalpur	80	80	580	480	70	80	27·5	28·75	150	125	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	533·12	457·5	57·19	80	26·56	25	160	266·56	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—														
Patna	46·87	50	480	400	60	80	29·37	23·75	15	20	...	...	3·75	...
Orissa—														
Cuttack	65·62	75	533·33	492·08	68·59	53·33	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	5
United Provinces—														
(*a*) Agra—														
Eastern—														
Benares	50·62	48·91	510·26	510·26	60·36	102·5	29·32	24·48	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—														
Cawnpore	55	60	460	440	66·25	96	21·87	17·5	112·5	100	140	65	...	...
Jhánsi	41·2	46·41	441·41	419·69	63·91	84·06	22·19	20·47	...	...	...	...	2·5	5·6
Western—														
Meerut	...	...	501·87	457·19	50	88·75	20·47	17·84	..	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	58·33 to 63·23	61·51	492·29	426·67	76·15	100	20·47	17·34	120	125	150	85	7·5	5·6
Submontane, west—														
Shahjahánpur	47·19	50	450	530	65	...	17·5	20	180	170	125 to 150	80 to 90	..	..
(*b*) Oudh—														
Southern—														
Lucknow	..	...	490	470	...	...	24·22	20	...	...	...	90	...	...
Northern—														
Fyzabad	...	...	420	440	50	...	25	20·78	...		...	...	21·81	...

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw		Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
														Burma—
														Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26·67	...	...	...	...	2·62	2·56	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9	...	...	...	...	2·56	2·25	Moulmein and Amherst
														Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	32·99	32·99	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·43	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Bassein
														Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
														Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·83	28·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·06	Pakokku
														Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·44	Akyab
														Assam—
														Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·95	1·95	Sylhet (Balaganj)
														Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·03	2·12	Gauhati
														Bengal—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	1·81	1·81	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·78	2·31	Dacca
														Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·59	2·17	Calcutta
														Western—
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·28	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·16	Midnapur
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·81	2·19	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·87	2·5	Rangpur
														Bihar and Orissa—
														Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	...	...	23·75	30	...	...	...	...	2·87	1·98	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	...	10	10	25	30·78	...	...	..	..	2·06	2·05	Muzaffarpur
														Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	11·25	11·25	20	22·5	..	...	...	...	2·03	2	Patna
														Orissa—
5·62	5·62	...	...	...	...	7·5	7·5	...	...	..	..	2·75	2·22	Cuttack
														United Provinces—
														(a) Agra—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	25	29·63	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·5	Benares
														Central—
...	..	...	...	9·87	7·97	24·37	23·75	70	60	...	...	2·94	2·41	Cawnpore
5	3·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·56	Jhánsi
														Western—
...	...	...	...	10	7·19	25·78	26·56	...	...	...	...	3·12	2·56	Meerut
12·5	12·5	...	...	6·67	10	30·16	30·16	...	...	100	80	3·06	2·69	Agra
														Submontane, west—
...	...	...	...	10	10	33·12	40	40 to 70	60 to 70	50 to 80	50 to 80	3·12	2·56	Shahjahánpur
														(b) Oudh—
														Southern—
...	...	...	...	7·34	10	22·5	24·37	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·47	Lucknow
														Northern—
..	..	...	...	11·87	11·25	...	...	...	...	50	50	2·87	2·44	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER—*continued*

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA		RAGI
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Rajputana—															
Eastern—															
Ajmer (a)	...	26·67	...	...	...	54·48	...	...	...	39·79	...	39·06	...	38·28	...
Delhi—															
Delhi	...	...	55	66·25	40	48·12	41·87	51·25	30·62	35	22·5	35	26·87	37·5	...
Punjab—															
Southern—															
Ferozepur	25·78	27·5	50	57·03	38·12	48·75	40	47·08	30·16	33·28	...	36·41	28·44	...	...
Central—															
Lahore	23·44	28·59	47·03	51·56	40	43·28	44·37	48·44	29·69	29·69	30·78	30·78	34·69	38·12	...
Submontane—															
Amritsar	25	30	48·44	54·22	37·5	42·03	39·06	45·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Rawalpindi	...	...	55	61·56	36·87	43·12	40	48·44	25	30	25	32·5	30	40	...
Western—															
Lyallpur	...	...	55	55	38·75	42·5	42·5	46·25	27·5	31·25	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	27·5	28·75	45·62	48·75	38·12	43·14	41·87	46·87	32·5	34·69	26·25	33·59	28·75	35·31	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	...	55·88	61·51	36·46	48·85	41·56	41·74	13·23	27·77	21·67	36·15	30·78	37·19	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	63·44	...	43·75	46·87	47·19	...	31·25	...	26·25	27·97	28·44	34·22	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karáchi	...	...	50·62	53·75	44·37	45·62	...	...	...	...	26·25	28·75	28·12	36·25	...
Shikárpur	27·03	28·12	66·25	62·5	42·5	42·5	...	...	35·62	39·09	27·5	36·25	25·62	37·5	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	48·75 to 50	42·81 to 45·94	65 to 75	72·5 to 85	35·62	37·5	32·5	32·5	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan—															
Bombay	37·19	31·09	47·34	52·4	46·56	58·18	...	...	33·85	41·25	27·5	33·75	33·25	39·17	...
Deccan and Karnátak—															
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	35·1	37·55	...	...	...	...	23·02	23·49	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	48·38	47·76	36·04	48·7	...	...	...	...	20·05	20·1	20·68	26·51	...
Poona	41·77	...	55	64·59	47·24	54·17	...	...	...	47·24	25	29·17	35·42	36·09	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—															
Ahmednagar	...	..	...	54·53	35·57	51·41	...	...	...	...	...	24·22	...	28·49	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	37·13	42·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31·46	...
Gujarat—															
Surat	...	...	...	...	51·15	51·87	...	...	...	...	25·16	36·77	...	38·91	...
Ahmedabad	..	...	67·5	65	41·87	50	...	...	26·25	38·12	22·5	32·71	28·75	39·06	...
Central Provinces*—															
Western—															
Nagpur	...	...	41·31	42·81	37·25	46·5	50	66·62	...	...	28·12	25	...	...	...
Central—															
Jubbulpore	...	...	47·06	50	37·19	50	47·06	59·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern—															
Raipur	35	37	40	39	36	44	44	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	42·56	46·5	38·87	46·75	...	...	...	...	17·81	23·25	...	...	...
Amráoti	...	...	42·19	49·69	40·44	50·87	...	...	...	...	20·94	25·94	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central—															
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·9	31·9	...	34·1	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30
Central—															
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·9	28·2	...	...	...
Cuddapah	39·6	40·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	28	30·5	25·9	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—															
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·5
East Coast, south—															
Madras	30·4	31·1	53	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	34·7	32·6	46·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26·8
Southern—															
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·8	35	40·4	35·1	
Mysore (a)—															
Mysore	22	27	56	60	50	56	60	69·47	...	...	24	24	...	...	24
Bangalore	22	24	60	56	54	56	67·76	67·76	...	...	28	28	...	...	26

* The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the prices of cleaned rice

(a) Figures have not so far been reported

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dal		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Rajputana—
...	...	32·66	...	37·24	...	.	..	...	...	...	...	84·06	...	...	*Eastern—* Ajmer
...	24·37	29·87	29·69	31·87	42·5	50	...	...	23·44	25·62	60	50	45	46·87	**Delhi—** Delhi
															Punjab—
...	...	...	29·06	32·66	57·19	80	...	...	26·72	26·72	66·72	66·72	...	...	*Southern—* Ferozpur
...	28·59	44·87	31·41	32·03	48·44	61·56	38·91	50	33·28	28·59	55·16	55·16	45·78	53·28	*Central—* Lahore
...	...	...	30·16	32·66	...	...	...	..	28·91	26·25	45	...	51·25	50	*Submontane—* Amritsar
...	27·5	35	31·25	34·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	66·72	47·5	41·87	45	*Northern—* Ráwalpindi
...	21·25	...	30	31·25	...	...		...	24·37	25·62	...	...	50	50	*Western—* Lyallpur
...	24·37	33·28	29·37	32·19	60	76·25	34·37	36·67	33·75	26·72	55	50	47·5	52·5	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	26·46	30·05	32·4	35	43·07	58·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·4	47·4	Peshâwar
...	31·41	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·09	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·28	24·37	...	...	...	..	Karáchi
...	...	...	31·87	35·94	55	63·12	...	...	30·94	26·56	...	...	36·25	36·56	Shikarpur
...	32·5 to 41·25	37·92	...	...	55 to 60	67·5 to 77·5	50	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
...	...	...	32·81	38·07	55·31	61·3	37·5	50·68	25·52	22·45	76·77	59·37	...	...	*Konkan—* Bombay
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	22·19	...	48·7	...	...	...	*Deccan and Karnátak—* Dharwar
...	...	...	31·35	40·21	47·76	63·75	...	...	21·25	18·54	59·27	45·21	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	37·19	38·59	49·27	...	36·46	...	28·07	22·81	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	...	...	30·05	41·41	...	...	...	...	...	16·67	70·26	...	...	...	*Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—* Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21·72	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Gujarat—* Surat
...	...	...	35	36·35	65	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
...	...	...	34·69	38·75	48·94	53·06	...	...	21·25	23·75	60·62	57·5	...	...	*Western—* Nagpur
..	...	...	34·75	39	45·69	59·25	44·44	44·44	28·56	22·19	61·5	47·06	...	...	*Central—* Jubbulpore
...	...	...	32	34·75	41	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
															Berar—
...	...	...	32·19	34·25	39·69	52·25	...	...	20	15·75	67·56	...	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	36·12	37·25	40·44	52·06	...	...	16·87	18·56	73·87	61·19	...	...	Amráoti
															Madras—
...	...	...	55·8	60·7	...	...	...	...	36	38·4	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
29·9	...	...	...	...	40	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
...	...	...	46·3	46·3	35·3	46·3	...	...	23·8	23·8	...	...	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
24·2	...	...	...	...	30·6	47·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
...	...	...	42·1	49·6	...	...	56·6	60	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
23·3	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	60·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	35	37·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
															Mysore—
35	...	...	22	34	60	84	70	70	...	..	...	...	...	...	Mysore
34	...	...	30	32	56	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER—*concluded*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915
Rajputana—														
Eastern—														
Ajmer(a)	...	74·53	...	533·33	...	94·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·24
Delhi—														
Delhi	57·5	70	540	520	56·87	90	19·37	17·5	80	80	170	112·5	10	10
Punjab—														
Southern—														
Ferozpur	...	66·72	533·28	492·34	66·72	106·72	26·72	20	123·12	133·28	122·97	94·06	...	...
Central—														
Lahore	59·22	66·72	554·37	533·28	66·72	100	30·78	15·94	114·22	114·22	152·34	114·22	10	10
Submontane—														
Amritsar	60	65	560	500	70	94·06	26·25	14·69	...	...	150	75	...	...
Northern—														
Râwalpindi	...	...	540	452·5	56·87	72·5	28·12	18·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—														
Lyallpur	...	...	512·5	480	50	92·5	28·75	15	...	...	...	...	...	10
Multan	55	60	510	474·06	57·5	72·66	28·91	16·72	110	110	190	187·5	10	8·12
N.-W. Frontier Province—														
Peshâwar	...	...	463·02	492·29	81·51	84·22	19·22	15·36	123·07	136·15	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	568·91	...	56·56	...	19·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—														
Karâchi	...	...	...	465	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	560	500	50·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	550 to 552·5	479·87 to 544·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—														
Konkan—														
Bombay	64·27	67·13	578·59	539·27	88·44	117·03	...	...	...	...	163·28	95·26	8·8	18·8
Deccan and Karnátak—														
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	417·19	450·52	84·11	121·09	...	...	108·59	...	...	...	...	...
Poona	...	...	456·15	473·7	85·52	121·04	...	...	203·49	192·97	129·84	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—														
Ahmednagar	...	56·25	441·67	441·67	89·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	93·33	...	...
Dhulia	...	57·5	...	422·5	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Gujarat—														
Surat	...	...	562·13	464·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	560	420	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Central Provinces—														
Western—														
Nagpur	64·44	...	533·31	466·62	...	...	27·5	22·19	93·31	..	125	90	..	...
Central—														
Jubbulpore	50	58·37	450	420	...	...	25	22·19	80	80	177·75	88·87	...	...
Eastern—														
Raipur	..	...	470	420	...	...	29·31	26·25	160	140	88	66	...	...
Berar—														
Akola	54·75	60·75	538·31	400		...	20·62	19	100	95·25	...	...	...	...
Amráoti	61·5	...	560	380	...	...	25	17·06	142·19	124·44	...	...	...	...
Madras—														
South, central—														
Coimbatore *	67·2	77·5	503·1	487·8	70·4	108·5	17·5	19·5	...	...	128	96	...	...
Salem	...	...	483	488	...	...	...	...	171·3	171·3	85·7	91·4	...	...
Central—														
Bellary	62	77·3	537·2	507·9	67·5	111·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	526·3	427·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	149·3	80·7	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82·3	164·5	108·6	75·2	...	...
East Coast, central—														
Nellore	...	...	466·7	480	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—														
Madras	...	70·8	559·6	559·6	60·9	82·3	15·3	13·8	136·6	115·2	119·3	74·1	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	464·7	...	...	23·4	13·1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	540·5	574·3	...	...	20·6	17·5	128·4	128·4	...	...	...	...
Southern—														
Madura	66·7	84·2	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	..
Mysore—														
Mysore	72	72	480	497·13	102·86	111·41	...	...	214·27	205·68	137·13	77·13	5·1	4·79
Bangalore	64	60	548·54	582·86	77·13	120	...	...	240	274·27	85·68	102·86	8·8	8·8

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 108 per 10 maunds.

(a) Figures have not so far been reported

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw		Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
														Rajputana—
														Eastern—
...	8·59	...	17·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80 to 90	...	2·56	Ajmer
														Delhi—
...	...	3·75	15·62	11·25	8·75	22·5	25	80	80	200	150	2·28	2·19	Delhi
														Punjab—
														Southern—
...	...	...	...	8·91	7·84	25	23·44	142·5	112·5	225	175	3·19	2·59	Ferozepur
														Central—
...	...	...	...	10·78	8·91	28·59	28·59	150	150	170	170	3·12	2·62	Lahore
														Submontane—
...	...	...	...	11·25	9·37	22·5	25	120	120	...	...	3·27	2·64	Amritsar
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	13·28	10	...	...	90	90	120	120	3·41	2·44	Râwalpindi
														Western—
...	...	...	...	8·28	7·97	23·12	23·12	112	100	140	140	3·56	2·81	Lyallpur
...	...	5	3·28	10	6·41	25	25	100	100	...	...	3·25	2·67	Multan
														N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	...	...	...	5·78	6·15	23·23	22·34	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·44	2·92	Peshâwar
...	...	...	...	14·17	...	27·97	...	...	...	...	...	3·62	2·87	Dera Ismael Khan
														Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·72	2·22	Karâchi
...	...	...	...	10	6·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·51	Shikârpur
...	...	...	...	11·51	7·19	30	30	120 to 220	100 to 200	...	...	2·97	2·5	Quetta
														Bombay—
														Konkan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	22·34	26·77	...	...	...	...	2·84	2·28	Bombay
														Deccan and Karnâtak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82·5	71·25	...	...	2·92	2·87	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·09	2·09	Sholapur
...	.	...	...	...	...	...	28·59	...	...	...	...	2·8	2·3	Poona
														Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37·13	...	...	...	...	2·08	2·06	Ahmadnagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·89	2·41	Dhulia
														Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	...	26·25	22·5	...	...	...	...	3·19	2·5	Ahmedabad
														Central Provinces—
														Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70 to 80	...	125 to 200	2·37	2·19	Nagpur
														Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	60	60	70	70	2·12	1·87	Jubbulpore
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·25	2·25	Raipur
														Berar—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97	88	60	56	2·31	2·19	Akola
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	50	70	55	2·31	2·19	Amrâoti
														Madras—
														South, Central—
...	...	4	4	...	...	90·6*	90·4*	...	...	60	60	2·98	2·25	Coimbatore
7·7	7·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	...	2·75	2·19	Salem
														Central—
...	...	10·3	10·3	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	140	140	3·33	2·31	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·8	2·24	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·31	2·75	Karnul
														East Coast, Central—
5·7	4·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·04	1·79	Nellore
														East Coast, south—
...	...	...	...	...	...	26·5	31·6	187·5	195	...	...	2·06	1·78	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	13·6	5·4	170	90	...	...	2·71	2·18	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	...	33·2	41·1	...	...	...	...	3·1	2·52	Trichinopoly
														Southern—
15	15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	60	60	2·69	2·06	Madura
														Mysore—
5·1	5·1	4·43	4·43	...	...	40	40	50 to 100	100	50 to 100	100	3·5	2·78	Mysore
[illegible]	8·8	4·27	...	...	...	33·3	33·3	160	160	120 to 150	120 to 150	2·62	2·62	Bangalore

* Superior quality.

† Sheep or goats

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER 1916

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Maubin	4 10	4 10	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 7	10 7	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 10	11 7	10 9	...	...	...	...
Henzada	5 9	5 9	...	..	10 —	9 1	10 12	9 11	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 11	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	7 12	7 12	...	...	8 9	8 9	11 3	11 3	17 14	16 5	...	...
Bhamo	...	...	...	...	8 9	9 2	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	10 7	8 9	14 —	17 8	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	9 2	9 2	12 12	10 10	...	...	...	..
Kyaukpyu	3 8	3 8	...	...	6 8	6 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	7 4	...	...	...	...
Cachar	4 —	4 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 6	6 —	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 4	5 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	6 — to 6 12	6 15	...	...	...	...
Manipur	14 —	15 —	...	...	16 —	12 —	17 —	13 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	8 —	8 —	...	...	4 8	4 4	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati)	7 —	7 —	...	...	5 10	5 10	7 14	7 12	...	...	...	...
Darrang	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Backerganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 8	...	...	..	...
Maimensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 14	7 —	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	5 14	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	...	..	...	...	6 8	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 4	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 14	5 14	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	9 5	Mergui
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 8	11 3	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	...	...	4 15	4 15	10 2	10 2	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	7 —	6 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	7 15	7 15	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 9	9 9	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Henzada
...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	9 8	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	4 13	4 13	8 5	8 5	Thayetmyo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	11 12	10 11	18 5	16 —	5 11	5 12	8 9	8 9	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	7 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakôkku
...	...	...	...	12 13	13 5	42 12	42 12	15 10	15 10	9 6	14 —	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 4	11 6	11 6	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 —	5 8	...	...	...	...	11 —	10 8	Akyab
												Assam—
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	7 4	7 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 8	11 —	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	...	...	5 8	5 —	11 —	10 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	7 12	7 5	8 14	8 14	6 4	6 4	9 12	9 8	Khási and Jáintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...	...	...	...	4 8	4 —	19 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	6 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	11 —	11 —	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...		6 8	6 4	11 —	11 4	Kámrúp (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	9 —	9 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	11 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 —	10 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	Lakhimpur
												Bengal—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 8	10 8	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 8	12 8	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	5 —	11 12	11 12	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	11 —	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 8	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 8	11 8	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 1	7 1	11 —	11 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	12 8	11 —	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	8 —	13 8	13 —	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	6 8	12 —	11 4	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 2	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	...		...	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	..	8 6	7 13	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	.	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	..	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	..	..	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bhágalpur	9 6	10 5	12 12	12 12	...	...	7 6	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	9 14	9 5	14 4	15 6	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Sáran	9 8	10 —	13 —	13 8	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Champáran	9 8	10 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	8 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas	7 —	8 —	11 —	10 —	...	...	9 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Monghyr*	...	10 —	...	16 —	...	...	...	8 —	...	...	...	...
Gaya	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	13 —	13 —	...	...
Patna	11 8	12 —	15 8	..	...	...	10 —	9 8	16 8	16 —	12 —	13 —
Shahabad	9 —	9 8	12 —	13 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum	9 8	9 4	...	...	...	...	8 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Mánbhum	10 —	9 —	11 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	10 —	13 —
Ranchi	9 12	9 12	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 6	8 4	...	...	10 —	10 —
Palámau	10 2	9 13	12 15	12 15	...	...	8 7	8 9	...	...	..	...
Hazáribágh	8 8	8 8	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 12	7 8	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	9 3	8 13¾	...	...	...	...	9 3	8 8	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	..	8 14	8 14	...	...	...	...
Balasore	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 10	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	9 —	9 —	12 —	11 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	15 —	14 —	12 —	12 —
Benares	9 10	9 10	13 9	13 9	5 7	5 7	7 5	7 5	...	...	...	...
Ghazipur	9 8	9 8	11 14	11 7	5 4	5 4	8 1	7 14	14 4	14 4	11 12	11 12
Jaunpur	9 14	9 12	13 6	13 10	8 12	8 12	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 8	4 8	4 8	8 2	8 4	15 —	13 8	13 6	13 4
Central—												
Bánda	10 4	10 4	12 6	12 14	5 —	5 —	8 8	7 14	17 8	17 8	15 8	15 8
Fatehpur*	...	9 12	...	16 —	...	3 8	...	10 —	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur	9 2	9 2	10 2	10 2	4 12	4 12	6 12	6 12	15 8	15 8	13 14	13 14
Jalaun	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Cawnpore	9 8	9 8	13 4	13 —	...	...	6 13	7 —	16 12	16 4	14 8	13 8
Jhansi	10 1	10 —	16 —	16 1	4 13	4 12	7 12	7 11	18 15	18 15	16 9	...
Etáwah	9 4	9 10	12 14	13 2	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	15 —	15 4	14 —	13 8
Farrukhabad	9 14	10 1	13 5	13 10	4 1	4 1	8 8	8 8	...	...	14 5	...
Mainpuri	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 8	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 —	15 —	15 —	14 —	14 —
Etah	9 8	9 8	12 —	13 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	13 8	14 —
Western—												
Meerut	10 8	10 8	13 —	14 —	3 —	3 —	7 4	7 —	16 8	15 8	15 —	...
Agra	9 —	9 —	...	13 —	5 8	5 8	...	...	16 8	14 12	15 8	14 4
Muttra	10 —	10 —	14 12	14 12	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	16 —	16 —	17 —	17 —
Aligarh	9 12	9 12	12 8	12 8	3 8	3 8	5 —	5 —	14 —	16 —	14 —	15 —
Bulandshahr	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	14 8	16 —	14 8	12 —
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	10 6	9 2	13 —	13 10	5 8	5 8	8 7	8 7	13 10	...	10 6	...
Azamgarh	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 —	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	11 6	11 4	14 8	14 8	7 10	7 8	11 8	11 4	...	...	...	...
Basti	11 4	11 —	15 —	14 —	6 8	5 12	11 —	12 8	...	...	..	...

* Figures have not so far been reported.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	13 —	13 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	13 —	13 —	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 12	12 12	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 8	10 8	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 12	9 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 4	12 —	12 —	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	11 —	12 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	9 8	9 8	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 8	9 —	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	6 8	6 8	11 —	10 —	Purnea
...	...	...	...	10 5	10 10	14 9	13 5	10 10	10 10	14 8	11 —	Bhágalpur
13 8	13 8	...	...	13 3	12 1	15 6	13 12	7 11 to 8 4	7 11	13 1	11 —	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	12 —	...	14 8	14 8	7 —	7 —	14 8	14 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	...	12 —	14 —	13 —	10 —	8 —	13 —	12 —	Sáran
16 —	16 —	...	...	12 4	13 —	18 —	18 8	6 12	6 12	12 —	12 —	Champáran
												Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	20 —	16 — to 22 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	13 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	16 —	...	20 —	...	10 8	...	12 4	Monghyr
15 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	15 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	12 13	12 12	Gaya
...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	14 —	16 —	16 —	9 12	10 —	13 —	13 —	Patna
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 8	12 —	12 8	8 —	8 —	13 —	14 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 8	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	16 —	12 —	8 —	6 8	12 —	11 —	Mánbhum
20 —	20 —	...	...	10 —	10 8	13 —	13 —	6 4	6 4	11 —	11 —	Ranchi
...	...	...	...	13 8	11 10	18 —	...	10 2	10 2	12 6	12 6	Palámau
18 —	18 —	...	...	10 —	10 8	17 —	20 —	7 8	8 —	12 —	11 —	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	12 8	12 8	Balasore
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 — to 8 —	7 — to 8 —	14 8	14 —	Sambalpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	8 —	10 —	12 —	11 —	16 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	16 —	14 —	Mirzapur
...	...	10 5	10 5	12 11	12 1	14 1½	14 1½	8 1½	8 1½	13 8	13 8	Benares
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	14 4	14 4	8 6	8 6	14 7	14 7	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 5	15 8	14 11	9 10	9 12	14 6	14 6	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 8	...	...	10 8	10 4	17 8	17 8	Allahabad
												Central—
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	...	...	8 4	8 8	16 4	16 8	Banda
...	...	...	...	...	13 —	...	13 —	...	10 —	...	16 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	13 10	13 10	...	...	8 4	8 4	14 12	14 12	Hamirpur
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	Jalaun
...	...	13 —	12 8	13 5	12 13	18 —	18 —	9 —	9 —	17 8	17 8	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	12 13	13 1	20 3	...	7 1	7 —	17 8	17 8	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 12	17 —	17 —	9 12	9 4	15 8	15 8	Etawah
...	...	...	...	13 10	13 —	17 1	17 1	9 9	9 9	18 7	19 9	Farrukhabad
18 —	18 —	...	...	11 8	11 8	14 8	15 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 4	14 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	18 —	18 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	15 8	15 8	9 —	9 —	19 8	20 —	Meerut
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 8	17 —	...	7 4	6 8	19 —	19 —	Agra
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	21 —	22 —	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	Muttra
...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	...	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	12 4	11 12	14 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	14 15	13 10	9 2	8 7	16 14	16 14	Ballia
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 —	15 8	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	14 —	14 —	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	12 8	13 —	16 —	16 —	9 6	9 —	16 —	16 —	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces—*continued*												
(*a*) Agra—*continued*												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	10 12	10 10	...	...	3 —	3 —	10 8	10 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	15 —
Budaun	9 10	9 12	11 14	11 15	4 8	4 4	7 —	7 —	14 8	14 12	12 9	12 14
Pilibit	10 4	10 8	14 —	14 8	4 8	4 8	10 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bareli	10 1	10 4	14 —	14 8	3 12	3 12	9 1	8 10	14 12	14 —	...	...
Moradabad*	...	10 —	...	11 6	...	4 4	...	8 14	...	14 4	...	...
Bijnor	10 4	10 4	14 —	14 —	3 4	3 4	6 8	6 8	...	...	14 —	...
Muzaffarnagar	10 12	10 8	13 2	13 2	7 10	6 9	9 —	8 4	12 5	12 5	15 5	11 —
Saháranpur*	...	10 2	...	13 4	...	3 7	...	7 7	...	...	...	11 11
Dehra-Dun	9 12	10 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	7 14	13 —	13 —	11 —	11 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal*	...	7 —	...	9 8	...	2 12	...	6 8	...	...	...	8 —
Almora	6 8	6 12	8 —	7 8	3 —	3 —	6 4	5 12	...	...	...	...
Garhwál*	...	5 4	...	8 4	...	3 —	...	4 8	...	...	...	...
(*b*) Oudh—												
Southern—												
Partabgarh	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	12 —	12 —
Sultanpur	10 8	10 8	14 8	14 8	5 —	5 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Rae-Bareli	10 8	10 —	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	9 12	9 4	16 —	16 —	16 —	14 —
Unao	10 2	9 14	13 12	13 12	5 —	5 —	9 —	8 10	...	...	...	...
Lucknow	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	15 8	16 —	...
Hardoi	10 12	10 8	14 4	14 —	3 8	3 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Fyzabad	10 —	9 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	15 —	15 —	10 8	10 —
Barabanki	10 15	10 15	14 8	14 2	4 8	4 8	10 4	10 1	11 10	11 —	10 2	10 2
Gonda	11 —	11 —	15 —	15 —	4 8	4 8	9 8	8 —	15 —	15 —	15 —	11 —
Bahraich	11 4	11 8	18 —	17 8	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 —	...	18 —	17 —	15 8
Sitapur	11 —	11 —	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 —	14 —	12 —	13 —	12 —
Kheri	10 12	10 12	18 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	10 8	10 —	19 —	19 —	18 —	15 8
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	8 6	8 11	10 5	10 11	4 12	5 —	5 7	5 12	19 2	20 —	8 14	9 4
Ajmer*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kishangarh	9 —	9 8	11 4	12 —	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	17 —	17 —	15 —	16 —
Tonk	8 4	8 9	11 8	11 13	4 6	4 7	5 8	5 9	19 11	17 —	19 11	17 —
Jaipur	9 7	9 7	12 9	12 —	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	19 5	19 5	14 11	13 14
Karauli	8 12	8 12	13 12	12 8	6 14	6 14	8 2	8 2	21 4	20 —	21 4	20 —
Dholpur	9 8	9 8	14 1	14 2	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	18 6½	18 —	18 14½	18 5
Bharatpur	9 —	9 —	13 10	13 10	4 5	4 5	4 14	4 14	16 8	18 —	16 8	16 —
Alwar*	10 5	10 5	13 13	13 10	4 10	4 10	5 14	5 14	16 14	15 12	18 5	16 3
Nasirabad	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	18 —	18 —	14 —	14 —
Western—												
Bikaner	9 8	9 4	13 —	13 —	5 —	4 12	7 —	6 12	16 —	16 —	13 8	13 —
Jaisalmer	7 8	8 4	...	...	4 5	4 4	5 6	5 6	11 14	11 11	10 12	10 2
Jodhpur	7 2 and 8 6	7 4 and 8 5	12 —	11 9	5 —	5 —	6 4	6 —	20 1	18 5	12 2 and 13 —	11 — and 12 4
Central India—												
Indore	10 8	11 —	12 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	7 8	25 —	28 —	16 —	18 —
Neemuch	11 —	11 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	22 —	22 —	11 —	11 —
Gwalior*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	9 8	10 4	12 8	13 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	17 —	15 —	14 8	13 8
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	11 —	10 8	15 8	14 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	18 —	17 8	15 8	13 12
Ferozepur	10 8	10 12	13 4	14 8	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	16 —	17 —	11 8
Central—												
Lahore	9 12	10 —	13 4	13 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 12	12 12	11 —	11 —
Gujranwala	11 —	11 4	16 8	16 8	...	...	8 8	8 —	19 —	19 —	11 12	11 12
Gujrat	11 —	11 4	15 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	16 —	15 —
Jhelam	10 12	11 —	14 8	15 —	...	...	7 8	7 —	14 —	...	12 —	12 —

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Bagi (Eleusine coracana) Half-month of report	Marua or Bagi Previous half-month	Kangni or Kakun, Italian millet (Setaria italica) Half-month of report	Kangni Previous half-month	Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (Cicer arietinum) Half-month of report	Gram Previous half-month	Maize (Zea Mays) Half-month of report	Maize Previous half-month	Arhar Dal (Cajanus Indicus) Half-month of report	Arhar Dal Previous half-month	Salt Half-month of report	Salt Previous half-month	Districts
												United Provinces— *continued*
												(a) Agra—*continued*
												Submontane, west—
...	...	15 —	19 —	13 —	13 —	16 —	15 8	9 8	9 —	16 —	16 —	Shahjahánpur
...	...	16 —	10 —	11 2	11 12	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Budaun
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	12 13	12 2	16 14	17 2	9 4	9 4	18 —	18 —	Bareli
...	...	...	13 —	...	11 4	...	15 14	...	8 8	...	17 12	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	16 —	16 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	13 2	12 1	15 5	15 6	5 8	5 8	17 8	17 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	...	11 11	...	15 6	...	8 8	—	17 8	Sahéranpur
12 —	12 —	...	...	12 —	11 14	16 —	16 —	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	8 8	...	...	...	5 8	...	10 —	Naini Tal
9 8	8 —	...	...	7 12	7 12	...	...	5 4	5 —	8 8	8 8	Almora
...	...	...	...	...	5 —	...	...	...	4 —	...	6 8	Garhwál
												(b) Oudh—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	Partábgarh
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 —	14 —	Sultanpur
20 —	20 —	12 —	14 —	14 8	14 —	14 —	12 —	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	Rae-Bareli
...	...	15 4	16 —	14 4	18 8	19 —	12 12	8 8	...	16 8	16 8	Unao
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	18 —	18 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Lucknow
...	...	19 —	19 8	15 —	18 8	19 8	20 —	9 —	9 —	14 8	14 8	Hardoi
												Northern—
...	...	11 8	11 —	13 8	13 8	17 8	17 8	8 4	8 4	15 8	15 8	Fyzabad
17 8	17 8	15 5	16 8	16 6	16 6	17 6	17 13	9 7	9 7	16 —	18 14	Barabanki
...	...	...	11 —	15 —	14 8	19 —	17 —	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	Gonda
...	...	7 —	6 —	16 —	15 —	21 —	22 —	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	Bahraich
...	...	18 —	18 —	16 —	14 8	19 —	20 —	9 8	9 8	18 —	16 —	Sitapur
20 —	20 —	24 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	18 —	18 —	9 —	9 —	18 —	17 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	9 15	9 10	9 15	10 —	13 8	19 4	6 13	6 13	14 6	14 10	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 —	17 —	17 —	...	...	21 —	21 —	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 9	19 11	17 —	...	...	19 11	16 —	Tonk
...	...	13 1	11 —	12 5 and 14 2	12 — and 14 10	19 5	18 5	10 —	10 —	20 —	20 —	Jaipur
...	...	20 —	...	11 4	10 10	21 4	22 —	...	..	17 8	17 8	Karauli
...	...	9 —	9 —	11 9½	11 8	...	...	7 9½	7 8	18 3½	18 —	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	11 10	11 6	18 8	18 8	7 4	7 4	18 8	13 8	Bharatpur
...	...	9 8	9 8	13 4	12 11	17 5	16 —	14 —	14 —	21 4	21 4	Alwar
...	...	...	...	11 18	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	21 —	20 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
...	...	...	...	14 4	13 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	17 —	17 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	8 10	7 7	...	...	...	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	11 9 to 12 5	11 10	...	...	6 4	6 —	17 —	18 —	Jodhpur
												Central India—
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 8	25 —	28 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	18 —	Indore
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Neemuch
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 8	16 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	20 —	20 —	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 12	...	...	...	...	19 —	19 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 4	...	...	6 8	5 8	14 —	14 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	10 8	10 8	12 8	12 8	13 8	13 8	8 —	8 —	12 —	15 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 4	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	14 —	14 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	5 12	5 12	15 —	15 —	Jhelam

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Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice: Best sort		Rice: Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Punjab—*continued*												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	9 12	10 4	13 8	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 8	14 8	16 —	17 —
Rohtak	11 —	11 —	13 8	13 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	17 —	17 —
Karnál	10 8	11 —	14 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	8 —	18 —	...	...	...
Submontane—												
Ambala	10 4	10 4	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 4	7 4	12 12	12 12	10 8	10 8
Ludhiana	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	14 —	14 —	10 —	...
Jullundur	10 12	11 —	13 8	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	11 —	8 —
Hoshiárpur	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	14 —	14 —	9 8	10 —
Gurdáspur	12 —	12	13 8	13 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	15 —	15 —	...	...
Amritsar	10 9	10 12	14 13	14 —	...	...	7 12	7 12	21 4	18 —	...	11 —
Siálkot	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Simla	8 12	9 —	10 12	10 12	...	...	6 4	6 4	9 —	10 —	9 4	9 4
Kángra	12 —	12 —	14 8	14 8	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	10 10	10 6	15 8	15 8	...	...	7 —	6 12	15 8	15 8	13 —	13 —
Attock	11 —	11 —	17 —	17 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	12 —	11 4
Western—												
Sháhpur	10 4	11 8	15 4	15 —	...	...	6 —	6 12	...	...	13 12	13 4
Jhang	10 —	10 8	13 12	12 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	18 —	18 —	12 8	13 —
Lyallpur	10 —	10 11	14 8	16 —	...	...	7 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Multan	10 4	10 4	...	13 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	14 8	14 8	13 4	13 8
Montgomery	10 6	10 4	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	13 —	10 —
Muzaffargarh	10 8	11 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	9 9	10 —	13 8	13 —	...	...	6 9	6 9	13 —	12 —	14 —	13 —
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	9 12	10 8	14 2	16 8	3 9	3 9	8 —	7 8	...	...	8 8	8 —
Peshávar	10 14	11 4	17 —	19 8	4 9	4 9	6 13	6 13	18 4	18 4	12 12	11 —
Kohát	10 5	10 3	15 2	16 12	3 14	3 13	9 9	9 9	15 5	15 5	14 5	16 2
Bannu	11 9	11 14	16 4	19 1	4 3	4 2	7 13	7 8	20 —	20 —	15 —	16 4
Dera Ismael Khan	9 —	9 6	...	12 8	3 12	3 8	6 4	6 4	15 —	14 8	13 12	13 —
Toohi	12 —	13 —	24 —	24 —	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Kurram	11 —	11 —	19 8	19 —	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	11 —	11 —	18 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	8 5	8 2	11 —	11 —	3 1	2 13	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	8 —	8 —	...		6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	10 8	10 8
Hyderabad	9 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	7 —	9 —	8 —	14 —	13 —	12 8	13 —
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	9 —	8 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	16 —	15 —	13 —	12 8
Shikárpur	9 —	9 8	...	...	5 4	5 4	5 12	5 12	14 —	14 —	15 —	16 —
Upper Sind Frontier	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 4	6 4	6 12	6 12	12 —	12 —	16 —	16 —
Quetta	...	8 6 to 8 10	10 11	10 8	3 2	3 4	6 8	6 8	11 10	11 10	11 7	11 1
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 13	6 13	...	...	5 5	5 5	7 4	7 4	12 8	12 8	11 —	11 —
Ratnagiri	6 3	6 3	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 3	7 3	10 8	10 9	10 2	9 7
Alibág	6 5	6 5	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 3	7 3	...	...	8 5	8 5
Bombay	*7 10	*7 10	...	...	4 13	4 13	7 —	7 —	11 10	11 10	8 15	8 15
Thanna	8 13	8 13	...	...	6 6	6 6	6 15	6 15	13 3	12 7	11 14	10 15
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	11 3	11 3	...	...	7 12	7 12	8 10	8 10	16 1	17 15	12 3	12 3
Belgaum	10 10	10 10	...	...	6 13	6 13	8 1	8 1	15 1	15 9	15 15	15 15
Satara	9 6	9 11	...	...	4 13	4 13	5 14	5 14	15 6	15 6	13 14	12 13
Sholapur	...	9 4	...	...	6 15	6 15	7 9	7 9	19 15	19 15	16 3	12 10
Bijapur	12 —	12 15	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 13	7 13	24 6	22 6	17 3	17 3
Poona	8 6	8 6	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 11	6 11	15 10	15 10	10 13	10 13
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	10 5	10 5	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	16 8	16 8	12 10	12 10
Nasik	10 5	10 5	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	...	11 10	11 10
Dhulia	10 3	10 3	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	13 13	13 13	12 15	12 15
Jalgaon	8 14	8 7	...	...	5 11	5 14	7 10	7 10	17 8	17 8	14 —	14 —
Gujarat—												
Surat	7 6	8 1	...	...	5 9	5 5	7 6	7 6	13 7	12 15	12 —	12 —
Broach	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	16 —	18 —	13 —	12 —
Kaira	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	16 —	15 —	18 —	18 —
Baroda	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —
Ahmedabad	8 8	9 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	15 8	16 —	13 —	13 —
Godhra	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	15 —	15 —
Disa	9 4	9 8	...	...	4 12	4 12	5 4	5 4	20 —	20 —	14 8	13 —
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	10 —	10 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 8	5 8	15 —	15 —	10 8	12 8
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	10 2	10 2	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	22 11	22 11	...	...
Hoshangabad	10 4	11 2	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	17 6	17 6	...	...
Betul	10 12	10 12	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 5	7 11	19 11	22 2	...	...
Chhindwara	11 4	11 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 12	8 12	19 —	21 6	...	...
Nagpur	10 3	10 3	...	...	5 3	5 3	9 2	9 2	15 7	15 7	...	...
Wardha	10 10	10 10	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 15	8 15	19 3	19 3	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

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Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	14 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Gurgáon
...	...	...	...	14 8	15 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Rohtak
...	..	...	...	14 —	14 —	16 —	17 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	15 —	Karnál
												Submontane—
15 8	15 8	9 12	9 12	12 12	12 12	15 —	15 —	7 12	7 12	12 —	13 —	Ambala
...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13	17 8	17 8	5 —	5 —	14 8	16 —	Ludhiána
...	...	8 8	8 —	13 —	12 12	16 —	15 —	...	..	12 —	12 12	Jullundur
...	...	..	...	13 —	13 —	17 8	16 —	..	6 —	12 —	14 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	16 8	16 —	...	..	14 —	14 —	Gurdáspur
...	...	...	12 12	13 —	13 4	14 12	16 —	8 —	7 12	14 12	16 8	Amritsar
.	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	14 8	14 —	...		14 —	14 —	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	12 8	14 8	5 12	5 4	10 —	10 —	Simla
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	6 —	6 —	11 8	11 8	Kángra
												Northern—
...	..	...	...	12 8	12 4	14 —	13 8	7 —	6 3	14 —	15 8	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	14 8	15 —	6 —	7 —	14 —	13 4	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 4	16 —	16 —	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 8	Sháhpur
13 —	18 —	11 8	11 8	12 8	12 4	17 —	17 —	...	...	12 —	13 —	Jhang
...	...	...	...	13 —	...	18 12	18 12	7 —	6 8	13 —	14 —	Lyallpur
...	...	11 8	11 —	13 —	13 —	16 —	15 8	6 8	6 8	13 4	11 8	Multan
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 8	12 8	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	5 —	5 —	4 5	4 5	12 8	14 8	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 8	..	..	11 12	12 8	Hazára
...	...	10 6	9 2	12 4	12 4	15 —	16 15	9 2	9 2	20 8	20 2	Peshávar
...	...	10 —	10 —	11 13	11 15	14 13	14 13	...	...	21 11	21 11	Kohát
...	...	...	...	12 5	12 8	18 12	20 —	...	...	21 6	24 1	Bannu
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	12 8	13 8	...	...	20 —	22 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 —	17 —	...	...	18 —	20 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	14 —	14 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	13 —	15 —	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	..	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Karáchi
...	.	...	..	11 —	10 8	...	...	6 4	6 —	16 —	20 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 12	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	..	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 1	9 2 to 11 7	9 2 to 11 7	6 2 to 6 10	6 2 to 6 10	15 7	16 —	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
14 7	14 7	...	...	9 10	10 1	...	...	6 12	6 12	16 7	16 7	Karwar
10 2	10 13	...	...	9 7	8 12	...	...	6 12	6 5	18 3	18 3	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 5	6 5	17 9	17 9	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	...	9 10	9 10	...	...	6 14	6 2	15 10	15 10	Bombay
10 12	10 12	...	...	9 6	9 6	...		5 15	5 15	17 14	17 14	Thanna
												Deccan and Karnáták—
...	...	...	...	10 5	10 5	...	...	7 15	7 15	12 3	12 8	Dharwar
16 13	17 14	...	...	10 4	10 8	...	...	7 5	7 5	17 13	16 14	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	12 11	12 11	...	...	9 9	8 14	15 4	15 4	Satara
...	...	...	...	11 14	10 3	...	...	8 6	8 6	16 8	15 —	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 15	...	...	7 14	7 14	17 11	17 11	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 1	10 1	...	...	6 14	6 14	15 15	15 15	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 5	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 12	13 12	Ahmednagar
16 2	16 2	...	...	11 8	10 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	15 7	15 7	Násik
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	7 9	7 9	14 —	14 —	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 15	10 15	...	...	7 14	7 14	15 15	15 15	Jalgáon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	11 2	10 10	...	...	5 12	5 12	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	21 5	21 5	Broach
15 —	15 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	24 —	24 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 12	6 12	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	22 —	22	Ahmedabad
20 —	17 8	...	...	13 —	12 —	...	...	6 8	6 —	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	6 —	6 —	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	30 —	30 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	8 8	7 7	15 12	15 12	Nimar
...	...	...	...	12 12	14 15	...	...	9 2	9 2	16 —	16 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 2	...	...	7 15	7 15	14 —	14 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 5	...	...	7 15	7 15	13 —	13 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 6	9 6	17 —	17 —	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER 1916—*concluded*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Central Provinces—*continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	9 9	9 9	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 13	6 13	16 —	16 —	...	...
Saugor	10 4	10 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 8	8 8	17 —	17 —	...	...
Damoh	11 1	11 11	...	...	6 11	6 11	9 —	7 11	20 12	20 12	...	...
Jubbulpore	10 8	10 6	...	...	6 —	5 8	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Mandla	12 —	13 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	10 12	10 12	...	...	7 4	7 —	11 —	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bálághát	10 10	10 10	...	...	5 7	5 7	9 10	9 10	...	...	...	...
Bhandára	9 13	10 11	...	...	...	...	8 15	9 14	20 3	20 3	...	...
Chánda	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	17 13	17 13	...	...
Eastern—												
Biláspur	11 11	11 11	...	...	9 2	9 2	11 11	10 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Drug	11 —	11 —	...	...	9 —	8 8	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	10 11	11 6	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 6	6 6	21 10	21 10	...	...
Akola	9 11	9 11	...	...	3 10	4 8	7 14	7 14	21 —	21 —	...	...
Amráoti	9 12	9 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	18 8	19 4	...	...
Yeotmal	9 15	9 15	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 10	8 10	21 —	21 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	7 9	7 9	9 —	9 —	4 1	4 1	9 1	8 5	14 —	14 —	15 1	17 9
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 15	...	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 5	13 5	10 4	10 12
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 11	17 3	...	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	16 10	16 10	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	18 7
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	16 8	16 5	...	...
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godávari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	22 —	22 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 6	11 6	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 1	13 1	11 8	11 8
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	12 8	12 8	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 11	8 4	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	18 —	11 10
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	12 5	12 5
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 15	13 12	12 5	11 10
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 11	13 5	14 2	11 10	11 10
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 —	11 —	...	...
Mysore—												
Mysore	8 —	7 8	6 —	5 12	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Bangalore	7 —	7 —	8 6	8 6	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	5 4	5 8	7 4	7 12	...	...	...	...
Aden	5 1	5 1	...	...	4 4	4 4	4 10	5 1	9 5	8 15	8 —	8 —

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Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
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												Central Provinces—*continued*
												Central—
...		...	...	12 15	12 15	..	...	7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 12	...	...	6 12	6 12	14 —	14 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 11	...	..	6 8	6 8	14 —	14 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 8	...	...	8 8	8 —	15 —	14 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 1	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 —	13 —	Seoni
...	...	...	..	11 8	11 8	..	.	7 13	7 13	10 13	10 13	Bálághát
..	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	...	...	7 9	7 9	10 11	11 11	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	8 12	10 —	13 13	14 14	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	..	.	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	9 14	9 14	10 11	10 11	Biláspur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	15 —	Raipur
...	..	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	7 8	13 —	13 8	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	13 9	12 9	...	...	7 11	7 11	14 5	14 5	Buldána
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	.	...	8 6	8 6	11 6	14 —	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	9 12	9 12	16 —	17 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 1	9 1	15 11	15 11	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad—
18 4	18 4	...	...	10 8	10 1[illegible]	...	..	11 4	11 4	11 7	12 —	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 11	17 6	Malabar
...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	15 11	15 11	S. Canara
												South, central—
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 7	16 7	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	12 13	12 13	Nilgiris
15 9	...	...	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	15 5	16 3	Salem
												Central—
16 13	16 13	...	..	...	..	..	..	...	..	16 14	16 14	Bellary
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	18 3	15 10	Anantapur
16 2	16 4	...	...	...	...	.	.	...	...	14 3	14 8	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 4	14 6	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
15 15	15 15	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	17 5	16 13	Ganjam
14 13	14 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	16 —	18 —	Vizagapatam
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 2	20 2	Guntur
12 14	12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 14	12 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 14	23 4	Madras
12 12	11 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	22 6	20 8	Chingleput
16 4	14 13	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	18 —	20 —	N. Arcot
12 9	14 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 1	17 4	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
14 13	14 12	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 6	18 6	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
15 9	15 9	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 13	Tinnevelly
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	19 6	19 6	Madura
												Mysore—
16 —	16 —	..	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	6 12	14 —	14 —	Mysore
15 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
17 8	17 —	...	...	17 —	16 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 8	Coorg
...	...	...	...	7 11	8 —	...	...	6 1	6 3	32 —	32 —	**Aden**—

WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE SECOND HALF OF OCTOBER 1916.

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Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5
	Aligarh	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 3
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 13 7
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0
	Cuttack	4 5 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5
	Index Numbers (a).	100	100	102	103	104	105

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

NOTE—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs.

Fortnight ending										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 6 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0
3 12 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0
4 13 6	5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4
4 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5
5 5 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5
3 11 6	3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121

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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (White)*	5 4 3	4 12 3	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissy).	4 15 2	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 3 6	4 13 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0
Punjab	Lahore	4 13 6	4 3 3	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 6
	Ferozepur	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Lyallpur	4 10 0	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0
	Amritsar	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 7 9	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0
	Multan	4 6 0	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 6	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0
	Ambala	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6
Delhi	Delhi	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 15 3	4 13 11	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5
	Aligarh	4 8 8	4 3 6	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5
	Cawnpore	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0
	Meerut	4 8 6	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Agra	4 11 3	4 7 1	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1
	Fyzabad	4 9 2	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0
	Lucknow	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0
	Jubbulpore	4 3 2	4 8 2	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10
	Akola	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 8 7	4 8 7	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 2 0	4 15 6	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3
Bombay	Poona	5 7 10	5 6 2	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4
	Ahmednagar	4 [illegible] 1	...	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0
	Dharwar	3 3 5	3 7 0	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 10 0	4 8 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0
	Cuttack	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
	Mandalay	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 11 3	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2
	Index Numbers (a)	114	109	103	104	104	106

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*contd.*

Fortnight ending									
15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 6 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 8	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0
...	...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 6 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4
4 12 0	4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 C	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0
4 0 0	4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0
4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0
3 14 0	4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6
4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0
4 5 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0
4 6 5	4 6 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3
4 9 4	4 7 5	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 1 0	4 14 0	5 0 0
4 3 6	4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0
4 2 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3
4 7 1	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4
4 9 6	4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8
4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 5 10	4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7
4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7
4 7 2	4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5
3 15 7	3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10
3 13 4	4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2
4 0 5	3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6
5 4 1	5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11
4 13 9	4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8
4 12 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4
3 8 1	3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9
4 8 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 8 0	4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0
4 10 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0
4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3
5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7
4 7 1	4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 8	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7
107	108	114	111	114	116	115	117	118	117

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Port (*a*)	Karachi (white)*	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9
	*Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 8 9
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0
Punjab	Lahore	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0
	Ferozepur	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9
	Lyallpur	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6
	Amritsar	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0
	Multan	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0
	Ambala	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0
Delhi	Delhi	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2
	Aligarh	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0
	Cawnpore	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0
	Meerut	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6
	Agra	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4
	Fyzabad	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6
	Lucknow	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2
	Jubbulpore	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2
	Raipur	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	...	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2
	Akola	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11
	Ahmednagar	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10
	Amedabad	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0
	Dharwar	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 8	3 0 10	2 15 11
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Bhagalpur	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0
	Ranchi	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0
	Cuttack	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9
Bengal	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1
	(Median Average)	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0
	Index Numbers (*b*)	117	118	117	117	114	113	101	95	92

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 80% red.
(*a*) Prices at ports after 31st October 1916.

Ports	Rate per	On 3rd November 1916.	On 10th November 1916.	On 17th November 1916.	On 24th November 1916.
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 8 9	4 9 9	4 9 3	4 11 9
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy.)	"	4 10 2	4 10 2	4 9 6	4 14 7
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 12 0

(*b*) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82$\frac{2}{7}$ lbs—concld.

Fortnight ending													
30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	On 15th October 1916	On 31st October 1916.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 31st October 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 7 3	+4
4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	+2
4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	*Nil*
3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	+3
3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	+5
3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	+5
3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	+1
3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	*Nil*
3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	—2
3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	*Nil*
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	+8
4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	—1
3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	+5
3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	*Nil*
3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	—3
4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	*Nil*
3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	—2
3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	*Nil*
4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	*Nil*
3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	—1
3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	*Nil*
3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2	—3
3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	+4
4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	+5
4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 3 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7	*Nil*
3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	-1
4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	+2
3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	+10
4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	+6
4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	+6
3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	*Nil*
5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	*Nil*
4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	*Nil*
5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	*Nil*
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
4 8 1	4 8 1	4 12 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 11 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	*Nil*
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	+1
92	92	92	92	90	93	92	94	97	97	95	94	94	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 31st October as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915 :—

	1916.			1915.		
	15th October.	31st October.	Increase or Decrease.	15th October.	31st October.	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	101	+1	100	102	+2
Punjab . .	100	102	+2	100	99	—1
United Provinces .	100	100	*Nil*	100	101	+1
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	100	*Nil*	100	103	+3

B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8
7 8	6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12
9 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12
10 0	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12
10 4	9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0
9 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4
9 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12
9 12	7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0
8 8	8 6	8 1½	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4
8 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0
8 8	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0
8 12	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14
9 8	8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4
9 8	8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2
8 4	8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15
8 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4
9 8	8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0
7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2
9 13	9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2½	7 4½	7 1	7 8½
6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2
7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0
10 0	9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8
9 0	8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8
8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0
7 14	7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9
7 8	7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12
112	120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 0	9 0	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12
	Ferozepur	8 0	9 8	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12
	Amritsar	7 14	8 8	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0
	Rawalpindi	8 12	8 14	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12
	Lyallpur	8 8	9 8	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12
	Multan	9 0	10 4	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4
	Ambala	7 8	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6
Delhi	Delhi	7 12	9 0	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0
United Provinces.	Benares	7 13	7 13	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8
	Cawnpore	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Meerut	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8
	Agra	8 0	8 8	...	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8
	Lucknow	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	8 2	8 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4
	Shahjahanpur	8 12	9 10	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14
	Fyzabad	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 15	8 15	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Akola	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	7 13	8 1	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0
Bombay	Poona	6 13	7 2	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8
	Bhagalpur	8 12	8 14	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	8 14
	Muzaffarpur	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0
	Cuttack	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5
	(Median Average)	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers(a)	116	112	106	106	108	109	112

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* [**The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.**]

Fortnight ending										
31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 8	5 3	5 8
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8
10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 13	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12
8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0
8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4
8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4
9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0
8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14
8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6
9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11
10 2	9 13½	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8	9 0½	8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½
7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3
7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14
8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0
10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0
8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4
7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14
8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
112	118	116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0
	Bombay*	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8
	Ferozepore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Amritsar	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12
	Rawalpindi	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0
	Lyallpur	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0
	Multan	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4
	Ambala	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8
Delhi	Delhi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0
United Provinces	Benares	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8	8 15
	Cawnpore	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	9 8	10 0	10 8
	Meerut	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0
	Agra	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4
	Lucknow	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0
	Aligarh	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Shahjahanpur	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12
	Fyzabad	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11
	Jubbulpore	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4
	Raipur	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4
	Akola	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1
Bombay	Poona	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0
	Muzaffarpur	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0
	Ranchi	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0
	Cuttack	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 8	9 3	9 13
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12
	(Median Average)	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 0½	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Index Numbers (a)	120	120	118	116	106	96	96	96

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* **[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]**

	Fortnight ending												
	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	On 31st October 1916.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th October 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	*Nil*
	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	*Nil*
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0	9 12	+2
	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 8	+2
	12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12	10 9	+2
	10 12	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6	10 10	−2
	12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11	10 0	+7
	12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 4	*Nil*
	11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4	10 4	*Nil*
	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8	+8
	...	9 12	9 12		9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10	9 10	*Nil*
	10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	*Nil*
	9 4	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	*Nil*
	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
	11 0	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	*Nil*
	12 8	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	10 12	−1
	11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12	10 0	−2
	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	*Nil*
	11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 8	−1
	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	*Nil*
	10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	*Nil*
	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14	+3
	9 1	9 0¼	9 0	9 0	9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6	8 8	8 1½	+5
	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6	8 6	*Nil*
	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5	10 5	*Nil*
	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 8	+6
	10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	*Nil*
	10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	+4
	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5	9 6	+10
	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	*Nil*
	9 13	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	*Nil*
	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 12	*Nil*
	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
	92	96	96	92	94	96	96	98	97	96	96	96	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 31st October as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915 :—

	1916.			1915.		
	15th October	31st October	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	15th October.	31st October.	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	100	*Nil*	100	102	+2
Punjab . .	100	101	+1	100	99	−1
United Provinces.	100	99	−1	100	102	+2
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	99	−1	100	103	+3

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	Karachi. White (5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red). Price.	Karachi. White. Index Numbers.	Karachi. Red (5% barley, 3% dirt and 92% red). Price.	Karachi. Red. Index Numbers.	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pussy). Price.	Bombay. Index Numbers.	Calcutta (Club No. 2). Price.	Calcutta. Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9½	100
„ 6th August „	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
„ 3rd September „	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
„ 1st October „	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
„ 5th November „	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½	120
„ 3rd December „	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
„ 30th „ „	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
„ 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
„ 4th February „	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
„ 25th „ „	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
„ 4th March „	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
„ 1st April „	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
„ 6th May „	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
„ 3rd June „	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
„ 2nd July „	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	..	35 10½	103
„ 23rd „ „	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
„ 6th August „	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
„ 27th „ „	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
„ 3rd September „	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
„ 29th „ „	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
„ 8th October „	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
„ 5th November „	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
„ 3rd December „	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
„ 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
„ 4th February „	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
„ 3rd March „	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
„ 7th April „	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
„ 5th May „	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
„ 12th „ „	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
„ 2nd June „	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
„ 9th „ „	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	33 11	95
„ 16th „ „	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8	94
„ 23rd „ „	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 2	92
„ 30th „ „	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
„ 7th July „	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
„ 14th „ „	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
„ 21st „ „	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8	94
„ 28th „ „	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96
„ 4th August „	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
„ 11th „ „	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
„ 18th „ „	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½	99
„ 25th „ „	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
„ 31st „ „	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2	111	33 4½	96
„ 8th September „	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
„ 15th „ „	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½	98
„ 22nd „ „	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
„ 29th „ „	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
„ 5th October „	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...	...
„ 13th „ „	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
„ 20th „ „	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
„ 27th „ „	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
„ 3rd November „	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
„ 10th „ „	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
„ 17th „ „	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	112	36 10	106
„ 24th „ „	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10	109

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi.		Red Karachi.		Delhi.		Choice White Bombay.		Club No. 1.		Club No. 2.	
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-August.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st August „	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October „	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November „	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December „	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th „ „	Nominal	...	...	...	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	10
30th „ „	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	10
8th January 1915	52 3 May-June.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	10
4th February „	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th „ „	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	12
4th March „	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	11
8th April „	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	12
6th May „	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	12
12th „ „	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 June-July.	126	64 3 Do.	127	68 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June „	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	12
2nd July „	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	10
23rd „ „	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	11
6th August „	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	1[illegible]
27th „ „	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	11
3rd September „	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th September 1915 to 18th April 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June „	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th „ „	57 0 June-July.	144	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd „ „	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th „ „	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 29th June to 7th July '16.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-August.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	59 0 July-August.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	61 3 July-Aug. sellers	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th August „	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th „ „	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th „ „	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25th „ „	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st „ „	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September „	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th „ „	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	71 0 Oct. sellers.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October „	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th „ „	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st „ „	75 6 Oct.-Nov. sellers	191	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th „ „	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November „	79 0 paid	200	Do.	...	79 6 sellers.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th „ „	80 0 passage.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Nominal.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th „ „	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th „ „	81 0 paid	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...

COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 2 of 1916-17

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 30th September, 1916.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs. each) (a)	Percentage to total for India (a)	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Total quantity pressed from 1st September to date (bales of 400 lbs. each) — Current year	Total quantity pressed from 1st September to date (bales of 400 lbs. each) — Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda			194	23	5,532	7,509	19,215
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)			167	...	...	...	...
Madras			55	22	(b)5,915	17,139	27,656
Punjab (including Native States)			92	4	193	193	1,216
United Provinces			80	12	351	684	1,911
Sind			16	1	86	86	...
Burma			16	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa			...	...	...	...	...
Bengal			3	1	10	10	519
Assam			...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province			1	...	...	...	...
Ajmer-Merwara			14	...	...	...	...
Delhi			1	...	...	...	...
Hyderabad			41	...	...	...	1,829
Central India			32	...	...	...	...
Rajputana			10	2	3,915	3,915	1,597
Mysore			3	...	...	...	904
TOTAL			725	65	16,002	29,536	54,847

(a) Preliminary estimates of the outturn of the cotton crop of the season 1916-17 will not be available until the third week of December.

(b) Figures for the weeks ending 23rd and 30th September, 1916.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 30th September, 1916.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Total quantity received from 1st September to date (bales of 400 lbs. each)	
				Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	177	65	12,794	18,243	510
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States) . . .	10	5	151	152	1,854
Madras	11	8	(a)4,879	12,934	12,817
Punjab	3	2	1,136	1,667	1,715
United Provinces . .	15	3	22	66	3,171
Sind	3	...	...	...	...
Bengal	10	6	2,290	6,134	6,473
Ajmer-Merwara . . .	2	...	...	...	...
Delhi	2	2	62	132	2,674
Hyderabad	3	1	..	...	...
Central India	3	1	373	744	788
Rajputana	1	...	...	...	...
Mysore	2	...	...	...	559
TOTAL .	245	93	21,707	40,072	30,561

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotto coming through the presses not being taken into account, as th is is included in statement I.

(a) Figures for the weeks ending 23rd and 30th September, 1916.

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No. 57.—With reference to Legislative Department Notification No. 55, dated the 2nd November, 1916, Mr. Satish Chandra Gupta, Bar.-at-Law, Legal Assistant, Legislative Department, is granted an extension of privilege leave for one week.

The 29th November, 1916.

No. 58.—Whereas the validity of the election of the Hon'ble Mr. Mahomed Ali Jinnah by the Muhammadan Community in the Presidency of Bombay to be an Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council has been brought in question under Regulation XVI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the Governor General in Council having made inquiry into the matter is pleased hereby to declare that the said Hon'ble Mr. Mahomed Ali Jinnah was duly elected.

No. 59.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 64 (1) of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, Ch. 61), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Wednesday, the 7th February, 1917, at 11 A.M. as the time, and the Council Chamber in the Imperial Secretariat, Delhi, as the place, for a meeting of the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 60.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Charles Ernest Low, C.I.E., of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

POLICE.

Delhi, the 30th November 1916.

No. 189-C.—The services of Captain J. Turner, 114th Mahrattas, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma for employment in the Burma Military Police with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties.

ORDER.

(POLITICAL.)

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 3203.—With reference to and in continuation of the Home Department Order no. 2068, dated the 1st July 1916, the Governor General in Council, for the reasons stated in the aforesaid order, is pleased to declare, under section 9 of Bengal Regulation III of 1818, that the additional estates and lands, described in the schedule hereto annexed, belonging to Kunwar Mahendra Partab Singh, son of the late Raja Ganaham Singh Bahadur and adopted son of the late Raja Har Narayan Singh, have been attached, and to direct that the same shall be held and managed as provided by section 10 of the said Regulation.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Name of villages and buildings.	Extent of share.	Rent roll.	Revenue.	Situation.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs.	Rs. A.		
1	Patti Savant	20 Bis	1,200	638 0	District Aligarh.	
2	Tochigarh	Muafi	210	12 0 cess	Ditto.	
3	Sokhna	Ditto	125	5 8 „	Ditto.	
4	Gadhi Qandhari	Ditto	55	3 0 „	Ditto.	
5	Bala Patti Shekh Jafar	Ditto	84	5 0 „	Ditto.	
6	Gadhi Garab	Ditto	12	0 5 „	Ditto.	
7	Ellenborough Hotel, Rajpur.	......	...	... ..	District Debra Dun.	
8	A house Dharma, Rajpur Road.	......	...	......	Ditto.	

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Delhi, the 29th November 1916.

No. 427.—The Reverend W. L. P. Shaw, a Senior Chaplain on the Bengal (Lucknow) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is permitted to retire from the service with effect from the 7th January 1917.

The 30th November 1916.

No. 434.—The following clergymen have been appointed to be temporary Chaplains on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment, Church of Scotland:—

1. The Reverend George H. Jamie, M.A., with effect from the 16th November 1916.
2. The Reverend Hugh Clark McColl, M.A., Acting Chaplain, Church of Scotland, Kurseong, with effect from the date he assumes charge of his duties.

Their services are placed at the disposal of the Army Department.

No. 436.—The Reverend George A. Mackeggie, M.A., B.D., of the Church of Scotland Mission, Sialkot, is appointed to be a temporary Chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment, Church of Scotland. His services are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab.

EDUCATION.

The 30th November 1916.

No. 1029.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub-section (1), clause (c) and section 10 of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to nominate the following gentlemen to be Ordinary Fellows of the University:—

1. Lieutenant-Colonel R. P. Wilson, F.R.C.S., D.P.H., I.M.S.
2. Dr. Kedar Nath Das, M.D.
3. The Hon'ble Rai Bahadur Dvarika Nath, B.A., LL.B.

No. 1031.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub-section (1), clause (c) and section 10 of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to nominate the following gentlemen to be Ordinary Fellows of the University with effect from the 8th December 1916:—

1. Rai Upendra Nath Brahmachari, Bahadur, M.A., M.D., Ph.D.
2. Sir Kailaschandra Bose, Rai Bahadur, Kt., C.I.E., L.M.S.
3. Mr. J. N. Das Gupta, B.A.
4. Dr. P. J. Brühl, D.Sc., F.C.S., F.G.S., I.S.O.
5. The Hon'ble Nawab Saiyid Nawab Ali Chaudhuri, Khan Bahadur.
6. Mr. F. W. Sudmersen, B.A.
7. Mr. H. Lambert, M.A.

GENERAL.

The 29th November 1916.

No. 768.—Mr. G. R. Kaye, Curator, Bureau of Education, is granted privilege leave for three months with furlough for three months with effect from the 8th December 1916.

No. 769.—Mr. G. E. Jackson, Assistant, Department of Education, is appointed to officiate as Curator, Bureau of Education, *vice* Mr. G. R. Kaye, with effect from the 8th December 1916.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

The 28th November 1916.

No. 528.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease at Srirangam in the Trichinopoly taluk of the Trichinopoly district, Madras Presidency, if persons from the Mysore State and the city of Bombay are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Vaikuntha Ekadasi festival.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (1), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Trichinopoly Junction, Trichi Palakarai, Trichinopoly Fort, Srirangam Road, Murungappettai, Tiruchchandurai Elamanur, Perugamani Solagampatti, Tondamanpatti, Tiruverumbur, Manjattidal, Punggudi, and Kolatur on the South Indian Railway shall be sold from the 21st December 1916 to the 14th January 1917 (both days inclusive), within the Mysore State and the city of Bombay to any person intending or believed to be intending to proceed to the Vaikuntha Ekadasi festival at Srirangam.

The 29th November 1916.

No. 529.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease at Trivellore in the Trivellore Taluk of the Chingleput District, Madras Presidency, if persons from the Mysore State are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Brahmotsavam Festival of Sri Viraraghavaswami.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (1) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Tinnanur, Sevvapet Road, Trivellore, Kadambattur, Manur and Tiruvelangadu on the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway shall be sold from the 14th January to the 27th January 1917 (both days inclusive) within the Mysore State to any person intending or believed to be intending to proceed to the Brahmotsavam Festival at Trivellore.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 28th November 1916.

No. 28.—In supersession of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 21, dated the 24th August 1916, Mr A. M Rouse, C.I.E., Superintendent of Works, Delhi, is appointed to the rank of Superintending Engineer, class 3, sub. *pro tem.*, with effect from the afternoon of the 9th August 1916, *vice* Mr. L. W. Lewis, Superintending Engineer, whose services have been placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief

The 1st December 1916.

No. 29.—Mr. W. J. Drake, I.S.O., Registrar, Government of India, Public Works Department, is appointed to act as Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, in addition to his own duties, during the absence of Mr. J. E. Lacey, I.S.O., granted privilege leave for 3 months with effect from the 1st December 1916.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 1st December 1916.

No. 30.—Mr. D. G. Harris, Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, is appointed to be Secretary to the Public Works Department Reorganisation Committee, with effect from the 29th November 1916. Pending further orders, Mr. Harris will continue to discharge the duties of Under Secretary in the Public Works Department in addition to those of the Secretary to the Public Works Department Reorganisation Committee.

F. C. ROSE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS

Delhi, the 27th November 1916

No. 1315-F. E.—Mr. T. R. Sadasivam has been posted as Assistant Controller, Paper Currency, Calcutta, with effect from the 18th November 1916.

No. 1316-F. E.—Mr. S. P. Varma has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, United Provinces, with effect from the 18th November 1916.

The 1st December 1916.

No. 1326-F. E.—Mr. C. H. James has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Punjab, with effect from the 23rd November 1916.

No. 1327-F. E.—Mr. E. W. Saxton, Chief Superintendent, class II, office of the Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Madras, has been granted privilege leave for one month and three days with effect from the 20th November 1916.

Mr. A. Ramaswami Aiyar, a Superintendent in the office of the Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Madras, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office with effect from the 20th November 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. Saxton.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

INCOME TAX.

The 1st December 1916.

No. 1608-F.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 38 of the Indian Income Tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel rule 9 of the rules published with the Finance and Commerce Department's Notification No. 2763, dated the 6th June 1890, and Forms B and C appended to those rules.

H. F. HOWARD,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

Delhi, the 28th November 1916.

No. 278-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), as applied to Berar, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in Part I of the rules issued with the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 1822-I. B., dated the 25th August 1911, namely :—

(1) For Rule I, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Annual returns. Forms I, II, III, IV, V and VI, respectively, for Coal, Mica and Mines other than Coal or Mica, in the Schedule hereto annexed shall be [1] filled up in duplicate by the agent, or, if there is no agent, by the owner or manager of a Coal, Mica or other Mine, as the case may be, and one copy of each shall be forwarded to the Chief Inspector of Mines and the other to the District Magistrate not later than the 21st January [2] in each year.

(2) In rule 8, for the words " Form V " the words " Form VII " shall be substituted.

(3) For the Schedule appended to the Rules, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

[1] Under section 22 (2) (b) of the Indian Mines Act, failure to forward correct returns to the Chief Inspector of Mines not later than the 21st January in each year will render the agent, owner or manager liable, on conviction, to a penalty which may extend to Rs. 500.

[2] It will greatly facilitate the preparation of the statistics if the returns are despatched as soon as possible after the close of the year.

THE SCHEDULE.

COAL MINES.

FORM I.

Annual Return for the year ending on the 31st December 19 .

1. Name of Mine ____________________

2. Postal Address of Mine ____________________

3. Date of opening ____________________

4. Date of closing (if closed) ____________________

5. Situation of Mine. { District ____________________ / Province ____________________ }

6. { Name of Owner ____________________ / Postal Address of Owner ____________________ }

7. { Name of Managing Agents (if any) ____________________ / Postal Address of Managing Agents (if any) ____________________ }

8. { Name of Agent (if any) as defined in section 3 (*a*) of the Indian Mines Act ____________________ / Postal Address of Agent ____________________ }

9. { Name of Manager ____________________ / Postal Address of Manager ____________________ }

10. Means by which coal is raised from the mine, *i.e.*, hand labour, mechanical or electrical power ____________________

FORM II.

Persons employed during the year ending on the 31st December 19 .

		DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS EMPLOYED AS CALCULATED BY DIVIDING THE AGGREGATE NUMBER OF ATTENDANCES BY THE NUMBER OF DAYS WORKED.								
		IN THE MINE.				ON SURFACE AND NOT IN THE MINE. INCLUDING ALL OFFICIALS AND PERSONS EMPLOYED ON SIDINGS, LOADING WHARVES, PRIVATE RAILWAYS AND SURFACE TRAMWAYS AND ALSO IN CASTING.				
Aggregate number of daily attendances during the year of persons permanently and temporarily employed.	Number of days worked.	Males over 12 years of age.	Females over 12 years of age.	Children under 12 years of age.	Total	Males over 12 years of age.	Females over 12 years of age.	Children under 12 years of age.	Total.	Gross total obtained by adding totals in columns 6 and 10. This should equal the number obtained by dividing the number in column 1 by the number in column 2.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Total										

FORM III.

Explosives, safety lamps and mechanical ventilators.

EXPLOSIVES.			SAFETY LAMPS.				MECHANICAL VENTILATORS.		
Name of explosive.	Quantity used in lbs.	Number of Detonators used.	Name of safety lamps.	Number of safety lamps and method of locking.			Name of mechanical ventilator.	Average total quantity of air produced per minute.	Water gauge obtained.
				Screw.	Lead rivet.	Magnetic.			
TOTAL									

FORM IV.

Output for year ending on the 31st December 19 .

Kind of coal.	Opening stocks on 1st January 19 .	Raisings (including colliery consumption and coal used for coke-making).	Value of raisings ("Value" means and should be calculated upon actual or estimated selling price into wagons at the Mine).	Despatches.	Colliery consumption (exclusive of coal used for coke-making).	Coal delivered to coking.	Closing stocks on 31st December 19 .	Coke made. Hard coke in ovens.	Coke made. Soft coke in open heaps or ovens.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Tons.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
STEAM . . .									
SLACK (including rubble and dust).									
TOTAL .									

FORM V.

Accidents and Prosecutions.

NUMBER OF SEPARATE ACCIDENTS REPORTED DURING THE YEAR.			NUMBER OF PERSONS		Number of prosecutions under the Act, with the sections under which the prosecutions were instituted and the rules violated.	Number of persons convicted under the Act, with the section under which the convictions were obtained.
Fatal.	Serious.	Total.	Killed.	Seriously injured.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
TOTAL						

FORM VI.

Epidemic Diseases.

Name of disease.	Date of appearance	Date of disappearance.	Number of cases	Number of deaths
Cholera				
Plague				
Small-pox . . .				

Signature of Agent, or, if there is no Agent, of Owner or Manager ———

(If the form is signed by Managing Agents the words "for owners" should be added.)

Date of Signature ———

I B

MICA MINES.

FORM I.

Annual Return for the year ending on the 31st December 19 .

1. Name of Mine________________

2. Date of opening________________

3. Date of closing (if closed)________________

4. Means by which mica is raised from the mine, *i.e.*, hand labour, mechanical or electrical power ________________

5. Situation of Mine. { District________________ Province________________ }

6. { Name of Owner________________ Postal Address of Owner________________ }

7. { Name of Managing Agents (if any)________________ Postal Address of Managing Agents (if any)________________ }

8. { Agent (if any) as defined in section 3 (*a*) of the Indian Mines Act________________ Postal Address of Agent________________ }

9. { Name of Manager________________ Postal Address of Manager________________ }

10. { Name of person in charge at mine________________ Postal Address of person in charge at mine________________ }

FORM II.

Persons employed during the year ending on the 31st December 19 .

		DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS EMPLOYED AS CALCULATED BY DIVIDING THE AGGREGATE NUMBER OF ATTENDANCES BY THE NUMBER OF DAYS WORKED								
		IN THE MINE.				ON SURFACE AND NOT IN THE MINE. INCLUDING ALL OFFICIALS AND PERSONS EMPLOYED ON SIDINGS, LOADING WHARVES, PRIVATE RAILWAYS AND SURFACE TRAMWAYS AND ALSO IN CARTING.				
Aggregate number of daily attendances during the year of persons permanently and temporarily employed.	Number of days worked.	Males over 12 years of age.	Females over 12 years of age.	Children under 12 years of age.	Total.	Males over 12 years of age.	Females over 12 years of age.	Children under 12 years of age.	Total.	Gross total obtained by adding totals in columns 6 and 10. This should equal the number obtained by dividing the number in column 1 by the number in column 2.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
TOTAL .										

FORM III.

Particulars of Explosives.

EXPLOSIVES.		
Name of explosive.	Quantity used in lbs.	Number of Detonators used.
TOTAL .		

FORM IV.

Output for year ending on the 31st December 19

Total amount of mica raised. The figures should be stated in cwts. and lbs.	Total value at the mine of mica raised. ("Value" means and should be calculated upon actual or estimated selling price at the mine. Any charges incurred in transporting the mica outside the mine should not be included. Figures should relate to the quantity and value of mica consigned.)
1	2
TOTAL	

FORM V.

Accidents and Prosecutions.

NUMBER OF SEPARATE ACCIDENTS REPORTED DURING THE YEAR.			NUMBER OF PERSONS		Number of prosecutions under the Act, with the sections under which the prosecutions were instituted and the rules violated.	Number of persons convicted under the Act, with the section under which the convictions were obtained.
Fatal.	Serious.	Total.	Killed.	Seriously injured.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
TOTAL						

FORM VI.

Epidemic Diseases.

Name of disease	Date of appearance.	Date of disappearance.	Number of cases.	Number of deaths.
Cholera				
Plague				
Small-pox . . .				

Signature of Agent, or, if there is no Agent, of Owner or Manager ____________

(If the form is signed by Managing Agent's the words "for owners" should be added.)

Date of Signature ____________

MINES OTHER THAN COAL OR MICA.

FORM I.

Annual return for the year ending on the 31st December 19 .

1. Name of Mine

2. Date of opening

3. Date of closing (if closed)

4. Means by which mineral is raised from the mine, *i.e.*, hand labour, mechanical or electrical power

5. Situation of Mine { District
Province

6. { Name of Owner
Postal Address of Owner

7. { Name of Managing Agents (if any)
Postal Address of Managing Agents (if any)

8. { Agent (if any) as defined in section 3 (*a*) of the Indian Mines Act
Postal Address of Agent

9. { Name of Manager
Postal Address of Manager

10. { Name of person in charge at mine
Postal Address of person in charge at mine

FORM II.

Persons employed during the year ending on the 31st December 19 .

		DAILY AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS EMPLOYED AS CALCULATED BY DIVIDING THE AGGREGATE NUMBER OF ATTENDANCES BY THE NUMBER OF DAYS WORKED.								
		IN THE MINE.				ON SURFACE AND NOT IN THE MINE, INCLUDING ALL OFFICIALS AND PERSONS EMPLOYED ON SIDINGS, LOADING WHARVES, PRIVATE RAILWAYS AND SURFACE TRAMWAYS AND ALSO IN CARTING.				
Aggregate number of daily attendances during the year of persons permanently and temporarily employed.	Number of days worked.	Males over 12 years of age.	Females over 12 years of age.	Children under 12 years of age.	Total.	Males over 12 years of age.	Females over 12 years of age.	Children under 12 years of age.	Total.	Gross total obtained by adding totals in columns 6 and 10. This should equal the number obtained by dividing the number in column 1 by the number in column 2.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
TOTAL .										

FORM III.

Particulars of Explosives.

EXPLOSIVES.		
Name of explosive.	Quantity used, in lbs.	Number of Detonators used.
TOTAL .		

FORM IV.

Output for year ending on the 31st December 19 .

Name of mineral raised and metal (if any) extracted.	Total amount of mineral raised. The figures should be stated :— (a) in the case of gem-stones in carats; (b) in the case of alum, amber, asbestos, chromite, corundum (not being gem-corundum), graphite, jadestone, steatite, tin-ore, tungsten-ore in cwts., or where the circumstances require greater particularisation in order to give an accurate estimate of small outputs, in cwts. and lbs. Output of radio-active minerals and rare minerals such as molybdenite, monazite, pitchblende, samarskite, tantalite, triplite, should be returned in cwts., or, where necessary, in cwts. and lbs.; (c) in the case of clay, limestone, magnesite, marble, phosphatic rock, salt, slate and other stone, and all metalliferous ores except those referred to in (b), in tons.	Total value at the mine of mineral raised. ("Value" means and should be calculated upon actual or estimated selling price at the mine. Any charges incurred in transporting the mineral outside the mine property should not be included.)	Quantity of metal or metals extracted at the mine. Each metal should be shown separately :— (a) in the case of gold, silver and other precious metals, in Troy ounces; (b) in the case of tin, in cwts. and fractions of cwts.; (c) in the case of other metals, in tons and fractions of tons.	Value of metal or metals extracted at the mine. The value of each metal should be shown separately.
1		3	4	5
TOTAL . .				

FORM V.

Accidents and Prosecutions.

NUMBER OF SEPARATE ACCIDENTS REPORTED DURING THE YEAR.			NUMBER OF PERSONS		Number of prosecutions under the Act, with the sections under which the prosecutions were instituted and the rules violated.	Number of persons convicted under the Act, with the section under which the convictions were obtained.
Fatal.	Serious.	Total.	Killed.	Seriously injured.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
TOTAL						

FORM VI.

Epidemic Diseases.

Name of disease.	Date of appearance.	Date of disappearance.	Number of cases.	Number of deaths.
Cholera				
Plague				
Small-pox . . .				

Signature of Agent, or, if there is no Agent, of Owner or Manager————

(If the form is signed by Managing Agents the words "for owners" should be added.)

Date of Signature————

FORM VII.

Notice of Accident.

FROM—

To—The Inspector of Mines, through the District / Sub-divisional Magistrate of

Dated *19* .

SIR,

I have the honour to furnish the following particulars of a fatal / serious accident / an accidental explosion which has occurred at the Mine :—

1. Situation of the mine. (Village, Station, District, Province.)	
2. Mineral worked	
3. Name and postal address of owner	

4. Name and sex of persons.		Age.	Occupation.
Killed.	Injured.		

5. Date and hour of accident . .	
6. Place of accident	
7. Cause and description . . .	
8. Classification of accident (1) . .	
9. Nature of injury, and, if fatal, cause of death.	

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

Owner.
Agent.
Manager.

(1) *Under one or other of the following heads, namely :—*

(1) Explosions of fire damp ; (2) falls of roof ; (3) falls of sides ; (4) in shafts (overwinding) ; (5) in shafts (ropes and chains breaking) ; (6) in shafts (whilst ascending or descending by machinery) ; (7) in shafts (falling into the shafts from the surface) ; (8) in shafts (falling from part of the way down) ; (9) in shafts (things falling from the surface) ; (10) in shafts (things falling from part of the way down) ; (11) in shafts (miscellaneous) ; (12) suffocation by gases ; (13) by explosives ; (14) irruptions of water or falling into water ; (15) haulage ; (16) by underground machinery ; (17) sundries underground ; (18) by surface machinery ; (19) surface boilers or pipes bursting ; (20) on surface railways or tramways belonging to the mine ; (21) miscellaneous on surface.

The 29th November 1916.

No. 291-D.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Dew, C.S.I., C.I.E., of the Political Department, is appointed to officiate temporarily as a Resident of the 2nd class and Revenue and Judicial Commissioner, Baluchistan, with effect from the 13th November 1916.

No. 292-D.—Captain T. G. M. Harris, of the Political Department, is posted temporarily as Political Agent, Kalat, and Political Agent in charge of the Bolan Pass, with effect from the 13th November 1916.

No. 293-D.—Mr. C. H. Gidney, Indian Civil Service, officiating in the Political Department, is posted temporarily as Assistant for Makrān to the Political Agent in Kalat and *ex-officio* Commandant of the Makran Levy Corps, with effect from the 13th November 1916.

No. 295-D.—Mr. C. L. S. Russell of the Political Department is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for nine months, with effect from the 17th November 1916, under articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 296-D.—Mr. A. T. Holme of the Political Department, on return from leave, is posted as Resident in Mewar, with effect from the 17th November 1916.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Simla, the 29th November 1916.

No. 2098-G.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. E P. J. de Brissac Oakley as Vice-Consul for Denmark at Calcutta.

The 30th November 1916.

No. 2106-G.—With reference to Notification No. 1817-G., dated the 2nd October 1916 the provisional recognition of the appointment of Mr. W. Roderick Dorsey as Consul for the United States of America at Rangoon, has been confirmed by His Majesty's Government.

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 2nd December 1916.

No. 112-C. I. D.—Whereas one Camillo Karl Polacek is interested in a certain Indenture dated the 29th day of January 1913 and expressed to be made between him and one Ratanji Jamsetji Tata of Bombay and whereas under or by virtue of the said Indenture certain rights as lessee of a property known and in the said Indenture described as the Carlton Hotel in Bombay and in certain furniture plant stock in trade and other assets connected therewith and in the said Indenture also referred to are deemed to be vested in the said Camillo Karl Polacek and whereas the said Camillo Karl Polacek is a hostile foreigner within the meaning of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916).

Now therefore the Governor General in Council in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 7 of the said Act is pleased to order that all the rights of the said Camillo Karl Polacek under the said Indenture and otherwise in the said Carlton Hotel and in the furniture plant stock in trade and other assets thereof or connected therewith do vest in the Custodian of Enemy Property for Bombay, being a Custodian appointed under the Enemy Trading Act, 1915 (XIV of 1915), and that the said Custodian do have power to assign the said rights or otherwise o deal with the said property in as full and ample manner as the said Camillo Karl Polacek could have done.

No. 113-C. I. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 7765-W.-II, dated the 26th August 1916, namely:—

After the entry "Metzker and Company" insert an entry "Polacek and Colley".

No. 114-C. I. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 11255-W. II, dated the 18th November 1916, *viz*:—

ADDITIONS.

PERSIA.

Kayanian (Rustam Kaikhosrow and Sons), Kerman.

Rustam Kaikhosrow and Sons (*alias* Kayanian), Kerman.

REMOVALS.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Petroleum Products Company of California, Inc., San Francisco, California.

No. 137-C. I. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations and additions shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, *viz*:—

(*i*) *For* the existing entry against item 58 (first column) *substitute* the following:—

Oils, all non-essential vegetable, except castor oil, coconut oil, cotton seed oil, ground-nut oil and linseed oil.

(*ii*) *Omit* the words "castor beans" against item 59.

(*iii*) *Add* the following after the word "mhowra" in item 48:—

"Castor seed and castor oil."

No. 138-C. I. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9954-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended:—

For existing sub-clause (*g*) to provise (*ii*), *substitute* the following:—

"(*g*) imports of sugar, petroleum or meat".

No. 139-C. I. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 1903-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz*:—

Additions.

Akai Yoko,	Tientsin.
Evans, D.,	"
Osawa Yoko,	"
Sin Tek Kee,	Amoy.
Tong Chee Drug Co.,	"

COMPANIES.

The 2nd December 1916.

No. 11614.—In pursuance of the proviso to sub-section (3) of section 277 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt the Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, from the requirements of sub-section (3) of the said section, provided that it files with the Registrar of the province, in which it has its principal place of business, a copy in French of the Report of the Council of Administration of the Bank containing a copy of its annual balance-sheet, together with an English translation thereof, certified in accordance with Rule 8 of the Indian Companies Rules, 1914.

(COTTON DUTIES.)

Delhi, the 2nd December 1916.

No. 133-D.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 36 of the Cotton Duties Act, 1896 (II of 1896), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the Forms A and B, annexed hereto, shall be substituted for Forms A and B appended to the rules made under the said Act, which were published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 864-S. R., dated the 21st February 1896, as amended by the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 2080-8, dated the 17th March 1906.

Form A.

Particulars of all cotton goods produced at——— Mill during the period beginning——— and ending———191 .

Description of goods (1).	ISSUED OUT OF THE PREMISES.		Real value.	Deduction claimed under section 15 on account of quantity warehoused in lbs.	Deduction claimed under section 19 on account of quantity exported in lbs.	Balance on which duty is now leviable.
	Weight lbs.	Yards or dozens.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
PART I. *Grey and bleached piece-goods.* (To be reported in lbs. and yards and bleached to be distinguished from grey goods.)						
1. Chadars						
2. Dhuties						
3. Drills and jeans . .						
4. Cambrics and lawns . .						
5. Printers						
6. T. Cloth, domestics and sheetings.						
7. Shirtings and longcloth .						
8. Tent cloth . . .						
9. Other sorts . . .						
PART II. *Coloured piece-goods.* (To be reported in lbs. and yards.)						
1. Chadars						
2. Lungis and dhuties . .						
3. Drills and jeans . .						
4. Greys, dyed . . .						
5. Coloured striped saris and susis.						
6. Cotton tweeds and checks .						
7. Other sorts . . .						
PART III. *Grey and coloured goods other than piece-goods.* (To be reported in lbs. and dozens, and grey, bleached and coloured goods of each description to be distinguished.)						
PART IV. *Hosiery.* (To be reported in lbs. and dozens.)						
PART V. *Miscellaneous cotton goods.* (To be reported in lbs. only.) .						
PART VI. *Cotton goods mixed with silk or wool.* (To be reported in lbs. only.) .						
Total .						

(1) To be shown separately for goods of different dimensions.

I do hereby declare that I have compared the above particulars with the records and books of my mill, and that they are, in so far as I can ascertain, accurate and complete.

Dated this day of 191 .

(Signed)

(To be signed by the Millowner, Managing Agent, or other Principal officer of the mill.)

Form B.

Statement of cotton goods assessed to duty, with amount payable thereon.

Description of goods.	Weight lbs.	Real value.	Total real value.	Rate of duty payable.	Total duty payable.
1	2	3	4	5	6
Part I.-Grey and bleached piece-goods					
Part II.—Coloured piece-goods					
Part III.—Grey and coloured goods other than piece-goods.					
Part IV.—Hosiery					
Part V.—Miscellaneous cotton goods					
Part VI.—Cotton goods mixed with silk or wool.					
Total					

(Signed)

Collector.

Dated this day of 191 .

No. 135-D.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 36 of the Cotton Duties Act, 1896 (II of 1896), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that, *so far as the Bombay Presidency is concerned*, Form A annexed hereto shall be substituted for Form A prescribed by the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 133-D, dated the 2nd December 1916.

Form A.

Particulars of all cotton goods produced at mill during the period beginning and ending 191 .

1	2		3	4	5	6	7
Description of goods (1).	ISSUED OUT OF THE MILL PREMISES.		Numbers on bales (as in bale register).	Real value.	Deduction claimed under section 15 on account of quantity warehoused in lbs.	Deduction claimed under section 19 on account of quantity exported in lbs.	Balance on which duty is now leviable in lbs.
	Weight in lbs.	Yards or dozens.					
PART I. *Grey and bleached piece goods.* (To be reported in lbs. and yards and bleached to be distinguished from grey goods.)							
1. Chadars							
2. Dhuties							
3. Drills and jeans							
4. Cambrics and lawns							
5. Printers							
6. T. cloth, domestics and shootings							
7. Shirtings and longcloth							
8. Tent cloth							
9. Other sorts							
PART II. *Coloured piece goods.* (To be reported in lbs. and yards)							
1. Chadars							
2. Lungis and dhuties							
3. Drills and jeans							
4. Greys, dyed							
5. Coloured striped saris and susis							
6. Cotton tweeds and checks							
7. Other sorts							
PART III. *Grey and coloured goods other than piece goods.* (To be reported in lbs. and dozens, and grey, bleached and coloured goods of each description to be distinguished.)							
PART IV. *Hosiery.* (To be reported in lbs. and dozens)							
PART V. *Miscellaneous cotton goods.* (To be reported in lbs. only)							
PART VI. *Cotton goods mixed with silk or wool.* (To be reported in lbs. only)							
Total							

(1) To be shown separately for goods of different dimensions.

I do hereby declare that I have compared the above particulars with the records and books of my mill, and that they are, in so far as I can ascertain, accurate and complete.

Dated this day of 191 .

(Signed)

(To be signed by the Millowner, Managing Agent, or other Principal Officer of the mill.)

CUSTOMS.

The 2nd December, 1916.

No. 11729-W. II.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL,

The 23rd day of October, 1916.

BY THE LORDS OF HIS MAJESTY'S MOST HONOURABLE PRIVY COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

(b) Chronometers ;

(b) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather ;

(c) Hemp braid ;

(a) Hemp, other than Manila hemp ;

(c) Hemp, Manila ;

Hemp, the following manufactures of :—

(b) Binder and reaper twine ;

(b) Cloth ;

(b) Cordage and twine (except cordage or twine of Manila hemp, and binder or reaper twine) ;

(c) Cordage and twine of Manila hemp ;

(a) Hemp ropes, old ;

(a) Hemp waste ;

(b) Needles, hosiery ;

(b) Rubber, gutta percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly of (except rubber hose covered with steel wire) ;

(a) Rubber hose covered with steel wire ;

(b) Sheepskins, haired or woolled ;

Silk and silk manufactures, the following :—

(*b*) Broad silks of all kinds, whether all silk or of silk mixed with other yarns (except with artificial silk yarn or metal threads), in the grey or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed but unweighted;

(*a*) Silk braid, silk cloth, silk thread, suitable for cartridges;
(*b*) Schappe and spun yarns;
(*b*) Shantung silk;
(*a*) Silk noils;
(*b*) Silk, raw or thrown;
(*b*) Silk waste.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—

(*c*) Agar-agar;
(*a*) Basic slag and superphosphates;
(*b*) Binder twine (except binder twine made of Manila hemp)
(*a*) Chronometers;
(*a*) Copper wire and cables containing copper;
(*c*) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather;

Hemp and hemp manufactures, the following :—

(*a*) Italian, Russian and Manila hemp, Maguey fibre, and manufactures thereof;
(*c*) Other hemp and manufactures thereof (except binder twine);

(*b*) Needles, hosiery machine (latch and bearded);
(*c*) Quillaia bark;
(*b*) Rubber, gutta percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly of (except rubber hose, armoured or reinforced with steel or iron wire);
(*a*) Rubber hose, armoured or reinforced with steel or iron wire;
(*b*) Sheepskins, haired or woolled, and pelts;

Silk and silk manufactures, the following :—

(*a*) Cocoons;
(*a*) Raw silk and all threads, yarns and twists thereof (except thrown silk undyed);
(*a*) All threads, yarns and twists of Tussah silk and of artificial silk;
(*a*) Silk waste of all kinds (including artificial silk waste) and all threads, yarns and twists thereof, including noils and noil yarns;
(*b*) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds and widths (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials, in the grey or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted;
(*c*) Made up articles of silk or artificial silk of all kinds, whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials;

Woods, the following :—

(*c*) Poplar.

Now, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

(EXPLOSIVES.)

The 2nd December 1916.

No. 92-C.—In accordance with the provisions of section 18 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department No. 1964, dated the 2nd September 1887, the Governor General in Council is pleased to publish, for general information, the following amendment which His Excellency in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the said Act, proposes to make in the Indian Explosives Rules, 1914, published with the Notification in this Department No. 4013-33, dated the 6th June 1914.

The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor General in Council on the expiration of two months from the date of publication of this Notification in the *Gazette of India.*

Draft amendments.

1. In rule 4 of the said rules, after clause (6), the following shall be inserted as clause 6 (*a*) :—

" District Magistrate " includes, in cases where the Local Government so directs, " the Additional District Magistrate in respect of such area as such Local Government may so order."

No. 142-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the Indian Explosives Rules, 1914, published with the Notification in this Department No. 4013-33, dated the 6th June 1914 :—

I. *To* the entry against rule 97 in the list of contents prefixed to the said rules the words " and Chinese crackers " shall be added.

II. *For* rule 97 of the said rules the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Saving as to the conveyance of ammunition and Chinese crackers.

" 97. Nothing in rules 80 to 89 shall apply to ammunition (Division 1) and in the case of the transport by rail of Chinese crackers (Division 2 of class 7—Fireworks) the provisions of rule 89 may be relaxed during the period from July to March inclusive under an order of the District Traffic Officer when the number or size of consignments offering is such that in his judgment, serious delay would be caused by the observance of the rule : provided that in both instances, all due precautions shall be taken to prevent explosion."

III. For clause (*d*) of rule 134 of the said rules the following shall be substituted, namely :—

" (*d*) sporting gun-powder packed in double packages as provided in schedule IV, so long as the gun-powder is contained in tin canisters containing not more than 5 lbs. each and packed in a stout wooden case with an outer covering of tin or zinc completely spark-proof, or in metal-lined cases of a pattern approved by the Chief Inspector of Explosives. But no outer case shall contain more than 25 lbs. of of gun-powder, and the total consignment by one train shall not exceed 80 lbs."

IV. In column 1 of form II, in form I and in the first column of the table of distances appended to the said rules, below the entry " Government building " the words " Wireless station " shall be inserted.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 1st December 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1439.—Lieutenant A. Pearce, 1st Battalion, South Lancashire Regiment, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of temporary Assistant Embarkation Staff Officer, Karachi. Dated 24th October 1916.

INDIAN ARMY.

Unattached List.

No. 1440.—The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets from the Cadet College, Wellington, to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval, with a view to their appointment to the Indian Army. Dated 14th November 1916.

Alfred Beckett.
Christopher Harvey.
Norman Purkiss Robinson.
William Arthur Aitken Searle.
George Leslie Mallam.
James Gordon Elliott.
Denis Thorby Long.
Edmunds Castells.
Charles Hamilton Boucher.
Richard William Digby Wingfield.
Philip Douglas Burch.
Frank Austen Latter.
Everard Huddleston Gastrell.
Sydney Barrett Good.
George Alexander Williamson.
Andrew Milton Wells.
John Finney Stanford Wilson.
Cyril Maxwell St. Albans Campbell.
Richard Canning Dagge.
Evelyn Anthony Cave-Penney.
Keith Hatch.
William Anthony Colbourne.
Cyril Elliott Stewart.
Claude Bertram Pecker.
George Mannering Stroud.
John Pelham Acworth.
Eric Lawrence Wilson-Haffenden.
James Read.
Brien Van Dyke Havergal Shaw.
John Alec Egerton Armstrong.
Gilbert George Davis.
Michael Cox.
Vernon Alfred Monies.
George Cyril Fry.
Edward Fraser Walter.
Harold Christopher Dodds.
Bernard Ethelbert Oddie.
Percival Henry Clemes.
Ernest John Dormer.
Eric Trist Dobson.
James Roney Keogh Murphy.
Cecil Claridge Howland.
Clarence Reid Hemeon.
Francis Arthur Braddon Fisher.
Frederick William Springett Watkins.
Richard James Corner.
Edgar Richard Chetwynd-Palmer.
Alfred George Butler.
James Patrick Mearns.
John Witherow Jewell.
Geoffrey Harley Douglas Woollcombe.
Eric Essington Vosper.
Herbert Gordon Paton.
Stewart Sackville Hamilton Berkeley.
Henry Brabazon Humfrey.
William Ian Stephen.
Richard Purdon Cousens.
Cecil Cartlidge.
Percy Herbert Lewis.
Albert Edward Cashmore.
Edward Charles William Blakeney.
Harold Pigot.
John Eric Walker.
Guy Barrett Rennick.
Richard George.
Guy Edward Ross Stewart Hartigan.
Fitz-Maurice John Commerell Bloomfield.
Desmond Bloomfield Maffett.
Beaumont Astle Ryan.
Basil Francis Williams.
Thomas William Murray.
Leycester Andrew St. John Mellor.
James Wiltshire Frith.
John Harold Crown Woolley.
Stuart Hamilton Gordon.
Terence Thomas George Race.
Norman Burgan.
Hugh Vivian Collingridge.
Edward Kitton Venning Ashton.
Cecil Dryden Pritchard.
Eric Noel Harris.
Walter Scott Hogg Hearn.
Charles Edwin Laurence Harris.
Eric Henry de Carteret Martin.
William Arthur Lester James.
William Cyril Griffin Norris.
Andrew Hugh Mackie.
Frederick Cecil Barry.
Charles Richard Jessop.
William Robert Beer.
John Duncan Home Cook.
George William Doudney.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1441.—The undermentioned officer of the retired list is re-employed during the period of the war; with effect from the 26th October 1916.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Duer, M.B., F.R.C.S.

No. 1442.—The Notification which appeared in the *Gazette of India* dated the 25th November 1916 regarding the appointment of F. B. DeSouza to be a temporary Lieutenant in the Indian Medical Service should bear number 1395-A.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 1443.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Malcolm Gurney Salter. Cyril Willoughby Foster.	Dated 24th November 1916.

Infantry Branch.

Harold Beaumont.	Dated 22nd November 1916.
William Barnard. Sidney Baynes Reid. Samuel Frederick Soar.	Dated 24th November 1916.
Cyril Benjamin Maher. Arthur deCoetlogan Williams. George Henry Montague Gompertz.	Dated 25th November 1916.
Justyn Henry Warren Parkinson. Albert Hall Johnston.	Dated 27th November 1916.
Reginald Godfroy a'Wood Tayler.	Dated 29th November 1916.

No. 1444.—Gordon Oswald Down (Temporary Second Lieutenant, 2nd Garrison Battalion, The Essex Regiment) to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st December 1916, but to rank from the 13th May 1915.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1445.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Third Supplement dated the 25th October 1916 to the London Gazette of the 24th October 1916, pages 10382 and 10383.

War Office,
25th October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

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Second Reserve.

West Riding Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. Hatherell (retired Indian Army) vacates the command of a Battalion. 5th October 1916. (Substituted for notification which appeared in Gazette of 23rd September 1916.)

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Fifth Supplement dated the 26th October 1916 to the London Gazette of the 24th October 1916, pages 10401, 10403 and 10404.

War Office,
26th October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

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INFANTRY.

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Training Reserve.

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Major J. C. Keown (retired Indian Army), from South Lancashire Regiment, is appointed to a Battalion, 1st September 1916, retaining his Army seniority.

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London Gazette dated the 27th October 1916, pages 10420, 10421, 10424, 10425 and 10426.

War Office,
27th October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

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ATTACHED TO HEAD QUARTER UNITS.

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Brigade Major.

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Captain K. Barge, 17th Cavalry, Indian Army, *vice* Major E. A. Beck, D.S.O., Royal Scots Fusiliers. 6th September 1916.

Captain R. J. B. Yates, 22nd Cavalry, Indian Army, *vice* Brevet Major V. M. Fortune, D.S.O., Royal Highlanders. 17th September 1916.

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INFANTRY.

Service Battalions.

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Durham Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. E. Cheyne (Indian Army), to command a Battalion. 3rd September 1916.

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Second Supplement dated the 28th October 1916 to the London Gazette of the 27th October 1916, pages 10495 and 10496.

War Office,
28th October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

Training Reserve.

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Major C. Burrard (retired Indian Army), from Rifle Brigade, to be appointed to Battalion, 1st September 1916, retaining his Army seniority.

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Third Supplement dated the 30th October 1916 to the London Gazette of the 27th October 1916, pages 10513 and 10519.

War Office,
30th October 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

The undermentioned warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men to be 2nd Lieutenants for service in the Field :—

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INFANTRY.

Royal Lanc. Regiment.—Staff Serjeant Ernest William Guest, from Indian Ordnance Department. 16th August 1916.

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INFANTRY.

Service Battalions.

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Royal Fusiliers.

Major G. Thomas, Indian Army, to command a Battalion and to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel. 27th September 1916.

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Supplement dated the 1st November 1916 to the London Gazette of the 31st October 1916, pages 10597, 10598 and 10600.

War Office,
1st November 1916.

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CAVALRY.

Res. Regts.

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Major Henry Francis Hallifax, Nagpur Volunteer Rifles (late temporary Lieutenant, Reserve Regiments of Cavalry), to be temporary Lieutenant. 23rd October 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned Brevet Colonel to be temporary Brigadier-General :—

R. E. Vaughan, Indian Army, whilst employed as a Director of Supplies and Transport from 24th July to 15th September 1916.

R. E. Vaughan, Indian Army, whilst employed as Director of Supplies and Transport, Army Headquarters, India. 5th October 1916.

Major E. C. Alexander, D.S.O., 55th Coke's Rifles, Indian Army, to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel whilst employed as a General Staff Officer, 1st grade. 5th May 1916.

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Second Supplement dated the 1st November 1916 to the London Gazette of the 31st October 1916, pages 10617 and 10618.

War Office,
1st November 1916.

ADDITIONAL MENTIONS IN DESPATCHES.

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The following names are added to the list of officers and men mentioned for distinguished and gallant services by General Sir Charles Monro, in his despatch dated 6th March 1916 (published in the London Gazette, No. 29664, dated 13th July 1916) :—

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INDIAN ARMY.

Hartwell, Captain J. R., 4th Gurkha Rifles.

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EAST AFRICAN DESPATCHES.

Supplement to the London Gazette 30th June 1916. (No. 29618.)

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Under 129th Baluchis (page 6566).
For O'Neil, Captain H. J. D., 127th Baluchis
read O'Neill, Captain H. J. D., 127th Baluchis.

Under 130th Baluchis (page 6566).
For Blandford, 2nd Lieutenant A. W., I.A.R.O.
read Blanford, 2nd Lieutenant A. W., I.A.R.O.

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1446.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Captain to be temporary Major.

17th November 1916.

Geoffrey Francis Hastings, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force)

No. 1447.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

29th November 1916.

John Grahame Edwardes, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Herbert Andrews Newell, Supply and Transport Corps.

Philip Norman Leslie, Cantonment Magistrates' Department.
Patrick Charles Robertson Barclay, 122nd Rajputana Infantry.
George Benedict Molyneau Sarel, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Alexander Henry Gouger Thomson, 30th Punjabis.
Ernest Francis Knox, 36th Sikhs.
John Cecil Cortlandt Angelo, Supernumerary List.
Norman Sinclair Coghill, Supernumerary List.
Archibald Ythen Cheyne, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1448.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Lionel William Middleton.	Dated 5th April 1915.
Claud Lestock Reid. Claud William Collyes Benfield. Edward Enfield Lawford.	Dated 30th July 1915.
Lionel Armand Rayneau. Harold Fairweather. Arthur Lloyd Danby. Kenneth Yates. Frederick Ewart Robertson. Newell Budd Wilson. Garnet Beauchamp Walter. Harold Reginald West Watson. Charles Melvill Buck.	Dated 30th August 1915.
Harold Gordon Monks.	Dated 2nd October 1915.
Alfred Gordon Iles.	Dated 24th October 1915.
Leonard Alfred Glasspool. George William Fulcher.	Dated 2nd December 1915.
Frederick Charles Guthrie.	Dated 24th December 1915.
Harry James Leigh Leigh-Clare.	Dated 6th January 1916.
Frederick Garnet Webster.	Dated 11th March 1916.
Wellesley St. George Ashe. Vaughan Lascelles Wynyary-Wright.	Dated 11th May 1916.
Newton Streatfield.	Dated 16th May 1916.
Eric Ray Burton. Joseph Cornelius Jerome O'Connor.	Dated 19th May 1916.
John Myddleton Ashcroft. Arthur Edward Francis Wood.	Dated 26th May 1916.
Hubert Cecil Jones.	Dated 24th July 1916.
Charles Gordon Deacon.	Dated 28th July 1916.
James Alexander Brown.	Dated 30th July 1916.
John Howard Carpenter. Malcolm Theodore Lysaght Newington. John Robert Lloyd Shee.	Dated 3rd August 1916.
John Seymour Eyton.	Dated 13th August 1916.

No. 1449.—The following corrections are made to Army Department Notification No. 978, dated the 25th August 1916 :—

Against the name of Noel Meeson Morris, *for* "29th April 1915" *read* "16th April 1915".

Against the name of Theobald Seymour Stewart Martin, *for* "7th August 1915" *read* "6th August 1915".

Against the name of Ralph William Fremlin, *for* "28th October 1915" *read* "27th October 1915".

Against the name of Noel Henry Franklin Hammett, *for* "2nd July 1916" *read* "1st July 1916".

Against the name of Arthur Francis Dickson, *for* "24th April 1916" *read* "1st June 1916".

Against the name of Reginald Percy Nugent Swayne, *for* "25th October 1915" *read* "4th May 1916".

The following corrections are made to Army Department Notification No. 649, dated the 9th June 1916 :—

Against the name of Thomas Cooper, *for* "5th April 1915" *read* "10th April 1915".

Against the name of John Fraser Follitt, *for* "25th October 1915" *read* "31st October 1915".

Against the name of Robert Lysle Warren Herrick, *for* "2nd September 1915" *read* "30th August 1915".

Against the name of John Fattes Falconer, *for* "2nd September 1915" *read* "30th August 1915".

Against the name of Roy Alfred Rice, *for* "8th February 1915" *read* "8th July 1915".

The following correction is made to Army Department Notification No. 1037, dated the 8th September 1916 :—

Against the name of John Edward Gately, *for* "17th July 1916" *read* "14th July 1916".

The following corrections are made to Army Department Notification No. 1068, dated the 15th September 1916 :—

Against the name of Frederic Hugh Rust, *for* "30th July 1916" *read* "30th August 1915".

Against the name of Charles Kenneth Nicholl, *for* "30th August 1916" *read* "30th July 1915".

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 1450.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 30th April 1916 :—

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant Martyrose Mackertich Owen John Apcar to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Captain,

First class Assistant Surgeon Joseph Pierre Montgomery to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Lieutenant,

vice Captain G. O. Weston, taken prisoner of war.

First class Assistant Surgeon William Lindfield Brookes (seconded) to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Lieutenant and to remain *seconded*,

First class Assistant Surgeon William Calderwood McMillan, to be Senior Assistant Surgeon, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant,

vice Lieutenant P. E. O'Donoghue, taken prisoner of war.

No. 1451.—The following promotions are made :—

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant Reginald Alexander Boermel, *seconded*, to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, and to remain *seconded*.

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant William St. Michael Hefferman, D. T. M. (Supernumerary), *seconded*, to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Captain (Supernumerary), subject to His Majesty's approval, and to remain *seconded*.

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant Ernest Arnim Carapiet Griffiths to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

First class Assistant Surgeons
William Thomas Kidby,
Ernest George Albert Matthews,
Arthur Ambrose Emmanuel Baptist, L.S.A. (Lond.),
} *seconded*,

to be Senior Assistant Surgeons with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, and to remain *seconded*.

First class Assistant Surgeon Edwin Victor Duckworth (Supernumerary Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Lieutenant) is absorbed in the rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval,

vice Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain H. W. Foscholo, retained as supernumerary on attaining the age of 55 years with effect from the 5th November 1916.

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant Charles James Fox (Supernumerary Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Captain), *seconded*, is absorbed in the rank of Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval and to remain *seconded*.

Senior Assistant Surgeons and Honorary Lieutenants
James Francis Fleming,
Edwin Joseph Murphy,
Robert Gunn Babonau,
Harry George Charles Mills, } *seconded,*
to be Senior Assistant Surgeons with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, and to remain *seconded.*

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant Edward Gerald Alfred Prins to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

First class Assistant Surgeons
Alexander Douglas Cunningham Perdrian
John Gustavus Thomas Matthews,
Edwin Augustus Picachy,
William Jeremiah Phillips Martin, } *seconded,*
to be Senior Assistant Surgeons, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, and to remain *seconded.*

First class Assistant Surgeon Charles John Augustus Meneaud to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval, *vice* Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain C. H. Orman, retained as supernumerary on attaining the age of 55 years, with effect from the 6th November 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1452.—The following promotions are made :—

20th Deccan Horse.

Quartermaster Dafadar Bhawani Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th May 1916; to complete the establishment.

35th Scinde Horse.

Risaldar Muhammad Azim Khan to be Risaldar-Major, with effect from the 15th November 1916; *vice* Chaman Khan, *Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment.

37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).

Ressaidar Khan Alam Khan to be Risaldar, Jemadar Khaliqdad Khan to be Ressaidar and Kot-Dafadar Chattar Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th July 1916; to complete the establishment.

39th King George's Own Central India Horse.

Ressaidar Natha Singh to be Risaldar and Jemadar Fauja Singh to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 1st August 1916; *vice* Ganda Singh, transferred to the pension establishment. Fauja Singh will remain seconded.

Jemadar Bachan Singh to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 1st August 1916; to complete the establishment.

10th Jats.

Havildar Hans Ram and Quartermaster Havildar Lok Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 2nd October 1916; to complete the establishment.

61st King George's Own Pioneers.

Jemadar Laul Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st September 1916, Jemadar Paparayadu to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Ayyakannu to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

74th Punjabis.

Jemadars Fazl Khan and Wariam Singh to be Subadars and Colour-Havildar Ghulam Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

88th Carnatic Infantry.

Quartermaster Havildar Muhiyuddin and Havildar Francis Antony to be Jemadars, with effect from the 30th September 1916; and to be seconded.

2nd Battalion, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.

Havildar-Major Khandu Ghadge to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Havildars Shaikh Ramzan and Mala Rawat to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st August 1916; to complete the establishment.

128th Pioneers.

Colour-Havildars Ganda Singh and Hakim Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 18th April 1916; to complete the establishment.

130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).

Jemadar Saidullah Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Shakar Mehdi to be Jemadar, with effect from the 7th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Subadar Rudrnarain Nagarkoti to be Subadar-Major and Jemadar Bahadur Sing Thapa to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st November 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Abir Thapa to be Subadar and Havildars Hastal Sing Gurung, Rankesar Thapa and Balbahdra Thapa to be Jemadars, with effect from the 14th July 1916; and Havildars Tikaram Malla and Sarba Sing Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 15th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

No. 1453.—The Notification which appeared in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 25th November 1916, regarding the appointment of Daud Khan to be a Jemadar in the 81st Pioneers should bear No. 1426-A.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

No. 1454.—The following appointment is made in the Supply and Transport Reserve:—

To be Ressaidar.

Jhanda Singh Man, of the Mananwala District.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 1455.—Second Lieutenant Stuart Ernest Rubie Todd, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 26th November 1916.

No. 1456.—Second Lieutenant Eric Harold Saunders, Indian Army Reserve of Officers is permitted to resign the service, subject to Hi Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st December 1916.

RETENTIONS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1457.—Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain Henry William Foscholo is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 5th November 1916, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

No. 1458.—Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain Charles Henry Orman is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 6th November 1916, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1459.—Captain Herbert Neville Urmston, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force), has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 25th November 1916.

REWARDS.

No. 1460.—The honorary rank of Subadar-Major is conferred on Subadar Aulia Khan, 74th Punjabis, in recognition of his meritorious services.

No. 1461.—The following amendments are made to Army Department Notifications Nos. 1333 and 1334, dated the 3rd November 1916:—

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Andrew Wilson and Staff-Serjeant John Cecil Russell Barrows, Ordnance Department, should be shown as belonging to the Southern Army and General List, respectively, and not to the Northern Army as stated in the notifications referred to above.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Second (Northern) Regiment, United Provinces Horse.

No. 1462.—Second Lieutenant John Carlyle Fergusson to be Lieutenant, *vice* A. B. fforde transferred to the supernumerary list, and to be placed next in seniority to Lieutenant W. E. M. Campbell. Dated the 12th June 1916.

Southern Provinces Mounted Rifles.

No. 1463.—Second Lieutenant Arthur Wood John to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 23rd October 1916.

Stratford Hamilton Powell to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* A. W. John, promoted. Dated the 23rd October 1916.

Arthur John Leech to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 23rd October 1916.

Lucknow Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1464.—Captain Walter Macleod Paxton, V.D. (Supernumerary List), is granted the honorary rank of Majo . Dated the 1st October 1916.

Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1465.—Second Lieutenant Nelson Clapham Barstow is permitted to resign his commission. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Burma Railways Volunteer Corps.

No. 1466.—Surgeon-Lieutenant John Henry Sheldon, M.B., to be Surgeon Captain Dated the 12th May 1916.

Surgeon-Lieutenant Wilfred Reginald Taylor, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 12th May 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 1st December 1916.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the warrant officer named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus. Rs. A. P.	REMARKS.
Assistant Surgeon A. A. Frend-Hart.	Indian Subordinate Medical Department.	31st August 1915.	Intestate .	793 5 9	Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 1st December 1916.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 51.—The following promotion is made in the Royal Indian Marine with effect from the 24th October 1916 :—

To be Engineer.

Assistant Engineer John Ernest Roberts.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 27th November 1916.

No. 204 P.-16.—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, having inspected the Jind-City-Panipat Section of the Jind-Panipat Railway, authorised its opening for passenger traffic with effect from the 1st November 1916.

The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

The 28th November 1916.

No. 1830 E.-16.—Mr. F. E. Goodall, Storekeeper, State Railways, on special duty, is transferred permanently from the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway to the North Western Railway.

He will continue for the present on special duty.

No. 1830-2 E.-16.—With reference to Notification No. 1830 E.-16, dated the 28th November 1916, Mr. F. V. Mahony, Storekeeper, State Railways, is transferred permanently from the North Western Railway to the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

No. 1830-3 E.-16.—Mr. P. D. Woods, Assistant Storekeeper, State Railways, is transferred temporarily from the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway to the North Western Railway.

The 29th November 1916.

No. 1954 E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 773-2 E-16, dated the 19th May 1916, Mr. H. P. R. Goulding, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, will continue to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent in class II of that establishment until further orders.

The 30th November 1916.

No. 1848 E.-16.—Mr. J. H. Murray, Deputy Traffic Manager, Eastern Bengal Railway, is, on return from leave, appointed to officiate as Traffic Manager of that Railway, with sub. *pro tem.* rank in class I of the Superior Revenue Establishment, State Railways, with effect from the 15th October 1916 and until further orders.

No. 1848-2 E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1848 E.-16, dated the 30th November 1916, Mr. H. St. G. Gilmore, Officiating Traffic Manager (sub. *pro tem.*), Eastern Bengal Railway, reverted to the appointment of Deputy Traffic Manager of that Railway with effect from the 15th October 1916.

No. 1848-3 E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1848-2 E.-16, dated the 30th November 1916, Mr. G. S. Bocquet, Officiating Deputy Traffic Manager, Eastern Bengal Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of District Traffic Superintendent in class II, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways with effect from the 15th October 1916.

No. 1908-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notifications No. 1689 E.-16, dated the 28th September 1916, and No. 1908 E.-16, dated the 30th November 1916, Mr. W. C. Rodgers will officiate as Deputy Agent, North Western Railway, with effect from the 3rd October 1916, and until further orders.

No. 1908-E.-16.—Mr. J. H. Lovell, Officiating Deputy Agent, North Western Railway, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 3rd October 1916 and appointed to officiate as Senior Deputy Agent, with effect from the same date and until further orders.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

No. 66-C.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

(EMIGRATION.)

RESOLUTION.

REPORT ON THE WORKING OF THE ASSAM LABOUR BOARD DURING THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH JUNE, 1916.

Delhi, the 24th November, 1916.

The following paper is published in accordance with Rule 29 of the Assam Labour Board Rules :—

REPORT ON THE WORKING OF THE ASSAM LABOUR BOARD DURING THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH JUNE, 1916.

No. 4619, dated the 11th October, 1916.

From—LIEUTENANT-COLONEL W. M. KENNEDY, C.I.E., I.A., Chairman, Assam Labour Board,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

In compliance with rule 28 of the rules prescribed under section 116 F of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901, I have the honour to submit the Annual Report of this Board, together with a copy of the Auditor's Report and audited Statement of Accounts of this Board, which were adopted at the meeting of the Board held on the 18th September, 1916.

Annual Report on the working of the Assam Labour Board during the year ending the 30th June, 1916.

I—ADMINISTRATIVE.

Constitution of Board, etc.

1. The Assam Labour Board is incorporated under the authority conferred by the provisions of Section 5 of the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1915, which received the assent of the Governor-General on the 25th March, 1915. The Board consists of sixteen members including the Chairman, who is required to be an officer of Government appointed by the Government of India. The remaining members are elected as follows :—

(a) eight by the Indian Tea Association, Calcutta, as representative of that Association and of the Indian Tea Association, London ;

(b) four by the Assam Branch, Indian Tea Association ; and

(c) three by the Surma Valley Branch, Indian Tea Association.

Members of the Board hold office for three years, but a member elected or appointed to fill a casual vacancy holds office only for the remainder of the term of office of the member whom he replaces.

The Executive Committee of the Board consists of five members, namely, the Chairman of the Board and a member elected to represent each of the following bodies :—

Indian Tea Association, Calcutta.
Indian Tea Association, London.
Assam Branch, Indian Tea Association.
Surma Valley Branch, Indian Tea Association.

The two members of the Committee representing the Indian Tea Associations, Calcutta and London, are elected by the eight members of the Board representing those Associations, while the members of the Board representing each of the two Branch Associations elect the member of the Committee representing their Branch.

Membership of Board and Executive Committee.

2. Major (now Lieutenant-Colonel) W. M. Kennedy, C.I.E., I.A., Deputy Commissioner, Assam, was appointed Chairman of the Board for one year with effect from the 1st May, 1915, and the extension of his appointment for a further year has since been sanctioned. The following gentlemen were elected members of the Board with effect from the 1st May, 1915 :—

1. Mr. R. Graham. 2. Hon'ble Mr. E. H. Bray. 3. Mr. H. W. Carr. 4. Mr. G. F. A. Denne. 5. Mr. John Leslie. 6. Mr. J. Mackenzie. 7. Mr. A. D. Pickford. 8. Mr. C. Rennison.	Representatives of the Indian Tea Associations, Calcutta and London.
9. Hon'ble Mr. H. Miller. 10. Hon'ble Mr. C. L. Pringle. 11. Mr. A. Chrystall. 12. Mr. Eric H. Hanny.	Representatives of the Assam Branch, Indian Tea Association.
13. Hon'ble Mr. H. B. Fox. 14. Mr. W. Manson. 15. Mr. R. T. Fraser.	Representatives of Surma Valley Branch, Indian Tea Association.

The following changes occurred in the *Personnel* of the Board owing to resignations :—

Mr. A. Moffat elected *vice* Hon'ble Mr. H. Miller with effect from the 31st December, 1915.
Mr. G. Turnbull „ „ Mr. R. Graham „ „ „ the 22nd March, 1916.
Mr. C. Wood „ „ Hon'ble Mr. C. L. Pringle „ „ „ the 14th April, 1916.
Mr. T. D. Wood „ „ Mr. A. D. Pickford „ „ „ the 26th April, 1916.

Messrs. Pringle and Pickford having resigned their membership of the Board their seats on the Executive Committee become vacant and after the close of the year Messrs. Moffat and T. D. Wood have, respectively, been elected to replace them.

Rules for the working of the Board.

3. Rules for the working of the Board were prescribed by the Government of India under Section 116 F. of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901, in Department of Commerce and Industry Notification No. 295-132 C., dated the 20th November, 1915.

Meetings of Board.

4. Two meetings of the Board were held during the year under review, namely, on the 15th and 16th December, 1915, and on the 9th March, 1916. Under the rules for the working of the Board a minimum of two meetings in each year is required to be held, namely, in March and September or as near thereto as convenient. Additional meetings may be called at the discretion of the Chairman, who is required to summon a meeting of the Board on a requisition presented by five members. Owing to the fact that the rules for the working of the Board were not prescribed till November, 1915, it was not possible to hold a meeting before the following December. All the members of the Board were present at the meeting held in December, 1915, but the Hon'ble Mr. E. H. Bray and Mr. E. H. Hanny were unavoidably prevented from attending that held in March last.

When the Board or Executive Committee are not sitting, the rules provided for questions under consideration being referred for the opinion of members by the circulation of papers, and this procedure has been often followed, since the frequent summoning of meetings of the Board or of the Executive Committee would be attended with inconvenience to the eight members of the former and the two members of the latter who reside at considerable distances from Calcutta.

Meetings, etc. of Executive Committee.

5. Two meetings of the Executive Committee attended by all the members, were held, *viz*, on the 16th December, 1915, and the 7th March, 1916. A list of the matters delegated by the Board to the Executive Committee will be found in Appendix B.

Board's Office.

6. The Chairman joined his duties on the 10th May, 1915, and began to organise the Board's Office, which through the courtesy of the Indian Tea Association, was at first held in the Association's Office in the Bengal Chamber of Commerce Building. It was hoped that the Government of India would be able to provide accommodation for the Board in one of the vacant Government offices in Calcutta, but this could not, after all, be arranged so accommodation has been secured in Gillander House, 8, Clive Street, at a rental of Rs. 175 per mensem.

The office establishment has been fixed, for the present, at the following strength:—

1 Head Clerk on Rs. 100—$\frac{10}{5}$—150.

1 Shorthand Typist on Rs. 50—$\frac{5}{10}$—100.

1 Typist and Despatcher on Rs. 50—$\frac{5}{5}$—75.

1 Diarist on Rs. 30—$\frac{4}{5}$—50.

1 Duftry on Rs. 10—$\frac{1}{10}$—20.

1 Jemadar Chuprassie on Rs. 12.

1 Chuprassie on Rs. 10.

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The ministerial and menial staff are granted travelling allowance at the rates admissible to Government officers of similar status. The Chairman has been empowered to grant leave up to one month on full pay to ministerial officers, any leave in excess of that period being sanctioned by the Executive Committee, who fix the allowance to be given. Leave to menials is granted by the Chairman.

During the year, 1,561 letters were received and 3,003 letters issued. The fact that so many members of the Board reside outside of Calcutta tends to increase correspondence. With the sanction of the Executive Committee, the office was inspected by Mr. Charu Chandra Goswami, I.S.O., late Registrar, Assam Secretariat, who reported it to be in good order. Mr. Goswami has made several suggestions, including the establishment of a Provident Fund for the staff which are under consideration.

Appointment of Supervisors.

7. Section 116 C, Act VI of 1901, empowers the Board to appoint Supervisors to assist them in carrying out their duties. Three Supervisorships have been sanctioned, carrying a salary of Rs. 1,000 per mensem, rising by annual increments of Rs. 50 to Rs. 1,200, leave and travelling allowances being regulated by the provisions of the Civil Service Regulations relating to uncovenanted officers of Government drawing salary at a similar rate. The appointments are terminable at three months' notice on either side, subject to the right of the Board to dispense summarily with the services of a Supervisor for misconduct.

A large number of applications for the posts of Supervisor were received, and the following appointments were made with effect from the dates shown against each:—

Mr. C. H. Craven, Indian Police, Assam—31st December, 1915.

Mr. C. E. Middleton Stewart, Indian Police, Central Provinces—5th April, 1916.

Mr. J. McPherson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bihar and Orissa—4th April, 1916.

The services of these officers have kindly been lent by the Local Governments under whom they served, the Board paying the usual contribution towards their leave and pensionary allowances.

The following charges have been assigned to each of the three Supervisors:—

MR. CRAVEN.—The province of Bengal, except the districts of Midnapore, Bankura and Howarh; the districts of the Santhal Parganas, Singbhum, Manbhum, Ranchi, Sambalpore, Bhagalpur, Hazaribagh, Monghyr, Darbhanga, Muzaffarpur, Champaran, Saran, Patna, Shahabad, Gaya, and Palamau in the province of Bihar and

Orissa; the United Provinces, the districts of Mandla, Jubbulpore, Damoh, Saugor, Hoshangabad, Nimar, Narshingpur, Betul and Chhindwara in the Central Provinces.

Head-quarters of Supervisor—Purulia.

MR. STEWART.—The province of Madras; the districts of Puri, Cuttack and Balasore in the province of Bihar and Orissa; the districts of Midnapur, Bankura and Howarh in the province of Bengal; the districts of Bilaspur, Raipur, Drug, Balaghat, Bhandara, Chanda, Wardha and Nagpur in the Central Provinces.

Head-quarters of Supervisor—Bilaspore.

MR. MCPHERSON.—The transit routes from Asansol and Kharagpur to Assam and throughout the latter province, the Supervisor to be permitted, for a specific purpose, to travel over transit routes other than those specified above.

Head-quarters of Supervisor.—Barrackpore.

It was originally intended that Messrs. Craven and McPherson should be stationed at Asansole and Mr. Stewart at Kharagpur, but owing to the impossibility of securing house accommodation at those places, Purulia, Bilaspur and Barrackpore have, for the present, been fixed as their respective head-quarters.

On the recommendation of the Board, each of the Local Governments concerned have been so good as to empower all three Supervisors to exercise the powers and perform the duties conferred and imposed on them within the recruiting or labour districts, as the case may be, under the Local Government. It is occasionally necessary for a Supervisor engaged in an enquiry into alleged offences, or in watching suspected batches of coolies, to travel outside the special charge assigned to him. The concession, also, facilitates the transfer of Supervisors and the re-arrangement of their charges as experience may indicate to be necessary, and admits of the temporary deputation of a Supervisor to perform the duties of another Supervisor who is not available owing to sickness, absence or other causes.

The following establishment has been sanctioned in respect of each Supervisor:—

One Clerk on Rs. 30—$\frac{2}{10}$—50.

Two Chuprassies on Rs. 8 each.

Each Supervisor has been allowed a permanent advance of Rs. 300 to meet office and tour expenditure.

Tours and Inspections.

8. The Chairman was on tour for 204 days and visited—

Midnapore (twice), Kharagpur (twice), Bankura, Asansole, Goalundo and Chandpur in Bengal;

Berhampur (twice), Chattrapur (twice), Waltair (twice), Parvatipuram (twice), Nellore, Masulipatam, Bezwada, Guntur, Coconada and Pithapuram, in Madras.

Ranchi (twice), Purulia (twice), Balasore (twice), Cuttack (twice), Sambalpore, Puri, Chaibassa, Galudih, Hazaribagh and Daltonganj, in Bihar and Orissa.

Allahabad, Banda, Bara Banki, Fyzabad, Gonda, Basti, Gorakhpore, Azamgarh, Ghazipore and Benares, in the United Provinces.

Jubbulpore, Katni, Nagpur, Riapur and Bilaspore in the Central Provinces.

Shillong, Gauhati, Moriani, Nazira, Safrai, Doom Dooma, Margherita, Dibrugarh, Amaluckie, Tezpur, Itakhola, Srimangal, Shamshernagar, Juri, Hailakandi.

Lalacherra, Bara Jalinga, Silchar, Pollarbund and Rampore, in Assam.

In the course of his tours he had the advantage of discussing emigration affairs with the officers of Government and, in Assam, with the tea planters, and he inspected 25 local agencies and 16 transport agencies. He also paid a visit to Simla by desire of the Government of India.

The following table shows the touring work done by the Supervisors :—

Name.	No. of days on tour.	No. of Stations visited.		No. of Local Agencies inspected.		No. of Transport Agencies inspected.	
		Once.	More than once.	Once.	More than once.	Once.	More than once.
Mr. C. H. Craven	102	17	10	17*	5	...	6
Mr. C. E. Middleton Stewart.	72	19	7	2	2	...	2
Mr. J. McPherson	69	15	2	2	...	6	...

The tours of the Supervisors were also connected with the repression of abuses in recruitment by arkatties and others, and, when requested to do so, they rendered assistance to District Officers in the prosecution of illegal recruiters and in emigration matters generally. Their work, like that of the Board, is still in the experimental stage, but the Board has already derived much advantage from the tours and reports of the Supervisors, and the appointments promise to be even more useful in the future.

II.—FINANCIAL.

Sources of Income of Board.

9. The income of the Board is derived from (*a*) a cess not exceeding five rupees in each year on each garden-sardar deputed to recruit labourers and on each person so recruited or engaged as a labourer or assisted to emigrate, and (*b*) one half of the salary of the Chairman contributed by the Government of India.

For the year under review the cess was fixed at Rs. 2 on each garden-sardar and emigrant, *vide* Department of Commerce and Industry Notification No. 13629-132, dated the 21st August, 1915, from which date cess first became payable.

Rule 24 of the rules prescribed by the Government of India under Section 116 F, Act VI of 1901, contains the provisions regulating the levy of the cess. This rule lays down that the cess payable in respect of a garden-sardar shall be deposited by the employer in the local treasury in Assam prior to the countersignature of the certificate of the garden-sardar, except in the case of garden-sardars deputed to recruit in areas such as the United Provinces, whose certificates do not at present require countersignature in the labour districts, when the cess is payable through the local agent, or, if the employer has not appointed a local agent, by the employer direct to the Board. The rule provides that the cess on emigrants shall be collected through local agents, and that it shall be paid direct to the Board by the employer if latter has not appointed a local agent. The portion of the rule requiring the deposit of the cess payable on a garden-sardar before the countersignature of his certificate in Assam, was not given effect to during the year under report. The cess was collected through local agents or directly from those employers who had not appointed a local agent, this being the procedure prescribed for the recovery of the cess which was payable before rule 24 came into operation. Since the close of the year arrangements have been made with the Assam Administration to give effect to rule 24 (1) (*a*) on and from the 1st September, 1916. The Board did not ask that this should be done previously since it was apprehended that confusion might arise in the case of garden-sardars deputed to recruit in the United Provinces. Though the countersignature in Assam of the certificates of garden-sardars working under a local agent has been dispensed with by notification of the Government of the United Provinces, it is understood that in practice the certificates of such garden-sardars are, in a number of cases, still produced for countersignature in Assam. If, therefore, effect had

*N.B.—Mr. Craven also accompanied the Chairman when latter inspected the local agencies in the United Provinces in January, 1916.

been given to the rule, it might have resulted in a double collection of the cess in such cases. In paragraph 26 of this Report it is stated that the Board have submitted a recommendation to the Government of the United Provinces that, with a view to the better control of the operations of garden-sardars, countersignature of their certificates in the labour districts should be reintroduced. If this recommendation is accepted full effect can, without risk of complications, be given to the provisions of rule 24 and, even in any case, under the arrangement approved by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, instructions have been issued to countersigning officers in Assam to the effect that the fact that the cess due has been paid shall be noted on the sardar's certificate. This should obviate any chance of a double recovery by the local agent. As it is, there is no reason to believe that the Board have sustained loss owing to the non-observance of the letter of rule 24. The cess payable both on garden-sardars and emigrants has been received very punctually through the local agents. The number of garden-sardars employed to recruit independently of a local agent has been very small, and is now practically *nil*, the Board and the tea industry in general being opposed to this system of recruitment. By kind permission, also, of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam, the Board is now supplied monthly, by Deputy Commissioners of the labour districts, with details regarding garden-sardars deputed to recruit independently of a local agent. Moreover, the certificates of such garden-sardars require countersignature in all recruiting districts, so information regarding them and their recruits should be available in the monthly returns furnished under rule 24 by Superintendents of Emigration.

The collection of the cess has added considerably to the work of all local agents and especially to that of the officers of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, through whom the greater portion of the recruitment for Assam tea gardens is carried out, and the Board desire to offer to the recruiting Associations, and to firms and employers who maintain private local agencies, as well as to the local agents themselves, their cordial thanks for the assistance in this matter which has been so readily given.

Refund of Cess.

10. As the results of a reference from the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, the Board have agreed to grant a refund of the cess paid on labourers who have not gone forward, who have absconded *en route* or who have been repatriated either *en route* or within a short time of their arrival on the garden. No such refunds were made during the year under reference, but Rs. 50 were refunded in respect of cess twice realised on the same individuals, and Rs. 2 being cess erroneously paid on a dependant.

Receipts and Expenditure.

11. The first budget of the Board covers the period from the 1st May, 1915, to the 30th June, 1916. The budget was, necessarily a rough one, since actuals of previous years were not available for guidance. A preliminary budget was prepared in May, 1915, and was passed at the meeting of the Board held in December, 1915, and sanctioned by the Government of India after inclusion of expenditure subsequently approved. The accounts were audited by an officer deputed by the Accountant-General, Bengal, and a statement showing the actual receipts and expenditure will be found in Appendix A.

The estimate of receipts provided for an income of Rs. 1,15,540-6-9, *viz.*, a Government grant of Rs. 20,240-6-9, and Rs. 95,300 derived from cess. The actual receipts largely exceeded this sum and amounted to Rs. 1,97,159-12-9. The estimate of the yield of cess was based on figures kindly supplied by the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association and the Madras Labour Association, and represented the average results of the three years ending the 31st March, 1915. On this basis it was assumed the cess would be payable on 24,750 garden-sardars and 22,900 emigrants. The year was, however, an abnormally successful one from the point of view of recruitment, owing to conditions of scarcity which obtained in certain areas, notably portions of Orissa and Chota Nagpur and the district of Bankura, and the cess actually realised amounted to Rs. 1,81,114, which was paid on 34,683 garden-sardars and 55,874 emigrants. Cess on garden-sardars and emigrants, for the period from the 21st to 31st August 1915, has yet to be paid in by the Tea Districts Labour Supply

Association the delay being due to the difficulty of checking the accounts for this period, cess being payable on all sardars at work on the 21st August 1915, as well as on those who arrived in the recruiting districts after that date. It is expected that some Rs. 7,836 will be realised on this account. The contribution payable by the Government of India towards the Chairman's salary for the months April to June 1916 is, also, still due.

The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 76,916-10-8, as compared with the revised estimate of Rs. 86,044-1-0, the closing balance being Rs. 1,20,243-2-1 (excluding a permanent advance of Rs. 300, with each of the Supervisors) against Rs. 29,496-5-9 estimated.

The savings accrued principally under the heads travelling allowance of all classes (Rs. 9,500); pay of office staff, owing to non-appointment of the sanctioned staff for the full period allowed (Rs. 730); tour charges (Rs. 230); pay of Supervisors (Rs. 3,140), owing to the fact that their salary for June was not drawn till July.

On the other hand the budget estimate was exceeded under the following heads:—

Stationery, printing and forms, due to the cost of publishing a pamphlet explaining the changes in the method of recruitment (Rs. 400); purchase of books (Rs. 540), temporary establishment and job typewriting (Rs. 690) and contribution towards the leave and pensionary allowances of Supervisors (Rs 1,860), for all of which no provision was made in the budget; office contingencies (Rs. 700), owing almost entirely to the cost of erecting partitions in the office and to the honorarium paid to the officer who inspected the office; contingent expenditure including stationery of Supervisors (Rs. 1,070), the original allotment of Rs. 700 being inadequate.

There were also minor savings and excesses under other heads to which it is unnecessary to refer in detail.

Budget Estimate for 1916-17.

12. The budget estimate for 1916-17, which was passed at the meeting of the Board held in March 1916, provides for an opening balance of Rs. 81,000-0-0, a contribution from Government of Rs. 16,133-0-0, and Rs. 1,36,000, as realisations from cess at Rs. 2/- on 27,000 garden-sardars and 41,000 emigrants. Owing to the fact that the recruiting results for the year 1915-16 were quite abnormal, it was deemed advisable to adhere to the original estimate of the yield from cess for that year, which was based on the normal recruitment so far as could be ascertained, since it is most unlikely that the large emigration of the past season will continue if good rains fall. Indeed, some reduction as compared with the normal figures would not be improbable. For the same reasons the Board decided not to recommend a reduction in the rate of the cess, which has accordingly been fixed by the Government of India at Rs. 2/- on garden-sardars and emigrants for the year 1916-17. The budget provides for an expenditure of Rs. 1,18,190-3-0 and a closing balance of Rs. 1,14,942-13-0. Since the actual closing balance of the year 1915-16 amounted to Rs. 1,20,243-2-1, the estimated opening and closing balances for the current year should be increased by Rs. 39,243-2-1. After the close of the year Rs. 75,000, have been placed on fixed deposit for six months with the Bank of Bengal, bearing interest at 3% per annum. It is a matter for satisfaction that the yield from cess has been so good, since the result has been to place the Board in a sound financial position from the outset which, if maintained, may render it possible for them to recommend a reduction in the rate of the cess for the year 1917-18.

Audit.

13. The Report of the Auditor deputed by the Accountant General, Bengal, to audit the Board's accounts for the year 1915-16, will be found in Appendix A. The Objection Statement mentioned in paragraph 7 of the Report has been received and necessary action is being taken thereon. The recommendation made in paragraph 3 of the Report that expenditure against the permanent advance should be shown in a separate register will be followed in future. There was, in fact, no actual accumulation of cash in the Chairman's hands in excess of Rs. 400/- the sanctioned permanent advance, the apparent excess

being due to the fact that cheques, when received, were shown as cash until paid into the bank. The formal sanction of the Government of India to the budget estimate for the year under review was not received, but the budget was finally modified according to the instructions issued by Government. With reference to the remarks in paragraph 6 of the Report, the Board agree that the prescribed check on the levy of the cess payable in respect of emigrants is not of much value, since, in practice, Superintendents of Emigration obtain the figures for their statements from local agents. The Board will consider whether a more satisfactory check cannot be devised. The reason why the provisions of rule 24 (1) (*a*) as regards the cess leviable on garden sardars were not followed has been given in paragraph 9 of this Report. The excess of Rs. 5,623-3-8 over the budget provision under certain heads will be adjusted by re-appropriation from those heads under which there were savings. This was not done during the course of the year, as the Chairman was doubtful whether the Accountant General would require the Board to follow the practice in this respect obtaining in Government Departments.

III.—SUPERVISION OF LOCAL AGENTS.

Appointment of Local Agents.

14. Under the provisions of amended Section 64, Act VI of 1901, applications for the appointment of local agents are now presented to the Board in the first place. Enquiries are thereupon, made by the Board regarding the fitness of the candidate put forward, and, on their conclusion, the application is forwarded, with the recommendation of the Board as to whether the license should be granted or refused, to the Superintendent of Emigration concerned who alone is empowered to allow or reject the application.

During the period under review 102 applications for the grant of local agents' licenses were received, of which the Board recommended that 92 should be granted and 6 refused. The recommendations of the Board were accepted by Superintendents of Emigration in all cases except three, in which latter licenses were granted to persons whom the Board did not consider to be suitable. Four applications were pending with the Board at the close of the year, three of which have since been forwarded to the Superintendents of Emigration concerned; the remaining application has been struck off.

In addition to the applications specified above, several applications were withdrawn at the suggestion of the Chairman, as they were for the appointment of persons whom the information in the Board's office showed to be connected with recruitment through arkatties, and in a number of cases, before putting in formal applications, employers asked the Chairman for information as to the fitness of the prospective candidate. This was supplied and generally resulted in the application being dropped. Owing to the abolition of the system of recruitment by contractors, a considerable number of persons who used to gain a livelihood by supplying coolies under that system are now without employment. It is inevitable that they should still endeavour to carry on business, either in the guise of local agents, or by supplying coolies to graden-sardars who are nominally working independently of a local agent. These persons issue many appeals to tea agency firms in Calcutta and to employers in Assam, asking for employment, and frequently stating that they have coolies ready for despatch if garden-sardars be sent to them. Many such letters have been forwarded to the Board, by whom a record is kept of the persons who write them and of other persons attempting to carry on an illegal system of recruitment. This record is not only of assistance to the Board in making the recommendations to Superintendents of Emigration, but often enables the Chairman to satisfy applicants for the appointment of local agents that their nominees are unsuitable.

Conduct of Local Agents.

15. The great majority of the local agents work under the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, the number employed by individual firms or employers being small. At all their larger agencies the above Association have Europeans in charge, with, in many cases, European assistants, and their European staff is being strengthened as funds and suitable candidates become available. The present war conditions, however, have naturally retarded this improvement.

At the smaller agencies, Indian local agents are in charge but they work under the supervision of the local European superintendent. At the larger agencies the head clerk, also, as a rule, holds a second license in order that he may be able to carry on the work in emergencies, such as the temporary absence of the European agent-in-charge. Any defects noticed by the Chairman of the Board or the Supervisors in the course of their inspections are brought to the notice of the Association, who have always shown themselves ready to remedy them. Their local agents have generally carried out their duties honestly and well, but the Association found it necessary to dispense with the services of three local agents whose work was not satisfactory. In one case exception was taken by the Superintendent of Emigration concerned to the registration procedure at one of the local agencies, and the Chairman of the Board was asked to advise on the subject. He drew up a note suggesting improvements in procedure, which have been adopted.

When the Board was first formed, among the local agencies not under the Tea Districts Labour supply Association there were several whose operations partook more of the character of the contractors than that of the sardari system of recruitment. The licenses of these local agents have either expired and not been renewed, or have been cancelled at the instance of the employers concerned or of the Board or by the District Magistrate of his own motion. The reports on the working of the remaining existing private local agencies have been satisfactory, except in two of the three cases mentioned in paragraph 17, in which the Board felt themselves unable to recommend the renewal of the licenses of the local agents. Since January last other arrangements have been made in respect of one of the two agencies mentioned, the working of which has thereafter been quite satisfactory. In the third case the local agent had not previously held a license as such.

The Board is empowered by Section 116 D., Act VI of 1901, to call for and endorse the license of a local agent whose conduct they have reason to believe to have been such as to detract from his suitability to hold a license. Action under this section was not, however, necessary, it having been found equally efficacious and less cumbersome in cases calling for action to draw the attention of the District Magistrate or the employer to the delinquencies of the local agent.

System of remuneration of local agents.

16. A matter which occupied the attenion of the Board was the most suitable system of remunerating local agents, regarding which the Board's advice was sought by certain tea agency firms. There have been in the past, roughly speaking, three systems, namely:—

(*a*) the payment to the local agent of a fixed sum per recruit, to include all charges for the upkeep of the agency and forwarding charges, etc., of the coolies from the recruiting district to the tea estate or some centre such as Goalundo;—

(*b*) the payment of a fixed salary, supplemented by a commission on each recruit, all incidental charges being borne by the employer;

(*c*) the payment of a fixed salary, without commission, all incidental charges being borne by the employer.

The Board were asked to advise as to the relative suitability of systems (*a*) and (*b*), when the following resolution was recorded;—

"(*a*) a local agent should be granted a fixed salary sufficient to maintain him in comfort in the social position in life which he occupies and to place him beyond temptation to resort to malpractices;

(*b*) the Board consider that remuneration by a fixed salary, to be increased by commission according to the number of coolies challaned, is certainly preferable to remuneration at an all-round rate per coolie challaned, since there is always the danger that the latter system of remuneration may tempt a local agent to commit or to overlook malpractices in order that his remuneration may not be reduced."

There can be no doubt but that system (*a*) was a bad one, in that it acted as a direct incentive to a local agent to employ his own recruiters to supply coolies, who were challaned in the names of garden-sardars, and, even when a local agent did not proceed to the length of employing arkatties himself, the system tended to encourage his winking at his sardars doing so, and to render him over—ready to pass coolies who should have been rejected.

System (*b*) is the system which has hitherto been followed by the premier recruiting agency, namely, the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, since, until lately, the financial position of the Association did not warrant them guaranteeing a high fixed salary. The Board have, however, learned with pleasure that the Association have decided, with effect from the season beginning the 1st September 1916, to raise the fixed salaries of their employés and to abolish payment by commission altogether. The Board feel sure that the most satisfactory method of remunerating local agents and employés at local agencies is by an adequate fixed salary.

In order that the Board should be in a position to satisfy themselves that local agents are paid adequate salaries, it was decided that all applications for the appointment of local agents should state the salaries proposed to be paid to the local agents and in what way incidental expenses are to be met.

Licensing of local agents contrary to the recommendation of the Board.

17. In the preceding paragraphs mention has been made of three cases in which licenses were granted to local agents contrary to the recommendation of the Board. Latter have hitherto been reluctant to raise the question of the grant of licenses against their recommendations, as they were unwilling hastily to take any action which might possibly be misconstrued into an attempt on their part to curtail the legitimate exercise by District Officers of the authority conferred on them, more especially as in all but the three cases referred to, their recommendations were readily accepted. The matter is, however, one of such vital importance to the existence of the Board as an influence in the direction of clean recruitment, that they have no option but to bring it forward. As the law at present stands, a Superintendent of Emigration is not bound to accept the recommendation of the Board in regard to the appointment of a local agent, and he can refuse to issue a license the grant of which they recommend, or grant a license the refusal of which they have advised. The two cases, however, are on an entirely different footing. It may very well and reasonably happen that a District Officer should refuse to grant a license recommended by the Board. He may disagree with the Board as to the fitness of the candidate proposed, or, apart from personal reasons, he may be of opinion that for purposes of efficient control the existing number of licenses in his district is sufficient. That being so, and the Superintendent of Emigration in his capacity as District Magistrate being responsible for the peace and good government of his district, no exception could be taken to any reasonable exercise of his right to refuse applications which are supported by the Board. In the second case, however, namely in granting a license which the Board had not recommended, the same principles are not involved, but the power of the Board to carry out their statutory duty in relation to the supervision of local agents and of recruitment is seriously impaired. The Board may refuse to recommend the grant of a license for more reasons than one. For instance, they may consider a particular candidate to be unsuitable, owing either to his status, or character, or previous connection with recruitment or work as local agent—and so important is it that local agents should be absolutely reliable in all respects, they are reluctant to take any risks in regard to these matters. Or it may be that they consider that a particular tea estate, by reason of its unsatisfactory recruiting record, should not be allowed to have a private local agent. Unless the Board are conceded either by the good will of District Officers or by law, the right of veto in cases such as these, where they are of opinion that licenses should not be granted, they are powerless to put down abuses and to control recruitment by tea estates. In fact the Board might as well cease to exist. Apart from this, there is the general consideration that the Board represent the tea industry as a whole, and it seems hardly reasonable that the industry should have forced upon it a local agent whom its representatives do not wish for, since the

industry is the body chiefly concerned. The Government of India are being addressed separately on this subject.

IV.—RECRUITMENT.

General results of the year.

18. As the Board receive only returns relating to adult labouring emigrants on whom cess is payable, they have not complete figures showing the volume of emigration to Assam tea gardens during the year under report. That the year was an unusually favourable one there can, however, be no doubt. The number of emigrants in respect of whom cess was paid, as compared with the number estimated on the basis of the results of the previous three years, is an indication of the extent of the increase, and these figures do not include children and aged dependants, who emigrated in large numbers. This result was due to a great extent to short rainfall, followed by conditions of scarcity, in portions of Bengal and Bihar and Orissa—especially the Feudatory States in the latter province—but it may, also, fairly be attributed in part to the abolition of the system of recruitment by contractors. The increase was most marked at the local agencies situated in the districts of Cuttack, Balasore, Bankura and Chaibassa, and was, likewise, considerable in those of Midnapur, Purulia, Ranchi and Hazaribagh. There was an improvement in the district of Ganjam but elsewhere in Madras, as also in the Central Provinces results were not so good as during the previous year. In the United Provinces and Bihar there was little variation. Given good agricultural conditions, a considerable falling off may be expected in the current year, but the fact that, of the large number of persons who emigrated during the year under report, many may wish to return to fetch their families and friends, should result in, at all events, the normal rate of emigration being maintained.

Measures affecting recruitment.

19. Towards the close of the year under review the Government of Madras were pleased to throw open to recruitment under special arrangements a portion of the Agency Tracts in the Ganjam and Vizagapatam districts, and the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, have appointed two local agents for these areas. It will probably be some little time before the full benefit of the opening of these areas is reaped, but as the attractions which Assam has to offer to the emigrant become known to the people, it is hoped that a satisfactory class of labour will be available from these tracts. The Government of Madras have also sanctioned a scheme under which labourers in Assam, who are natives of the portions of the Agency Tracts still closed to recruitment, will be enabled to bring out their immediate relatives.

A matter of far-reaching importance, now under discussion with the Government of Bihar and Orissa, is the proposal to introduce, with the sanction of the Chiefs, a system of regularised recruitment in the Feudatory States, on payment of a fee on each garden-sardar sent down to recruit and on each coolie recruited. A measure of this description, if carried through, could not fail to benefit both the tea industry and the States themselves.

The Government of Madras consulted the Board as to the advisability of extending the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901, to the Southern Districts of that Province and of prohibiting recruitment for Assam in those districts by notification under section 3 of the above Act. This proposal was made as the result of abuses which were found to exist, not so much with reference to emigration to Assam itself, which is small, but in connection with emigration to the colonies, a case having come to light in which certain coolies recruited by an Assam agency, were being shipped off to the colonies against their will. The Board concurred in the proposal to extend Act VI of 1901 to the Southern Districts of Madras, but asked that, instead of absolutely prohibiting emigration to Assam from those areas, it should be permitted under the supervision of licensed local agents. The small number of coolies from South Madras who have been recruited for Assam have not turned out very well, so there is at present no likelihood of any considerable emigration from those areas, but the facts that a likely class of labour may yet be procured from those districts and that a certain number of people therefrom, who are now in Assam, may wish to bring up their relatives, rendered total prohibition, in the opinion of the Board, inexpedient. The Government of Madras were unable

to accept the recommendation of the Board, that recruitment under a local agent should be allowed in the Southern Districts, and have prohibited emigration therefrom, but they have kindly undertaken to render assistance to any coolie now in Assam who wishes to fetch his family from the closed areas.

At the instance of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, the Board represented to the Government of the United Provinces that recruitment should be allowed in the districts of Unao, Rae Bareli, Etawah, and Farrukhabad, which are now closed to the engagement of labour for Assam. These districts are contiguous to districts in which recruitment is permitted, and though it is not anticipated that any considerable number of recruits would be obtained from them, persons belonging to those districts, who are occasionally recruited in Cawnpur and other districts open to recruitment, are as a result of the prohibition cut off from their families whom they are unable to assist to emigrate to Assam. Owing to the opposition of the Upper India Chamber of Commerce, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor could not see his way to accept the recommendation of the Board.

Cost of sardari recruitment.

20. The Board have addressed the Indian Tea Association, suggesting that measures should be taken to reduce the cost of recruitment by garden-sardars, and this matter is still under consideration. Apart from such items as railway fare, clothing, agency charges and other incidental charges of a like nature, very considerable sums are paid in the way of advances and bonuses to garden-sardars, which tend to increase as years go on. Unless some agreement on this subject is arrived at, there is a danger of competition between tea concerns in the matter of the payment of bonuses and advances, resulting in the progressive enhancement of the cost of importing labour. There is, therefore, a general consensus of opinion among members of the tea industry that the time has arrived for a combined effort to keep down excess expenditure, which is not only money wasted, but which, by furnishing the garden-sardar with surplus funds, provides a temptation for him to purchase coolies from arkatties or other sardars. Connected with this subject is that of the advances or payments made to prospective emigrants for the purpose of paying off debts or for the support of members of their families left in the recruiting districts or on other grounds. Cases in which emigrants, who have received such payments and who have subsequently, when *en route* to Assam, declared themselves unwilling to proceed, have lately arisen, and in some instances the same emigrants have repeated these tactics on more occasions than one, so there is reason for the apprehension that the practice of making cash advances to the emigrants themselves instead of making payments direct to the creditors or other persons who are intended to benefit by them, has a tendency to encourage fraud of this description. This matter is also receiving attention, and the Governments of Bengal and Bihar and Orissa, on the matter having been represented to them, have been so good as to issue instructions that when complaints of improper recruitment, etc., are received from emigrants *en route* to Assam, employers or their local agents should be given a hearing before orders of repatriation are passed.

Labour for newly opened out tea estates, etc.

21. Owing to the abolition of the system of recruitment by contractors, the question of the provision of labour for newly opened out estates has become more difficult, and the same applies, but in a lesser degree, to the recruitment of labour for new extensions of existing concerns, or for estates which, owing to the fact that they have failed to send down recruiters for several years, have lost connection with the recruiting districts, and for estates which wish to recruit from districts other than those from which their labour force was obtained. The Indian Tea Association sought the advice of the Board as to whether some special concessions should not be granted to newly opened out estates and to existing estates which are extending their cultivation, and as to whether it should not be recognised in such cases that a sardar might not only recruit in villages other than his native one and persons of castes other than his own, but that he might be deputed to recruit in a district other than that to which he belonged.

It is not the present practice of garden-sardars to confine themselves to their own particular villages or castes when recruiting, nor can they reasonably

be expected to do so, as their relatives and friends or the acquaintances of their relatives and friends are not confined to a particular village and they, also, have social intercourse with persons of other castes. When, however, it comes to deputing a garden-sardar to recruit in a district in which he has no connections, the matter becomes more difficult. In the first place the chief safeguard to sardari recruitment lies in the fact that the sardar generally recruits people who know him or know of him, and in the second place a sardar operating outside his native district is not likely to prove successful except in times of famine or scarcity. The Board, therefore, think that there is a greater likelihood of new concerns obtaining better results by deputing as sardars time-expired coolies residing in the neighbouring villages, who are accustomed to work on the estate and who would recruit in their native districts. Another expedient which has been tried with varying results is to borrow sardars from another estate in the same Company, and the Board see no objection to this, provided that the sardar spends some weeks on the garden for which he is to recruit before he is sent to engage labourers, in order that he may gain some insight into labour conditions on the estate, and provided also that he remains for some months on the estate with the coolies whom he has recruited, and that the local agent explains to the coolies that the sardar will not remain permanently on the garden to which they are going. In view, however, of the special difficulties of newly opened out estates the Board would not be prepared to deprive them of any small advantage which they might obtain by deputing sardars to recruit in districts other than those in which their homes are situated, but they think that the sardars selected to do so should, as far as possible, be natives of districts in the neighbourhood of that in which they are to recruit, where conditions are similar and where prospective emigrants of the same or analogous castes are available. Tea estates which have entirely lost connection might, perhaps, be allowed the same concession, but it would seem that no special concessions are required in the case of estates needing labour for new extensions as they have already a nucleus from which they can draw recruiting sardars, or in the case of estates which have not a connection with a particular district, since they can presumably obtain labour from the districts from which they ordinarily recruit. In times of scarcity, however, when the people, owing to stress of circumstances, are looking for sardars to assist them to emigrate and are indifferent to what estate they go, the Board are of opinion that the principle that a garden-sardar may be sent down to recruit in a district in which there is scarcity, although it is not his home district, might with safety generally be recognised. The number of sardars sent to recruit outside their home districts will always be automatically limited, since no Manager unless compelled to do so, would employ sardars in this way owing to the fact that their chances of success would be much smaller than those of sardars operating in their native districts.

V.—ILLEGAL RECRUITMENT.

Non-act Native States' coolies

22. It was not to be expected that all of the large number of people who earned a livelihood by obtaining coolies for Assam tea estates under the contractors system would retire from business on the enactment of the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1915, and, even up to the present, some of them are endeavouring to carry on a profession which has now become illegal.

The fact that, till the abovementioned amending Act was passed, coolies recruited in Native States could be taken up to Assam free of all restrictions was a fruitful source of abuse. This was not only the case in regard to coolies who were *bonâ fide* natives of Native States, but also in regard to coolies who were natives of British recruiting districts, the latter being frequently forwarded to Assam misdescribed as natives of Native States. In this way the safeguards provided by the Act were evaded. Such people were often removed from their home districts on the pretext that they were proceeding to Chittagong, Calcutta or elsewhere in order to obtain work. Arrived at Goalundo or at some place at a distance from their homes, they became "free or non-act Native State coolies." Since the amendment of the law, all coolies described as being from Native States, are required to be registered before their departure from the British recruiting district which they may enter on leaving the

Native State, and can only emigrate to Assam from such district subject to the same conditions as natives of the district. The Amending Act (VIII of 1915) became law on the 27th March 1915, and although Section 7 of that Act, in virtue of the provisions of which the system of recruitment by contractors was abolished, was not put into operation by notification of the Government of India until the 1st July 1915, the provisions relating to natives of Native States came into force with the Act itself, and consequently all coolies said to have been recruited in Native States, whether by contractors or otherwise, should have been registered. This change in the law was, however, overlooked, and even after the 1st July 1915, from which date the provisions of Act VI of 1901 legalising recruitment by contractors were withdrawn, the so-called free or non-act Native States coolies were, through a misapprehension at Goalundo, allowed to pass up to Assam as before without restriction. But a stop was soon put to this by the Government of Bengal on the matter being brought to their notice by the Board, and other Local Governments were also good enough to issue instructions on the subject. This particular form of illegal recruitment had now ceased.

Recruitment nominally for Chittagong, etc.

23. During the earlier half of the year under review, reports were rife that contractors and arkatties were sending up batches of coolies to Assam either as ordinary third class passengers or under cover of recruitment for Chittagong tea gardens. Accounts were, moreover, received of batches being hawked from garden to garden. At the instance of the Board the Government of Bengal kindly agreed to depute a special police officer to patrol the transit routes and the Chief Commissioner of Assam was pleased to permit the Assam railway police to co-operate. Owing to press of other work it was unfortunately found necessary to remove the special police officer from this work, but it is hoped that it will be found possible to depute one again later on. To what extent this type of illegal recruitment is being practised at present it is not easy to say, as there is no very definite information. The Board are inclined to the opinion, however, that it is not now being followed to any great extent, though undoubtedly at the outset, before the new conditions became fully known, some illegally recruited batches went forward. For one thing, the number of managers who will accept illegally recruited coolies is exceedingly small. For another, the temporary closure of the Hill Section of the Assam-Bengal Railway would considerably hamper operations nominally for Chittagong. There can be no doubt, also, but that arkatties and the like are not having by any means an easy time; their trade is now illegal and it becomes increasingly difficult to carry it on. In Basti district in the United Provinces there was an organised raid on recruiters. In Sambalpore, too, legal proceedings were taken against them on a large scale and in other districts the authorities have taken steps to curb their activities. In this work the Board have been able to afford assistance by furnishing District Officers with information of offers to supply coolies made to tea agency firms and managers of estates, which are now in many cases reported to the Board by the recipients. The information gleaned by the Supervisors of the Board and from other sources is likewise placed at the disposal of District Officers, who are also made welcome to the services of the Supervisors, if required. In some cases District Officers have requested the Board to undertake prosecutions, but latter believe that neither they nor their Supervisors are empowered to do so and that their duty is confined to furnishing information and rendering assistance. It would, however, greatly add to the usefulness of the Supervisors if they were given powers of arrest and investigation in cases of illegal recruitment. Were the Criminal Investigation Department, also, to take up such cases, it would result in the more speedy elimination of the arkatti, as the operations of illegal recruiters are often widespread, extending over many districts, and even over several provinces, a fact which renders it difficult for the ordinary district police to cope with the organisation.

Garden-sardars working independently of a local agent.

24. What has done more than anything else, perhaps, to keep alive the arkatti is this practice of deputing garden-sardars to recruit independently of a local agent. Though the great majority of tea estates work only through responsible local agents, there have been a number—

fortunately a decreasing one—which have deputed sardars to work independently. These sardars do not recruit themselves, but go to an ex-contractor or arkatti who supplies them with coolies on payment. In some cases which have come to the notice of the Board, the sardar is himself an arkatti. From the correspondence in the Board's office it would seem that tea agency firms and managers of estates have been bombarded with offers to supply coolies, if either sardars are sent down to the applicant or latter is appointed their local agent. In not a few cases the Board's recommendation has been sought for the appointment of persons of this class as local agents, such recommendation being, needless to say, withheld. Though offers of this description are generally consigned to the waste paper basket or forwarded to the Board to be dealt with, a small minority of concerns have been lured into sending down sardars to these persons. Offers to supply coolies come in the greatest numbers from the United Provinces. This is largely due to the fact that the province is a centre of recruitment for the Colonies. There can be no doubt but that certain Colonial contractors unite with their legitimate business an illegal recruiting business for Assam, coolies who are rejected by the Colonial authorities being too frequently sold to illegal recruiters or sardars for despatch to Assam. An ex-contractor for the Colonies informed the Chairman of the Board that he used to dispose of his rejections in this way, and in the Madras Presidency a Colonial contractor actually offered the Chairman a batch of coolies, which he was unable, for the moment, to get accepted for the Colonies, emigration having been temporarily stopped. Neither of these gentlemen, it may be remarked, knew that he was doing anything illegal, though the same, it is feared, cannot be said in regard to most of the other persons concerned in this traffic. It is obvious that this system of disposing of Colonial rejections not only provides a field for the arkatti and independent sardar, but also constitutes a temptation to the *bonâ fide* sardar, working under a local agent. From the point of view of recruitment for Assam, therefore, it seems very desirable that steps should be taken to insure that coolies rejected by the Colonial authorities as being unfit or unsuitable are sent back to their homes.

In view of the danger to *bonâ fide* recruitment caused by the employment of garden-sardars to recruit independently of a local agent, the Board decided, at their meeting held in December 1915, that, on its coming to their notice that a manager has deputed a sardar to recruit independently, he should be called upon to recall him at once, and to give a guarantee that he will in future only depute sardars to recruit under a responsible local agent. Failing compliance with such requisition it was resolved that the matter should be reported to the Assam Administration with the recommendation that countersignature of the certificates of all sardars of the garden should be withheld, until the concern should take the desired action. Through the courtesy of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner the Board is now being supplied monthly with lists of garden-sardars who have been granted certificates to recruit independently of a local agent, so that action can at once be taken to secure their withdrawal. It is satisfactory to note that for the last few months these lists have been blank.

Action taken as regards tea concerns which engage improperly recruited coolies.

25. The Board have not lost sight of the fact that illegal recruitment would cease altogether (except in so far as it can be carried on through the medium of *bonâ fide* sardars without the knowledge of their employers) if tea concerns would refuse to employ improperly recruited coolies. The Board are glad to be able to report that the great body of the tea industry is with them in their endeavour to put down abuses, and in the conviction that a clean system of recruitment is essential in order to promote emigration to Assam. At the outset, the methods adopted by certain gardens were open to objection, and in two cases the Assam Administration was asked to intervene, with the result that one manager who employed an arkatti to recruit as a sardar was required, on the recommendation of the local Branch of the Indian Tea Association, to contribute Rs. 150 to one of the war funds. In the other case the Assam Administration was of opinion that the manager had erred owing to the instructions which he had received from the agents for the garden. Latter were accordingly addressed with satisfactory results. In the remaining cases a reference to the agents for the estate or to the manager was

sufficient to ensure that the practices complained of would not be repeated Such trouble as there was in the earlier portion of the year was due to a great extent to the fact that some managers had not realised the changed conditions as regards recruitment now obtaining. The Chairman toured in both the Assam and Surma Valleys, where meetings were held at convenient centres, at which recruiting matters were discussed, and difficulties explained, and it is hoped that this helped to remove misapprehensions. The Board, however, regret to have to say that there is still a small residuum of estates, the recruiting methods of which leave much to be desired. These estates are being dealt with, and if they prove recalcitrant the Board will not hesitate to ask the Assam Administration to put a stop to their recruiting till they mend their ways. Certain cases regarding the recruitment for such estates are now under investigation in the recruiting districts, and will probably result in the prosecution of the managers concerned. The Board would have preferred to see the desired end obtained by voluntary agreement without resort to the law courts, but a few concerns, which are as blind to their own interests as they are indifferent to those of the tea industry as a whole, cannot be permitted to obstruct the adoption of the reforms which have been decided upon.

Illegal recruitment in the Gorakhpur Division.

26. The Government of the United Provinces addressed the Board in November 1915 in regard to the serious abuses in recruitment which had occurred in the Gorakhpur Division, and asked for their advice as to whether somewhat stringent restrictions should not be placed upon the operations of sardars. There can be no doubt but that the Government of the United Provinces had had much to complain of, but the Board were of opinion that the source of the abuses was not the *bonâ fide* garden-sardar working under a reliable local Agent, but that the evil was attributable partly to the fact that, though the contractors system was abolished in that province in 1908, contractors and arkatties still continued to work, in some cases as licensed local agents and in others without licenses at all. Their operations were facilitated owing to the fact that entirely free and unrestricted recruitment was at the same time allowed to the Surma Valley districts and Kamrup and Goalpara, the result being that no control was exercised over sardars or others alleging that they were recruiting for those areas, who could operate and remove their recruits without reporting to any one. The measures recommended by the Board were the careful selection of local agents, in which it is the duty of the Board to assist, the rigid supervision of all sardars working independently of a local agent, and the amendment of the notification issued by the Government of the United Provinces under section 91, Act VI of 1901, so as to provide for the countersignature of the certificates of all sardars in the labour districts, copies of the certificates being forwarded to the Magistrate of the recruiting district concerned. A conference on the subject was held at Gorakhpur in January 1916, at which the Commissioner presided, and which was attended by the local District Officers, the Chairman of Board, Mr. Craven, Supervisor, and the local Superintendent of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association. The orders of the Government of the United Provinces on this subject are shortly expected, and the Chief Commissioner of Assam has already been so good as to direct that copies of all certificates shall be forwarded by the countersigning officer to the Magistrate of the district in which the sardar is to recruit.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Questions relating to transit arrangements.

27. Much inconvenience is experienced by batches of coolies *en route* to Assam, when the peon deputed by the local agency or transport agency to accompany the batch is taken into custody. Such cases occur when a coolie in the batch becomes unwilling to proceed and accuses the peon or sardar of wrongful confinement, or in consequence of charges made by the railway police or railway station staff. When the peon or sardar in charge is removed, the batch is stranded, and in many cases the coolies composing it become alarmed and abscond. The matter was represented by the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association some time back to the Government of Bengal, who, after consulting the Chairman of the Board, have passed orders which will do much to remove

the inconvenience. Stress has been laid upon the desirability of distinguishing between non-cognisable cases under the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901, and cognisable cases under the Indian Penal Code, and it has been enjoined that, in all cases in which the detention of the sardar or peon in charge should be necessary, information should be sent without delay to the nearest local or transport agent concerned in order that he may arrange for the escort of the batch of coolies. Similar instructions have been issued by the Government of Bihar and Orissa and by the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

In July 1915, a conference was held at the office of the Coaching Superintendent, East Indian Railway, with the object of discussing improvements in transport arrangements. The conference was attend by representatives of the East Indian and Eastern Bengal Railways, the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, the Transport Agents and by the Chairman of the Board, and satisfactory conclusions were arrived at. The Traffic Manager, East Indian Railway, has issued most useful instructions as regards the assistance which is to be afforded to emigrants travelling to Assam tea estates.

The Eastern Bengal Railway have undertaken to improve the facilities for emigrants on the Amingaon route and are providing feeding accommodation at Santahar and Golakganj, as well as hospital accommodation at the latter place, the present hospital accommodation at Amingaon being enlarged. On receipt of representations from the Board regarding the detention of certain batches of coolies which were being *chalaneed* to gardens in the agency of Messrs. Williamson Magor & Co., the administration of that Railway has also been good enough to give instructions which are likely to obviate the recurrence of inconveniences of this description.

After consultation with the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, a recommendation was made to the Government of the United Provinces that the transit routes prescribed by rule 55, Chapter III, page 91 of the Inland Emigration Manual of that Province should be amended as follows in view of recent improvements in communications with Assam:—

(*a*) From the districts situate on the north of the rivers Gogra or Ganges by the Bengal and North-Western Railway and/or Oudh and Rohilkand Railway to Amingaon and Gauhati *viâ* Katihar or to Goalundo *viâ* Naihati.

(*b*) From all other districts, by the Great Indian Peninsula Railway and/or East Indian Railway to Amingaon *viâ* Bhagalpur Ghât or to Goalundo *viâ* Naihati.

After the close of the year an intimation has been received from the Government of the United Provinces that this recommendation has been accepted.

Improved measures for the prevention of outbreaks of cholera and small pox among batches of tea garden emigrants were under discussion with the Sanitary Commissioner, Assam, at the close of the year.

Conclusion.

28. At the conclusion of the first year of the existence of the Board, the members wish to tender their thanks to the Local Governments and Officers of Government with whom the Board have been brought into contact, as well as to the Indian Tea Association and its Branches, to the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, and generally to all connected with the tea industry for the kind reception and support which has been afforded them, without which the difficulty of establishing the Board on a sound working basis would have been greatly increased.

W. M. KENNEDY,

Chairman, Assam Labour Board.

APPENDIX A.

No. L. A.-688, dated Calcutta, the 15th September 1916.

From—The Inspector of Local Accounts, Bengal,

To—The Chairman, Assam Labour Board.

I have the honour to report that the accounts of the Assam Labour Board for the period from 1st May 1915 to 30th June 1916 have been audited under my supervision. The abstract of the accounts of receipts and expenditure prepared by the Board, a copy of which is attached to this report, has been examined and found generally correct subject to the remarks contained in the following paragraphs :—

Verification of Balance—

2. The balance of the accounts on the 30th June 1916 has been verified as explained below :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance as per account	1,20,243	2	1
Amount of Permanent Advances to Supervisors	900	0	0
TOTAL	1,21,143	2	1

Analysis of the Balance—

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Amount deposited in the Bank of Bengal	1,22,166	3	9			
(2) Balance in the hands of the Chairman	514	15	7			
(3) Permanent Advance	900	0	0			
(4) Debit in the Bank's Accounts not accounted for during the year	0	1	0			
TOTAL	1,23,581	4	4			
Less—						
Outstanding cheques	2,438	2	3			
				1,21,143	2	1

The total receipt during the period under audit amounted to Rs. 1,97,159-12-9, while the expenditure came to Rs. 76,916-10-8, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,20,243-2-1. This balance would have been increased by Rs. 2,706-0-11 had not the salary of the Chairman and of the establishment for the month of June 1916 been paid on the last day of the month instead of on the first working day of the following month.

CASH BOOK.

3. The cash book contains records of petty payments made from the permanent advance of Rs. 400 sanctioned by the Board. It is desirable that the petty payments met from the permanent advance should be recorded in a separate permanent advance register and the amount of the advance recouped as necessity arises, the recoupments being only charged in the main cash book. In this connection, it is brought to notice that the limit of the permanent advance was exceeded in some instances. If the permanent advance register is separately kept and the collections are remitted intact to the Bank for credit to the Board's accounts, such accumulations of cash may be avoided. This procedure will also minimise clerical work in the Board's office.

BUDGET ESTIMATES.

4. The Budget estimates for the year under report required the formal sanction of the Government of India as prescribed by rule 23 of rules published in Commerce and Industry Department Notification No. 295—132-C., dated the 20th November 1915. Some modifications were made in the estimates after they had been passed by the Board. These changes required the final approval of the Government of India.

There was an aggregate excess of Rs. 5,623-3-8 over the Budget grants under the several heads. This excess may be sanctioned by the Board with the approval of the Government of India.

RECEIPTS.

Cess on Garden Sardars and emigrants.

5. Under rule 24 (1) (*a*) of the rules published by the Government of India, the cess on sardars is to be remitted by the District Officers of the labour districts, who are also required to furnish the Chairman with lists of sardars deputed by the tea gardeners; but this procedure was not followed during the year under report and the cess was realised from the agents according to their own statements. Consequently no check could be exercised over the cess realised on the garden-sardars actually on work in the recruiting districts.

6. With regard to cess on the emigrants Rule 24 (3) lays down that the Superintendents of Emigration should furnish the Chairman with monthly statements showing the number of emigrants despatched to the tea gardens. It appears that the Superintendents did not furnish the statements regularly. Consequently no check could be exercised on the statements furnished by the agents. The cess is, however, being realised on the statements furnished by the agents In this connection, it may be mentioned that the statements furnished by the Superintendents of Emigration are the duplicate copies of the returns of the local agents who furnish the original copies to their agents. The intention of the Rule 24 (3) is apparently that one set of figures should check the other. Since both sets of figures practically come from the local agent, the value of the check referred to above seems to be doubtful. It is therefore suggested that a procedure may be laid down by which the Superintendents may furnish their figures from an independent source, so that they might be useful in checking the figures furnished by the agents. It is also suggested that the Superintendents of recruiting districts may be asked to furnish their statements regularly to the Board's office in future.

EXPENDITURE.

7. The irregularities in expenditure noticed during the course of audit have been communicated to the Chairman through the Audit Objection Statements for necessary action.

اوزان ثلاثی مزید - رباعی مجرد و رباعی مزید فیه - خاصیة ابواب
ثلاثی المزید فیه - تخفیف الهمزة - تعلیل و ادغام المرفوعات و المنصوبات و
المجرورات و التوابع *

RECEIPTS.

Particulars.	Budget.	Actuals.	Short.	Excess.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1. Cess received from employers on garden sardars and emigrants.	95,300 0 0	1,81,114 0 0	...	85,814 0 0
2. Contribution from the Government of India on account of Chairman's salary.	20,240 6 9	*16,045 12 9	4,194 10 0	...
TOTAL .	1,15,540 6 9	1,97,159 12 9	4,194 10 0	85,814 0 0

* Contribution paid by the Government of India up to 31st March 1916.

W. M. KENNEDY, *Lt.-Col.*,
Chairman, Assam Labour Board.

Examined and found correct.

(Sd.) P. N. MUKHERJI,
Inspector of Local Accounts, Bengal.

EXPENDITURE.

Particulars.	Budget.	Actuals.	Saving.	Excess.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1. Salary of Chairman	38,540 5 1	38,216 15 9	323 5 4	...
2. Exchange compensation allowance	1,940 7 4	1,944 7 6	...	4 0 2
3. Travelling allowance of Chairman	6,500 0 0	3,556 13 5	2,943 2 7	...
4. Travelling allowance of Members of Board	5,000 0 0	1,765 7 0	3,234 9 0	...
5. Salary of Board's office	3,557 0 0	3,078 15 7	478 0 5	...
6. Travelling allowance of Board's office	1,600 0 0	973 5 4	626 10 8	..
7. Grain compensation allowance	56 0 0	30 8 10	25 7 2	...
8. Purchase of books and periodicals	...	539 1 0	.	539 1 0
9. Stationery and printing	500 0 0	793 3 1	...	293 3 1
10. Forms	500 0 0	626 13 0	...	126 13 0
11. Postage and telegrams	600 0 0	560 13 0	39 3 0	...
12. Office rent	2,100 0 0	1,845 15 6	254 0 6	...
13. Telephone charges	200 0 0	200 0 0	...	...
14. Electric light and fans	400 0 0	467 10 0	...	67 10 0
15. Office contingencies	900 0 0	1,647 13 0	...	747 13 0
16. Office furniture	1,000 0 0	965 14 0	34 2 0	...
17. Purchase of typewriters	1,223 0 0	1,340 12 0	...	117 12 0
18. Temporary establishment and job typing	...	690 6 7	...	690 6 7
19. Liveries	170 0 0	274 2 0	...	104 2 0
20. Tour charges	500 0 0	271 4 3	228 11 9	...
Supervisors.				
21. Salary of supervisors	12,161 4 7	9,021 4 7	3,140 0 0	...
22. Travelling allowance of supervisors	5,400 0 0	3,160 10 6	2,239 5 6	...
23. Contribution towards leave and pension allowances of supervisors.	...	1,861 15 10	...	1,861 15 10
24. Salary of supervisors' establishment	552 0 0	299 11 4	252 4 8	...
25. Travelling allowance of supervisors' establishment.	888 0 0	355 3 6	532 12 6	...
26. Contingent expenditure including stationery	700 0 0	1,769 14 6	...	1,069 14
27. Office rent	360 0 0	150 0 0	210 0 0	...
28. Grain compensation allowance	24 0 0	7 14 1	6 1 11	...
29. Furniture	600 0 0	427 3 0	172 13 0	...
30. Liveries	72 0 0	72 8 6	...	0 8 6
TOTAL	86,044 1 0	76,916 10 8	14,750 10 0	5,623 3 8

W. M. KENNEDY, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Chairman, Assam Labour Board.

APPENDIX B.

List of matters delegated by the Board to the Executive Committee.

It was resolved that the following powers and duties be delegated to the Executive Committee:—

Subject to the general control of the Board the Executive Committee shall have power:—

(1) to sanction excess expenditure under budget heads and, if necessary, transfers from one head of the budget to another and from the closing balance;

(2) to sanction the entertainment of additional ministerial and menial establishment;

(3) to dispose of all cases relating to individual instances of wrongful recruitment, complaints against Government or railway servants, not involving matters of general principle;

(4) generally to dispose of all routine matters, and questions not involving general principles;

(5) to sanction the grant of leave in excess of one month to the Board's servants other than menials. Leave not exceeding one month and all leave of menials to be sanctioned by Chairman;

(6) to make temporary or acting appointments of supervisors in leave or other casual vacancies;

(7) to sanction the posting and transfer of supervisors; and

(8) to control the work of the supervisors and, from time to time, to issue such instructions as may be necessary for their guidance.

Ordered that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations noted on the margin and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

Government of Bengal.
Government of Bihar and Orissa.
Government of the United Provinces.
Government of Madras.
Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.
Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 1st December 1916.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 25th November 1916 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	Delhi City	1	...
		TOTAL	1	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City	9	6
		Ahmedabad City	6	5
		Kaira District	16	12
		Surat Town and Port	29	25
		Surat District	18	9
		Kalyan Port	1	1
		Thana District	7	7
	Central	Ahmednagar District	688	516
		West Khandesh District	362	294
		East Khandesh District	42	28
		Poona Town	257	202
		Poona District	462	348
		Nasik District	245	158
		Satara District	285	203
		Sholapur Town	175	139
		Sholapur District	663	553
	Southern	Ratnagiri Port	3	1
		Ratnagiri District	10	11
		Panvel Port	6	1
		Belgaum District	275	142
		Hubli Town	104	87
		Dharwar District	269	141
		Kanara District	3	2
		Bijapur District	497	306
	Political Charges.	Baroda State	46	39
		Mangrol Port	1	1
		Kathiawar Agency	58	44
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country States	331	237
		Bijapur Agency	...	1
		Satara Agency	21	12
		Rewa Kantha Agency	16	9
		Savanur State	67	37
		Akalkot State	9	7
		Bhor State	6	4
		TOTAL	4,967	3,573

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	...	Madras Town	1(*a*)	...
		Anantapur District	8(*a*)	5(*a*)
		Bellary District	171	99
		Chittoor District	13(*b*)	8(*c*)
		Coimbatore Town	8	7
		Coimbatore District	358(*d*)	250(*e*
		Salem Town	7	4
		Salem District	75(*a*)	45(*a*)
		North Arcot District	41(*b*)	30(*c*)
		Nilgiris District	2(*a*)	1
		Kistna District	1(*a*)	1(*a*)
		TOTAL	685	440
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.	...	......	...	...
BIHAR AND ORISSA.	Patna	Patna City	5	5
		Patna District	28	28
		Shahabad District	29	21
	Tirhut	Saran District	83	50
		Muzaffarpur District	4	3
		Darbhanga District	23	19
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	85	45
		TOTAL	257	171
UNITED PROVINCES.	Rohilkhand.	Moradabad District	7	2
	Allahabad	Cawnpore City	2	2
		Cawnpore District	24	24
		Fatehpur District	10	8
		Allahabad District	49	49
	Benares	Benares District	17	13
		Jaunpur District	15	11
		Ghazipur District	43	17
	Gorakhpur.	Ballia District	66	62
		Gorakhpur District	170	70
		Basti District	22	18
		Azamgarh District	20	8
	Lucknow	Rae Bareli District	22	7
		Sitapur District	12	12
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	2	2
		Gonda District	25	15
		Sultanpur District	8	5
		Partabgarh District	6	5
		Bara Banki District	2	2
		TOTAL	522	332

(*a*) One imported. (*b*) Three imported. (*c*) Two imported. (*d*) Seven imported. (*e*) Four imported.
In the return for the week ending 18th November 1916, *add* Muzaffarnagar District—9 cases, 9 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District	...	1
	Jullundur	Ludhiana District	7	1
	Lahore	Gujranwala District	1	1
	Rawalpindi.	Gujrat District	2	...
		Rawalpindi District	61	43
		TOTAL	71	46
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town	2	2
		Insein District	...	1
		Hanthawaddy District	1	1
		Tharrawaddy District	3	2
		Prome District	9	9
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	1	1
		Henzada District	3	2
	Tenasserim.	Toungoo District	1	1
	Magwe	Magwe District	1	1
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	2	...
	Meiktila	Kyaukse District	6	4
		Yamethin District	3	1
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	...	...
		TOTAL	32	25
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town	324	324
		Nagpur District	310	227
		Kamptee Cantonment	156	104
		Bhandara Town	3	1
		Bhandara District	1	1
		Wardha Town	1	...
		Wardha District	72	41
		Chanda District	4	4
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town	20	8
		Mandla Town	1	...
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	160	134
		Betul District	2	1
		Chindwara District	2	...
	Chhattisgarh.	Raipur District	1	1
		Bilaspur Town	5	1
	Berar	Amraoti Town	1	1
		Amraoti District	60	52
		Akola Town	1	1
		Akola District	110	64
		Buldana District	201	158
		TOTAL	1,435	1,123
ASSAM	...	......	...	...
COORG	...	Coorg	1	..
		TOTAL	1	...

In the return for the week ending 11th November 1916 against Toungoo District *read* 1 death for *nil.*
Ditto ditto *or* Akola Town *read* Akola District.

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	44	41
		Bangalore City	35	31
		Bangalore District	115	94
		Mysore City	25	15
		Mysore District	106	84
		Hassan District	8	6
		Kadur District	28	22
		Shimoga District	62	40
		Chitaldroog District	43	29
		Kolar Gold Fields	26	19
		Kolar District	74	55
		TOTAL	566	436
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	287	258
		Bir District	248	183
		Parbhani District	127	108
		Nander District	186	153
		Gulbarga District	115	82
		Raichur District	37	21
		Usmanabad District	40	35
		Atrafibaldah Sarf-i-Khas District	78	69
		Bidar District	99	64
		Medak District	39	34
		Nizamabad District	1	...
		Nalgonda District	4	...
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	366	321
		TOTAL	1,627 (a)	1,328 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Indore City	94	73
		Indore State	4	2
		Indore Residency Bazars	4	3
		Dhar State	...	1
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	40	22
		TOTAL	142 (b)	101 (b)
RAJPUTANA.	...	Ajmer District	4	4
		TOTAL	4	4
N.-W.-F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	10,330	7,579

(a) From the 13th to the 19th November 1916.
(b) For the week ending 18th November 1916.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 30th November 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. The storm which was crossing the Peninsula at the close of the previous week disappeared over the Arabian Sea probably during the 26th, after giving widespread rain over the Peninsula and the central parts of the country. Dry weather set in on the 26th and held during the rest of the week except in the extreme south of the Peninsula where rainfall occurred on the 28th and 29th in connection with a slight disturbance near Ceylon.

A slight disturbance of the winter type affected northwest India in the beginning of the week and caused light snowfall in Kashmir.

2. *Burma.*—Toungoo and Yamethin had light rain on the 29th.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—There was no rain.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was nearly general rain in Central India on the 24th and 25th and in Berar and the Central Provinces West on the 24th. Local falls were also recorded in the United Provinces East in the beginning of the week.

Northwest India.—Light precipitation was recorded at Sonamarg, Dras and Murree.

The Peninsula.—Nearly general rain fell on the Madras coast north on the 23rd and 24th, in Mysore, Hyderabad South and the Madras Deccan on the 23rd, in the Bombay Deccan on the 24th, in Hyderabad North on the 24th and 25th and in Madras southeast on the 28th.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

November	23rd.	Hyderabad (Deccan) 1·02″, Chitaldrug 1·71″, Bangalore 1·28″, Masulipatam 3·05″, Cocanada 6·08″ and Waltair 1·72″.
„	24th.	Cawnpore 1·36″, Nowgong 0·76″, Sutna 0·72″, Hoshangabad 1·20″, Jubbulpore 2·20″, Nagpur 0·85″, Pachmarhi 1·00″ and Ratnagiri 1·86″.
„	25th.	Cawnpore 0·84″, Akola 1·83″ and Malegaum 0·76″.
„	26th.	
„	27th.	
„	28th.	Table Island 1·53″, Cochin 1·72″, Trivandrum 2·05″ and Pamban 1·05″.
„	29th.	Pamban 2·20″ and Negapatam 1·45″.

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Burma, Assam, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Madras southeast and the Madras Deccan. It was 20 per cent or more in excess in the United Provinces, Central India, Berar, the Central Provinces, Bombay, Hyderabad, Mysore, Malabar and the Madras Coast North. It was within 20 per cent of the normal in Kashmir. No rain usually falls at this time of the year in Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, the Punjab, Sind, Rajputana and Gujarat.

The rainfall from the 28th April to date is as much as 20 per cent in defect in Kashmir alone. It is within 20 per cent of the normal in the Bay Islands, Burma, Assam, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, the Punjab Southwest, Gujarat, the Central Provinces, Malabar and Madras southeast, and is 20 per cent or more in excess in the remainder of the country.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 30th November 1916.			Rainfall data from 28th April 1916 to 30th November 1916.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal: This week.	Percentage departure from normal: Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	1·1	2·6	—1·5	110·9	10[illegible]·8	+4·1	+4	+5
Lower Burma	0	0·3	—0·3	148·4	141·8	+6·6	+5	+5
Upper Burma	0	0·2	—0·2	42·4	42·7	—0·3	—1	0
Assam	0	0·3	—0·3	72·6	78·4	—5·8	—7	—7
Bengal	0	0	0	85·3	70·0	+15·3	+22	+22
Orissa	0	0	0	67·1	58·7	+8·4	+14	+14
Chota Nagpur	0	0	0	47·4	49·5	—2·1	—4	—4
Bihar	0	0	0	63·6	49·7	+13·9	+28	+28
United Provinces, East	0·5	0	+0·5	49·5	39·3	+10·2	+26	+25
United Provinces, West	0·1	0	+0·1	51·1	39·2	+11·9	+30	+30
Punjab, East and North	0	0	0	30·3	21·3	+9·0	+42	+42
Punjab, South-West	0	0	0	9·4	8·1	+1·3	+16	+16
Kashmir	0·1	0·1	0	7·0	9·1	—2·1	—23	—23
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·1	—0·1	11·0	6·0	+5·0	+83	+86
Baluchistan	0	0·2	—0·2	4·2	2·6	+1·6	+62	+75
Sind	0	0	0	12·9	4·8	+8·1	+169	+169
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	23·1	11·4	+11·7	+103	+103
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	31·6	22·9	+8·7	+38	+38
Gujarat	0	0	0	26·6	23·5	+3·1	+13	+13
Central India, West	0·4	0·1	+0·3	46·8	29·8	+11·0	+37	+36
Central India, East	1·1	0·1	+1·0	49·3	41·2	+8·1	+20	+17
Berar	1·3	0·1	+1·2	46·9	31·1	+15·8	+51	+17
Central Provinces, West	1·1	0·1	+1·0	53·0	45·1	+7·9	+18	+[illegible]5
Central Provinces, East	0·3	0·1	+0·2	50·4	48·3	+2·1	+4	+4
Konkan	0·5	0	+0·5	126·9	97·1	+29·8	+31	+30
Bombay Deccan	0·6	0	+0·6	39·5	27·5	+12·0	+44	+41
Hyderabad, North	0·5	0	+0·5	42·2	33·0	+9·2	+28	+25
Hyderabad, South	0·7	0	+0·7	48·1	30·2	+17·9	+59	+57
Mysore	1·3	0·3	+1·0	40·3	28·2	+12·1	+43	+40
Malabar	1·3	0·6	+0·7	102·3	98·7	+3·6	+4	+3
Madras, South-East	1·0	1·8	—0·8	31·2	30·3	+0·9	+3	+5
Madras Deccan	0·3	0·4	—0·1	37·2	24·7	+12·5	+51	+52
Madras Coast, North	2·8	0·6	+2·2	46·4	35·5	+10·9	+31	+25

G. C. SIMPSON,
for *Director General of Observatories.*

Dated the 30th November 1916.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 25th November 1916.

Burma.—The week was rainless. Reaping of winter rice has begun and planting of island crops is proceeding. Plucking of cotton and gathering of groundnut continue. Standing crops are satisfactory. The cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice has risen further to rupees 115 per hundred baskets and is slightly above normal. The market for white rice is steady.

Assam.—The weather during the week was seasonable and very little rain fell. Plucking and manufacture of tea are nearly completed. Harvesting of winter rice and sowing of mustard and pulses are in progress. Pressing of sugarcane has commenced. Prospects of tea and mustard are fair and those of cotton are fair to good. Damage to crops caused by insect pests is reported from four districts. Insufficiency of fodder is reported from two and cattle disease from three districts. The price of common rice has fallen in four districts and slightly risen in two. Distribution of agricultural loans continues in Cachar.

Bengal.—No rain fell during the week. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced in places and a good outturn is expected. Sowing of potatoes and other spring crops is progressing briskly. The prospects of standing crops except in certain low-lying tracts are on the whole reported to be good. Cattle disease exists in five districts only. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 1·7 per cent as compared with that of the preceding week.

Bihar and Orissa.—The week was practically rainless. Harvesting of paddy is in progress. Sowing of spring crops continues in some districts. Standing crops are on the whole doing well. The average price of common rice has fallen as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder is generally sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from several districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is on the whole good.

United Provinces.—Light rain fell in the south and east of the Province. Harvesting of autumn crops is nearing completion; sowing of poppy, irrigation of winter crops, pressing of sugarcane and picking of cotton continue. Sowing of winter crops is almost complete. Standing crops are doing well and prospects are good. The condition of agricultural stock is good though some cattle disease is still reported from a few districts. Fodder and water are sufficient. Market supplies are ample. A general rise in prices is noticeable.

Punjab.—The weather remains dry. Rain is wanted for spring crops in a few south-eastern and submontane districts. Picking of cotton, pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of maize and rice, etc., continue. The yield is normal to good. The condition of standing crops and of sugarcane and cotton is generally good. Sowings of wheat, barley, rapeseed, etc., are in progress and are normal or above normal. Germination of crops sown is good. Cattle are healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Prices of wheat and other grains have risen and generally range between normal and scarcity rates. In some cases autumn food grains are below normal rates. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices of wheat.—Lahore 8¼, Lyallpur 9, Ambala, Ferozepur and Rawalpindi 9¼ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—The week was rainless; rain is required for autumn sowings on unirrigated areas in the Peshawar district. The weather is cold. The condition of standing irrigated and unirrigated crops is average in the province. Sowing of spring and harvesting of autumn crops are proceeding; the outturn of latter is reported to be average except in Dera Ismail Khan where it is below average. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is not running. The public health is good, but malarial fever is still prevalent in Peshawar and a few cases of cholera occurred in the Dera Ismail Khan district. Prices are high and rising in Peshawar and Bannu but falling in Dera Ismail Khan.

Jammu.—Light rain is reported to have fallen in tahsil Ramban only. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 14 and maize from 14 to 24 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Cattle disease still prevails in the Ranbir singhpura tahsil. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was insignificant. Spring crops are being sown. The cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices have risen.

Rajputana.—The weather is cool and clear. Slight showers have fallen in Banswara and Partabgarh and 50 cents in the Kotah district. Standing crops are doing well. Harvesting of autumn and sowing of spring crops continue. Prospects are promising Agricultural stock is in a healthy condition except in some places in Kishangarh where cattle disease is reported. Water and fodder are abundant. Prices are normal in Karauli; rising in Mewar Dungarpur, Jaipur, Kishangarh and Tonk and stationary elsewhere.

Central India.—The weather is cloudy; the rainfall is general in Baghelkhand and Southern States and sufficient elsewhere. Sowing of spring and harvesting of autumn crops continue everywhere except in some parganas of Gwalior where they have been retarded by heavy rains. Picking of cotton has commenced in Indore and Malwa. Standing corps and probable outturn are fair in Indore and Bhopal and good elsewhere. Crops have been damaged in the Shujawalpur pargana of Gwalior and in Bhopal by excessive rain. Agricultural stock is in good condition everywhere except that there is some cattle disease. Fodder supply is sufficient Prices are rising in Bhopal, fluctuating in Indore and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been clear and cool and occasionally cloudy. Light to moderate showers were received over most of the provinces, nowhere exceeding ½ inches. Reaping and threshing of autumn crops, picking of cotton and sowing of spring crops are in progress but operations were somewhat impeded in places owing to unseasonable rain. Spring seedlings already germinated are in good condition and prospects are so far satisfactory. Fodder and water are sufficient and cattle are healthy. Wheat showed a sharp rise of about 1 seer per rupee; *juar* also showed a tendency to rise.

Feudatory States:—Two States received light showers.

Bombay.—Rain fell during the week in parts of the Konkan, the Deccan, the Carnatic, Rewa Kantha and Kolhapur. Standing crops are generally thriving but severe damage has been caused in Bijapur by excessive rain, slight damage in Belgaum, Kolhapur, three talukas of Poona and two talukas of Dharwar. They are withering in two talukas of Kaira. Autumn harvesting generally continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh, Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Kathiawar. Spring sowing generally continues. The supply of fodder is adequate. Agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains are generally steady.

Hyderabad.—The rainfall during the week was light throughout except one inch seven cents in the Nalgonda district. Break in rain benefitted crops which are improving. The average fall was sixteen cents. Autumn and early rice crops which had suffered from rain are being harvested. Spring lands have been resown in parts. The crop is fair to good and is being weeded generally. Late rice lands are being prepared and sown. Cattle disease prevails in seventeen taluks. Prices of grains are almost constant. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 8½ seers per rupee in Warangal and the lowest 26¾ seers per rupee in Usmanabad.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good in Bangalore, Kolar, Tumkur, Hussan and Chitaldroog and light elsewhere. Price of food grains is generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of harvested *ragi*, paddy and sugarcane is fair. Prospects of season are good. Cattle are generally healthy and water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 14 cents. The condition of rice is good. Picking of cardamom and coffee continue. Prices of food grains are high. Public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient. Rinderpest prevails in parts.

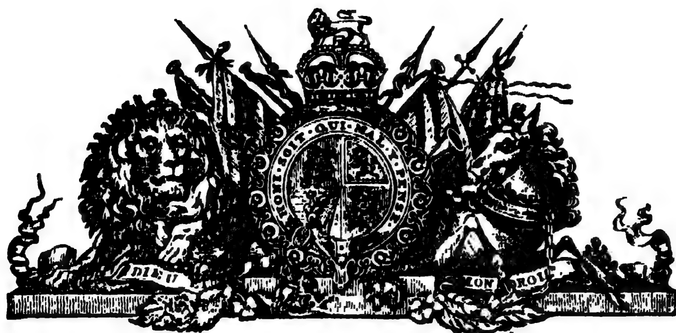
Madras.—The rainfall during the week was very heavy in Chingleput and Madras; heavy in Godaveri, Kistna, Guntur Nellore, South Arcot, Chittoor and North Arcot; good in Vizagapatam littoral, Sandur, Cuddapah, Salem, Tanjore and Travancore and fair or light elsewhere. Standing crops especially gardens have been damaged by a cyclone in the tract bordering on the junction of the Chingleput, South Arcot and North Arcot districts where some loss of life and of cattle is also reported. Standing crops elsewhere are fair to good generally but have been damagèd by floods or heavy rains in parts of two districts and require more rain in parts of another. Harvests of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The outturn is fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. Water supply is insufficient in parts of Anantapur, Chittoor, North Arcot, Madura and Ramnad and sufficient eleswhere. Pasture is sufficient. Fodder is generally available. Prices are fairly steady.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

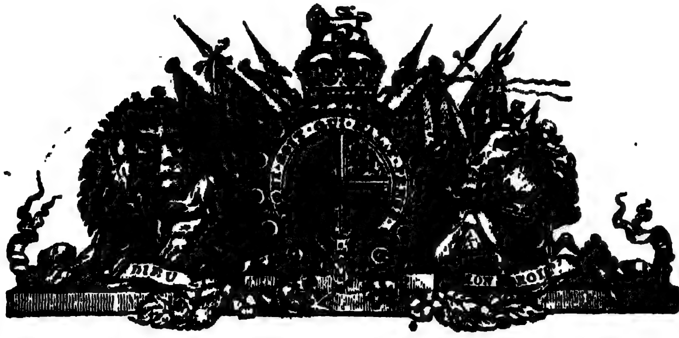
POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 13739P.—The 6th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (1) of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (I of 1910), the Governor in Council hereby declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies, wherever found, of a Bengali leaflet entitled "Jehad", beginning with the words "Agar firdaus baruye jaminast" (If there is a Paradise on earth), etc., and ending with the words "La Elaha Il lillahu Mahammader Rasul lillahi" (save Allah, there is no God and Muhammad is his Prophet), and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet, on the ground that the said leaflet contains exhortations to rebel against the British Government in India and to commit murder, and contains words which have a tendency to incite to acts of violence and to bring into hatred and contempt and excite disaffection towards the Government established by law in British India, and therefore appears to the Governor in Council to be of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (1), clauses (*a*) and (*c*) of the said Act.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 14262P.—The 15th December 1916.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (1), of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (I of 1910), the Governor in Council hereby declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies, wherever found, of a Bengali leaflet entitled "Om Yugantar" and headed "Samay haiyache ki" (Has the time come?) beginning with the words "Gata Sankhaya Bharat uthibe keno" [In the last issue (I have explained the question) why India should rise], etc., and ending with the words "Esho Ma amar ebar pujibo charantaut" (Come, O mother, this time I will worship your feet), etc., and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet, on the ground that the said leaflet contains exhortations to rebel against the British Government in India and to commit murder, and contains words which have a tendency to incite to acts of violence and to bring into hatred and contempt and excite disaffection towards the Government established by law in British India and therefore appears to the Governor in Council to be of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (1), clauses (*a*) and (*c*). of the said Act.

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No. 62.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Sir Francis Hugh Stewart, Kt, C.I.E., of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 63.—A vacancy having occurred in the Indian Legislative Council by reason of the resignation of the Hon'ble Sir Francis Hugh Stewart, Kt., C.I.E., an Additional Member of the said Council, who represented the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, the Governor General is pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI (*b*) of the Regulations for the Nomination and Election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, to call upon the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to elect, in accordance with the said Regulations, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy on or before the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

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Delhi, the 8th December 1916.

No. 320-C.—Rai Abinas Chandra Koar Bahadur, a Superintendent in the Home Department, is placed on special duty in that Department, with effect from the 2nd December 1916.

No. 322-C.—In consequence of the deputation of Rai Abinas Chandra Koar Bahadur, a Superintendent in the Home Department, on special duty in that Department, with effect from the 2nd December 1916, the following promotions with effect from the same date are notified:—

Mr. A. Lawrence to officiate as Superintendent, 1st grade.

Mr. Prasanna Kumar Basu to officiate as Superintendent, 2nd grade.

Mr. Ramani Mohan Ganguli to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd grade.

JUDICIAL.

The 4th December 1916.

No. 247-C.—The services of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice C. V. Kumaraswami Sastri, Temporary Additional Judge of the Madras High Court, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras with effect from the date of his relinquishing charge of his special duty under the Home Department.

No. 249-C.—The services of Mr. V. Dawson, I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal with effect from the afternoon of the 1st December 1916.

No. 251-C.—The services of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice T. C. Piggott, Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces with effect from the date of his relinquishing charge of his special duty under the Home Department.

No. 253-C.—The services of the Hon'ble Mr. J. Walker, C.I.E., I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces with effect from the date of his relinquishing charge of his special duty under the Home Department.

No. 256-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5, clause (*b*), of the Whipping Act, 1909 (IV of 1909), and in supersession of the revised Home Department notification no. 21-C., dated the 4th January 1915, on the subject, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to specify the offences under the laws mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed, being offences punishable under the said laws with imprisonment, as offences for the abetment or commission of, or attempt to commit which, juvenile offenders may be punished with whipping in accordance with the provisions of the said section.

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1. The Bengal Embankment Act, 1855 (XXXII of 1855), sections 16 and 17.
2. The Howrah Offences Act, 1857 (XXI of 1857), section 20.
3. The Calcutta Police Act, 1866 (Bengal Act IV of 1866), section 68.
4. The Calcutta Suburban Police Act, 1866 (Bengal Act II of 1866), section 41.
5. The Bengal Public Gambling Act, 1867 (II of 1867), sections 4, 11 and 13.
6. The Bengal Irrigation Act, 1876 (III of 1876), section 93.
7. The Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (II of 1882), section 77.
8. The Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (V of 1909), sections 46 and 52.

United Provinces.

1. The United Provinces Excise Act, 1910 (IV of 1910), sections 60, clauses (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (i) and 63.

Punjab.

1. The Punjab Land Preservation (Chos) Act, 1900 (II of 1900), section 19.

2. The Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (Punjab Act I of 1914), section 61, sub-section (1), clauses (a) and (c), and sub-section (2), clauses (a), (b) and (c).

Burma.

1. The Burma Gambling Act, 1899 (I of 1899), sections 10, 11, 12, and 13.
2. The Rangoon Police Act, 1899 (Burma Act IV of 1899), sections 30, 31 and 42.
3. The Burma Forest Act, 1902 (IV of 1902), section 55, clause (b).

Bihar and Orissa.

1. The Bihar and Orissa Excise Act, 1915 (Bihar and Orissa Act II of 1915), sections 47 and 55.

The 7th December 1916.

No. 294-C.—The services of Mr. C. L. Dundas of the Indian Civil Service, District and Sessions Judge, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the 28th November 1916.

J. H. DuBOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATION.

EDUCATION.

Delhi, the 6th December 1916.

No. 1041.—The services of Mrs. V. Gilbertson, Inspectress of Schools, Ambala Division, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, for employment in the Delhi province with effect from the date on which she takes over charge of her duties in that province.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FOREST.

Delhi, the 5th December 1916.

No. 33-C.—Mr. H G. Champion, Assistant Conservator of Forests, made over charge of his duties at the Forest Research Institute and College, Dehra Dun, on the forenoon of the 1st November 1916, from which date he reverted to his substantive appointment in the United Provinces.

GENERAL.

The 7th December 1916.

No. 35-C.—Under the provisions of Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for a period of 2 months is granted to Mr. H. H. Lincoln, Superintendent, 3rd grade, Department of Revenue and Agriculture, with effect from the 7th December 1916, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. A B. E. Thomson, Secretariat Assistant, 1st grade, Department of Revenue and Agriculture, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd grade, during the absence on leave of Mr. Lincoln, or until further orders.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 4th December 1916.

No. 31.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Provincial Engineer Service as Assistant Engineers and are posted to the provinces noted against their names:—

Mr. P. N. Kelly . . . . Burma.

Mr. Jai Ram . . . . Punjab, Irrigation Branch.

Delhi, the 7th December 1916.

No. 32.—With reference to the Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 30, dated the 1st December 1916, Mr. E. M. Duggan, Executive Engineer, Bombay Presidency, is appointed, with effect from the 5th December 1916, to be Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department, substantively *pro tempore*, during the absence of Mr. D. G. Harris or until further orders.

F. C. ROSE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 4th December 1916.

No. 2122-G.—With reference to Notification No. 437-G., dated the 5th April 1916, Mr. C. W. Rhodes, Vice-Consul for the Argentine Republic at Calcutta, resumed charge of his office on the 20th November 1916.

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Delhi, the 6th December 1916.

No. 421-D.—Captain A N. Kerr, 38th Dogras, on return from active service, resumed charge of the duties of Assistant Inspecting Officer, Kashmir Imperial Service Infantry, on the 20th November 1916.

No. 422-D.—Captain A. N. Kerr, 38th Dogras, Assistant Inspecting Officer, Kashmir, Imperial Service Infantry, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Inspecting Officer, Punjab States Imperial Service Infantry, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 20th November 1916 and until further orders.

The 7th December 1916.

No. 433-D.—Captain M. H. Bickford, 38th Dogras, is appointed Assistant Inspecting Officer, Kashmir Imperial Service Infantry, with effect from the 15th November 1916.

No. 448-D.—Mr. P. M. Baker, I.C.S., Central Provinces, is appointed temporarily to officiate in the Political Department of the Government of India and is posted as Assistant Commissioner, Hazara, with effect from the 22nd November 1916.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Delhi, the 7th December 1916.

No. 68-Accts.-Camp.—Lieutenant A. H. S. Hinchliffe, late 5th Battalion, North Staffordshire Regiment, has been appointed to the Military Accounts Department by the Secretary of State for India, as Military Accountant, 2nd class, on probation, with effect from the 11th October 1916.

No. 1350-F. E.—Mr. W. G. G. Bayly has been posted as Deputy Accountant General, Bihar and Orissa, with effect from the 29th November 1916.

H. F. HOWARD,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 9th December 1916.

No. 12068-S.—The following statement showing the receipts and charges for the year 1915-16 on account of the Madras Coast Lights is published for general information :—

Statement showing the receipts and charges of the Madras Coast Lights fund for the year 1915-16.

Opening balance.		Receipts.			Charges.					Surplus (+) or deficit (—)		Closing balance.	
Cash.	Government securities.	Gross receipts.	Refunds.	Net receipts.	Repayment instalment Capital and interest of the debt due to the Imperial Government	Maintenance and repair charges	Establishment contingencies travelling allowances and miscellaneous	Transfer to Capital Account for Major Works and Repairs: Cash.	Transfer to Capital Account for Major Works and Repairs: Government securities	Cash.	Government Securities	Cash	Government securities.
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(a) Includes Rs. 497-4-3, profit on investments. Face-value of securities purchased is Rs. 23 400.

(b) Interest, Rs. 22-292-5-1 and repayment of loan, Rs. 25,535-10-11. Loan received from Imperial funds in 1904, Rs. 9,[illegible]8,476. Loan outstanding on the 31st March 1916, Rs. 5,81,772-4-5.

CUSTOMS.

The 9th December 1916.

No. 12154-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act of 1878 (Act VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or land, into British India of any copy of a publication entitled "*Deshbhagti ki Git*" (Songs of Patriotism) issued by the Yugantar Ashram, San Francisco, in Hindi or any other language.

No. 12156-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act of 1878 (Act VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or land, into British India of any copy of a publication entitled "*Ghadar ki Gunj No. 2*" (Echo of Mutiny No. 2) issued by the Yugantar Ashram, San Francisco, in Urdu or in any other language.

No. 170-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9954-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended :—

For the existing sub-clause (*g*) to proviso (*ii*) *substitute* the following :—

"(*g*) imports of meat, petroleum and all products of petroleum, or sugar."

No. 171-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9961-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended :—

In sub-clause (*f*) to proviso (*ii*) *insert* the words :—

"and all products of petroleum" *after* the word "petroleum".

No. 200-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made after item 41 in the Schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, namely :—

Articles.	Destination.	Exceptions and Exemptions.
41 A. Casings . . .	All destinations except the United Kingdom, British Possessions and British Protectorates.	

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 8th December 1916.

No. 181-D.—Mr. H. H. Hood, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is granted such privilege leave as may be due to him on the 20th anuary 1916, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, in combination with extraordinary leave without allowances for such period as will bring the total period of his absence to six months.

The 9th December 1916.

No. 12036-C.—In supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 7774-1, dated the 26th August 1916, Mr. E. Sequeira, an Assistant Collector in the Provincial Customs Service, is granted privilege leave for six weeks from the 26th September 1916 to the 6th November 1916, both days inclusive.

No. 12038-C.—Mr. E. Sequeira, an Assistant Collector in the Provincial Customs Service, is transferred from Burma to Bombay, with effect from the afternoon of the 6th November 1916.

No. 12040-C.—Mr. F. D. Lalkaka, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is transferred from Bombay to Burma, with effect from the 2nd January 1916.

POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 9th December 1916.

No. 11984-P. & T.—1. Mr. H. S. H Pilkington, M.V.O., Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Bombay, is deputed on field service with the Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force for the period from the 18th September 1916 to the 15th October 1916, inclusive.

2. Mr. D. J. Murrie, I.S.O., Presidency Postmaster, Bombay, pay Rs. 1,000—40—1,200, is appointed Postmaster-General, 4th grade, Bombay, with effect from the 18th September

1916, and to officiate in the 3rd grade from that date and until further orders. He held charge of the current duties of the office of Presidency Postmaster, Bombay, in addition to his own duties as Postmaster-General, Bombay, for the 13th and 14th September 1916.

3. Mr. G W Love, Postmaster, Lahore, pay Rs 600—40—800, is appointed Presidency Postmaster, Bombay, pay Rs. 1,000—40—1,200, on probation for one year, from the 15th September 1916.

The following appointments are made with effect from the date noted against each and until further orders :—

Mr. G. W. Schoneman, Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, and Deputy Director General of the Post Office, to officiate in the 2nd grade from the 16th September 1916 ;

Mr J Monteath, I.C S, to officiate as Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Madras, from the 13th September 1916. He was sub. *pro tem* Postmaster-General, 4th grade, up to and including the 12th September 1916.

RESOLUTION

POST OFFICE.

Delhi, the 6th December 1916.

No. 175-D.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction, with effect from the 1st January 1917, the following additions and alterations in the rules for the guidance of depositors in the Post Office Savings Bank, published with the Resolution of the Government of India in this Department, No 1446-1449-29, dated the 5th March 1914, as subsequently amended :—

(*a*) The following shall be substituted for clauses (1) and (2) of rule 46 and the note below the latter .—

1. "Any person, whether previously a depositor in the Post Office Savings Bank or not, may invest through the Post Office in any Government loan bearing interest at 3½ per cent. or upwards ".

2 "The total amount, after deducting any sum sold through the Post Office, which may be invested through the Post Office by an individual investor in any one official year from the 1st April to the 31st March inclusive is Rs. 5,000. The total amount, after deducting any sum sold through the Post Office, which may be left in the safe custody of the Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, under rule 48 (1) is Rs 15,000.

NOTE 1.—The above limits will be applied with reference to the nominal value of the securities purchased They do not apply to investments in connection with public accounts or with regimental, police and other conjoint accounts

NOTE 2.—Subscriptions to new loans through the Post Office will be allowed in each case up to the limit specified in the notification announcing the loan. Such limit will be an addition to the yearly amount of investment permissible under these rules. But securities whether obtained by investing in existing loans or by subscription to a new loan may not be left in the custody of the Accountant General under rule 48 (1) in excess of the limit of Rs. 15,000 mentioned above "

(*b*) *In rule 46* (5) (*a*) the words "annual limit" shall be substituted for the words "maximum limit ".

(*c*) *In rule 46* (5) (*b*) the following shall be substituted for the 1st sentence :—

"The investor should specify the particular loan or loans in which he desires to make the investment ".

(*d*) *In rule 46* (6) (*a*) for the words "in Government securities of any of the 3½ per cent. loans or in the 4 per cent. loan ", the words "in any Government loan bearing interest at 3½ per cent. or upwards" shall be substituted. The word " maximum " in line 3 of this rule shall also be deleted, and the word " limits " substituted for the word "limit ".

(*e*) *In rule 48* (*1*) the following shall be added after the first sentence :—

" The total amount which may be kept in the custody of the Accountant General by an individual investor is limited to Rs 15,000, except in the case of investments in connection with Public Accounts, or with Regimental, Police, or other conjoint accounts ".

(*f*) The following shall be substituted for the second sentence of the note below rule 49 :—

" Interest on the 4 per cent terminable loan of 1915-16 is due on the 31st May and the 30th November, and interest on the 4 per cent conversion loan of 1916-17 on the 1st April and the 1st October ".

Ordered that this Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India*, for general information, and that it be communicated to the Finance Department, the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs and the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs.

A. H. LEY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 8th December 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1467.—Major S. M. Rice, 64th Pioneers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while holding the temporary appointment of Assistant Quartermaster General, Army Headquarters. Dated 9th November 1916.

No. 1468.—The undermentioned warrant officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

21st (Empress of India's) Lancers.

Serjeant-Major Harry Hathaway . . . . 4th November 1916.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

No. 1469.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 1181, dated the 6th October 1916, Mr. E. A. Daniel, Secretariat Assistant, 1st grade, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd grade, *vice* Rai Sahib S. C. Biswas, B.A., officiating Superintendent, 2nd grade, with effect from the 1st November 1916.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1470.—The undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

Ghulam Ahmad Khan, M.B.	23rd September 1916.
Shivshankar Krishna Hattiangadi	13th October 1916.
Ardeshir Byramji Mistri	2nd November 1916.
Rudra Datta	7th November 1916.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 1471.—In Army Department Notification No. 1183, dated the 6th October 1916, *for* " 2 months and 20 days " *read* " 1 month and 26 days ".

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 1472.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Infantry Branch.

Oswald Henry Galvin. George Fetherstonhaugh Fforde.	Dated 1st December 1916.
Edward James Purcell-Gildea. George William Betteridge.	Dated 4th December 1916
Arnold Platts.	Dated 5th December 1916.

No. 1473.—Second Lieutenant Frederick Edward Down, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, Followers' Depôt, Kirkee, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st December 1916.

No. 1474.—In Army Department Notification No. 978, dated the 25th August 1916, *for* " William Sarfield Beach Sardford " *read* " William Sarsfield Beach Sandford."

No. 1475.—In Army Department Notifications Nos. 1246 and 1250, dated the 20th October 1916, *for* " James Seymour Laycroft " *read* " James Seymour Haycroft."

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1476.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Second Supplement dated the 6th November 1916, to the London Gazette of the 3rd November 1916, pages 10728, 10732 and 10735.

War Office,
6th November 1916

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MEMORANDA.

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Captain J. F. H. Anderson, 31st Lancers, Indian Army, to be temporary Major whilst employed as a Deputy Director of Remounts. 12th January 1916.

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TERRITORIAL FORCE

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INFANTRY.

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Rifle Brigade—Quartermaster and Honorary Major (Honorary Captain, retired Indian Army) F. Bamford relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health. 7th November 1916.

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London Gazette dated the 7th November 1916, pages 10748, 10749, 10750, 10751 and 10752.

War Office,
7th November 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made :—

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ATTACHED TO HEADQUARTERS UNITS.

COMDRS.—

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Major-General W. A. Watson, C.B., C.I.E., Indian Army. 5th October 1916

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Military Wing.—The undermentioned appointments are made :—

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Flying Officers (Observers).

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15th August 1916.

Lieutenant R. P. I. Cochrane, 17th Cavalry, Indian Army.

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MEMORANDA.

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Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) O. B. S. F. Shore, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army, retains his temporary rank whilst employed as Deputy Inspector General of Communications of an Indian Expeditionary Force. 12th October 1916.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. Hopwood, 33rd Light Cavalry, Indian Army, to be temporary Brigadier-General, whilst employed as Sub-Chief of the General Staff of an Indian Expeditionary Force. 12th October 1916.

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INFANTRY.

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Service Battalions.

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Shropshire Light Infantry.—Captain T. M. Lane (retired Indian Army), to be temporary Major whilst 2nd in command of a Battalion. 15th August 1916

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PROMOTIONS

INDIAN ARMY

No. 1477.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel

3rd December 1916.

Alick Le Fleming Smith, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1478.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant to be Captain.

Frederick George Carter. Dated 14th November 1916.

INDIAN TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

No. 1479.—Sub-Conductor Isaac Packwood to be Conductor; with effect from the 1st December 1916.

MISCELLANEOUS LIST, MADRAS.

No. 1480.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Robert Coulter to be Commissary; with effect from the 14th September 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1481.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar-Major Gugan, *Sardar Bahadur*, 6th Jat Light Infantry. Dated 15th June 1916.

No. 1482.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar-Major Mobin Khan, *Sardar Bahadur*, 21st Punjabis. Dated 1st November 1916.

No. 1483.—The following promotions are made :—

8th Cavalry.

Kot-Dafadars Hayat Muhammad Khan and Darshan Singh and Dafadar Nur Muhammad Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 5th October 1916; and to be seconded.

18th King George's Own Lancers.

Kot-Dafadar Khuda Baksh Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's) (Cavalry).

Dafadar Sher Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st June 1916; and to be permanently seconded for employment with the South Persia Rifles.

34th Sikh Pioneers.

Jemadar Indar Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 30th July 1916, but to be antedated without pay and allowances from the 24th November 1914 and to rank next below Mundar Singh, and Jemadar Ala Singh (32nd Sikh Pioneers) to be Subadar, with effect from the 18th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

74th Punjabis.

Havildar Nawab Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

97th Deccan Infantry.

Havildar Jag Lal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Jemadar Jalim (122nd Rajputana Infantry) to be Subadar, with effect from the 30th September 1916 and Havildar-Major Dula Rawat (120th Rajputana Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 3rd October 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 123rd Outram's Rifles.

Subadar Bije Singh to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

No. 1484.—The following Indian officer of the Burma Military Police is appointed to be a temporary Jemadar in the Indian Army, with effect from the date specified against his name :—

Jemadar Fateh Muhammad—Jemadar in the 27th Punjabis. Dated 13th October 1916.

No. 1485.—The following retired Indian officers, warrant officers and civil sub-assistant surgeons have been re-employed in the Indian Army, with effect from the dates specified against their names :—

Rank and name.	Former regiment or Department.	How employed.	Date of re-employment.
Subadar-Major Abdul Kadir . .	75th Carnatic Infantry	Depôt, 75th Carnatic Infantry.	24th December 1915.
Subadar Bur Singh	32nd Sikh Pioneers .	81st Pioneers . .	17th July 1916.
Jemadar Bostan Khan . . .	76th Punjabis . .	Depôt, 76th Punjabis .	15th September 1916.
Jemadar Saiyid Fakhr-ud-din .	86th Carnatic Infantry	Depôt, 75th Carnatic Infantry.	2nd June 1916.
2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Kashi Ram, I.O.M.	Indian Subordinate Medical Department.	Indian Troops' Hospital, Dharmsala.	7th January 1916.
Civil Sub-Assistant Surgeon Harnam Singh.	......	No. 6 Combined Field Ambulance.	8th January 1916.
1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Shaikh Athar Husain, *Khan Sahib*.	Indian Subordinate Medical Department.	Indian Troops' Hospital, Dinapore.	10th January 1916.

Rank and name.	Former regiment or Department.	How employed.	Date of re-employment.
1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Bhim Sain.	Indian Subordinate Medical Department.	30th Lancers (Gordon's Horse).	15th January 1916.
1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Atma Ram Bapuji.	Ditto	Depôt, 103th Mahratta Light Infantry.	16th January 1916.
1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Ahmad Hussain.	Ditto	Depôt, 18th King George's Own Lancers.	18th February 1916.
1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Muhammad Hussain Khan.	Ditto	Subsec Barkh Battalion (Nepalese Contingent).	28th February 1916.
1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon R. Gopalasami Nayudu.	Ditto	Cantonment Hospital, St. Thomas Mount.	1st March 1916.
1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Mahadeo Luxmon.	Ditto	Depôt, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry.	6th March 1916.
Civil Sub-Assistant Surgeon Ghulam Mohiuddin.	......	Depôt, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).	13th March 1916.
1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Shaikh Shamsuddin, *Khan Sahib*.	Indian Subordinate Medical Department.	Depôt, 109th Infantry	5th May 1916.
1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Shah Mir Khan.	Ditto	Depôt, 66th Punjabis	23rd May 1916.
3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Muhammad Hasan Khan.	Ditto	Indian Troops' War Hospital, Dehra Dun.	13th July 1916.
1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon T. David.	Ditto	Indian Troops War Hospital, Secunderabad.	15th August 1916.
1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Itu Chawan, *Rao Sahib*.	Ditto	Followers' Hospital, Poona.	10th September 1916.
1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Tegh Ali	Ditto	17th Cavalry	24th September 1916.

No. 1486.—The following amendment is made to Army Department Notification No 1128, dated the 22nd September 1916 :—

In the 3rd column against the name of Subadar-Major Darja Singh *for* "Indian Garrison Company, attached Depôt, 101st Grenadiers" *read* "Indian Garrison Company, attached Depôt, 43rd Erinpura Regiment."

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 1487.—Second Lieutenant Kenneth de Berniers Smart, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 6th December 1916.

RETIREMENTS.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

(Late) Bengal-Punjab List.

No. 1488.—Commissary and Honorary Captain George Taylor, supernumerary, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 23rd November 1916.

REWARDS.

No. 1489.—With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction, under the provisions of paragraph

470, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the special promotion of the undermentioned departmental officers with honorary rank of the Supply and Transport Corps, in recognition of their services in the field during the present war :—

With effect from the 1st August 1916—

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant John Terry (since deceased) to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

With effect from the 10th September 1916—

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant William John Kemp to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1490.—Surgeon-Major Harry George Waters to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Dated the 30th October 1916.

Surgeon-Lieutenant George Lawson Johnston, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated the 10th November 1916.

Moulmein Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1491.—Harold Lovel Mullins to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st November 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 8th December 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 52.—The following appointments are made in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the dates specified :—

To be temporary Lieutenant.

Thomas Alfred Owen Thompson,—8th September 1916.

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenants.

Roland Eloyart Bacon-Hall,—13th September 1916.

David Clark Wilson,—15th September 1916.

Bernard Bogislaus Carstens,—19th September 1916.

To be temporary Engineers.

Francis William Platts,—5th September 1916.

Samuel Speller Nickels,—29th September 1916.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 53.—Assistant Engineer W. J. Lifton, Royal Indian Marine, was granted leave out of India on medical certificate from 5th May to 22nd October 1916, inclusive.

No. 54.—Engineer S. B. Trenoweth, Royal Indian Marine, has been granted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India an extension of leave for one month on medical certificate.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 2nd December 1916.

No. 1324-E.-16.—In Railway Board's Notification No. 1324-4-E.-16, dated the 20th September 1916, *for* 14th September 1914 *substitute* 25tth September 1914.

The 6th December 1916.

No. 1257-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1257-E.-16, dated the 18th August 1916, Mr. W. T. Biscoe, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, on military duty, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, will continue to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent in class II (Supernumerary) of that Establishment until further orders

The 7th December 1916.

No. 1951-E.-16.—The undermentioned Probationary Assistant Traffic Superintendents, in class III, grade 5, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, are confirmed in their appointments and promoted to class III, grade 4, of that establishment with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Name.	Railway.	Date.
Khawaja Mohamad Hasan	North-Western	14th October 1916.
Mr. Akhoury Bholanath	North-Western	26th October 1916.
Sardar Wali Mohamad Khan	North-Western	27th October 1916.
Mr. Vaman Prabhakar Bhandarkar	Eastern Bengal	23rd October 1916.
Mr. Sundra Singh Gyani	North-Western	16th October 1916.

Simla, the 7th December 1916.

No. 16-P.-16.—In continuation of Notification No. 16-P.-16, dated the 26th September 1916, it is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the Assam Bengal Railway Company, Limited, for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Sreemuddi to a point on the Assam Bengal Railway near Gangasagar, a distance of 32 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Comilla-Sreemuddi-Gangasagar railway reconnaissance survey.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 7th December 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. The activity of the monsoon was, as is usually the case at this time of year, shown mainly in the south of the Peninsula, and abundant rainfall occurred along the Coromandel coast and in south Mysore. With the exception of a few falls in Arakan, north Burma and upper Assam the weather was dry over the rest of the plains.

Light local snowfall occurred in Kashmir on the 5th in connection with a slight disturbance from Persia.

2. *Burma.*—Rain fell only at Kyaukpyu, Akyab, Mandalay, Maymyo and Myitkyina.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Weather was dry except for a light fall at Dibrugarh.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was no rain.

Northwest India.—Light snowfall occurred round Dras.

The Peninsula.—There was local rain in Mysore and Malabar on the 3rd, and in Madras Southeast from the 2nd to the 6th.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

30th November—Tinnevelly 1·02″ and Pamban 2·70″.
1st December—Mandalay 0·77″.
2nd „ Kyaukpyu 0·96″, Cuddalore 1·17″, Madras 2·11″ and Nellore 1·44″.
3rd „ Mysore 1·25″.
4th „ Pamban 1·60″.
5th „ Negapatam 0·82″.
6th „ Pamban 1·05″.

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in excess in Upper Burma, Mysore and Madras Southeast, and was within 20 per cent. of the normal in Lower Burma and Assam. No rain usually falls at this time of year in Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces, the Punjab, Sind, Rajputana, Gujrat, Central India, Berar, the Central Provinces, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad South, but in all the remaining divisions rainfall was 20 per cent. or more in defect.

As a new rainfall period begins with this week, the departures of rainfall from the normal for the period are the same as those for the week.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 7th December 1916.			Rainfall data from 1st December to 7th December 1916.			Percentage departure from normal.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	0	2·4	—2·4	0	2·4	—2·4	—100	
Lower Burma	0·1	0·1	0	0·1	0·1	0	0	
Upper Burma	0·2	0·1	+0·1	0·2	0·1	+0·1	+100	
Assam	0·1	0·1	0	0·1	0·1	0	0	
Bengal	0	0·1	—0·1	0	0·1	—0·1	—100	
Orissa	0	0·1	—0·1	0	0·1	—0·1	—100	
Chota Nagpur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Bihar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
United Provinces, East	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
United Provinces, West	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Punjab, East and North	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Punjab, South-West	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kashmir	0	0·1	—0·1	0	0·1	—0·1	—100	
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·1	—0·1	0	0·1	—0·1	—100	
Baluchistan	0	0·3	—0·3	0	0·3	—0·3	—100	
Sind	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Central India, West	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Central India, East	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Berar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Central Provinces, West	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Central Provinces, East	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Konkan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Bombay Deccan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Hyderabad, North	0	0·1	—0·1	0	0·1	—0·1	—100	
Hyderabad, South	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mysore	0·5	0·2	+0·3	0·5	0·2	+0·3	+150	
Malabar	0·3	0·5	—0·2	0·3	0·5	—0·2	—40	
Madras, South-East	1·9	1·3	+0·6	1·9	1·3	+0·6	+46	
Madras Deccan	0	0·1	—0·1	0	0·1	—0·1	—100	
Madras Coast, North	0·3	0·5	—0·2	0·3	0·5	—0·2	—40	

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 7th December 1916.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 2nd December 1916.

Burma.—Some rain fell in five districts of Lower and seven of Upper Burma Reaping of winter rice has begun in Lower Burma and is proceeding in Upper Burma. Gathering of groundnut continues and plucking of cotton is nearing completion. The condition of standing crops is satisfactory. The health of cattle is good. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon is rupees 114 per hundred baskets and is above normal. The market for white rice is dull.

Assam.—The weather during the week was seasonable and almost rainless Plucking and manufacture of tea and sowing of mustard have been nearly completed. Harvesting of winter rice, pressing of sugarcane and plucking of cotton are in progress. Prospects of tea, sugarcane and mustard are fair and of cotton fair to good. Cattle disease and prevalence of insect pests are reported from two districts and insufficiency of fodder from three. The price of common rice is almost stationary. Distribution of agricultural loans in Cachar and of seeds in Nowgong continues.

Bengal.—The week was rainless. Reaping of winter paddy and sowing of pulses, potatoes, mustard and other spring crops are progressing satisfactorily. The outturn of winter paddy is expected to be good, and prospects of sugarcane and other standing crops are reported to be satisfactory on the whole. Cattle disease prevails in four districts. The average price of common rice for the province has perceptibly fallen with the advent of the new crop into the market.

Bihar and Orissa.—There was no rain during the week. Harvesting of paddy is in progress; sowing of spring crops is approaching completion and pressing of sugarcane has commenced. Standing crops are doing well. The average price of common rice has fallen appreciably as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from fourteen districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—The week was practically rainless. Harvesting and threshing of late rice, sowing of poppy, irrigation of winter crops and poppy, pressing of sugarcane and picking of cotton continue. Sowing of winter crops and harvesting of autumn crops are complete Standing crops are doing well and prospects continue to be favourable. The condition of agricultural stock is good. Cattle disease is still reported from a few districts. Fodder and water are ample. Markets are well supplied. Prices continue to rise.

Punjab.—The weather during the week remained dry. Rain is wanted for spring crops in some districts. Picking of cotton, pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of maize, rice, etc., are in progress. The yield is generally normal to good except that of cotton in the south-east which is reported to be below normal. The condition of standing wheat and other spring crops and of sugarcane and cotton is generally good. Sowings of wheat, barley, rapeseed, etc., continue and are normal or above normal. Germination of crops sown is good. Cattle are healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. Prices of wheat and other grains are rising and range between normal and scarcity rates. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices of wheat :—Lahore and Rawalpindi 8¾, Ambala 8¼ and Ferozepore and Lyallpur 9¼ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—The week was rainless. Rain is required for autumn sowings on unirrigated areas in the Peshawar district. The weather is cold. The condition of standing irrigated and unirrigated crops is average in the province but some damage has been done by insects in the Bannu district. Sowing of spring and harvesting of autumn crops are proceeding. The outturn of the latter is reported to be average except in Dera Ismail Khan where it is below average. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is not running. The public health is good but malarial fever is still prevalent in Peshawar and cases of cholera are still occurring in Dera Ismail Khan. Prices are high and are rising.

Jammu.—No rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating; wheat sells from 9 to 14 and maize from 14 to 24 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Cattle disease prevails in the Ramban and Sri Ranbirsinghpura tahsils only. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—No rain fell during the week. Agricultural operations for spring crops are in progress. Cattle are generally healthy and water and fodder are sufficient Prices are rising.

Rajputana.—The weather during the week was cool and clear. Slight showers fell in Kotah and 72 cents. in Jhalawar Standing crops are doing well. Harvesting of autumn crops is nearing completion in most places. The outturn is good. Sowings of spring crops continue. Prospects are promising The condition of agricultural stock is healthy, except in Kotah and Kishangarh where cattle disease is reported to be prevalent. Water and fodder are abundant. Prices show a tendency to rise nearly everywhere except in Jaipur and Ajmer where they are falling slightly.

Central India.—The weather has been clear and cool. Rainfall about 2 inches in Indore and Bundelkhand; partial in Bhopal and sufficient elsewhere. Harvesting of autumn and sowing of spring crops continue. The condition of standing crops is fair to good. Prospects are promising. Agricultural stock is in good condition generally. Fodder is sufficient. Prices are rising in Gwalior and Bhopal, fluctuating in Indore and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather continues to be dry and cool with occasional cloud. Harvesting and threshing of autumn crops, picking of cotton and sowing of rice crops are in full swing. Germination of spring crops is successful and prospects are favourable. The supply of fodder and water is adequate and agricultural stock is in good condition The price of wheat and juar continues to rise Other variations are unimportant.

Feudatory States—The condition of standing crops is generally good.

Bombay.—Rain fell during the week in parts of the Konkan, the Deccan, Savantvadi and Kolhapur Standing crops are thriving generally Autumn harvesting continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh, Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Kathiawar Spring sowing is going on The supply of fodder is adequate Agricultural stock is generally sufficient and cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. The price of food grains has risen in the Karnatak and the Deccan and is generally steady elsewhere

Hyderabad.—The rainfall was general in the Aurangabad, Usmanabad, Warangal and Karimnagar districts; the average was 44 cents Autumn and early rice crops are being harvested. The latter was damaged by blight in parts of the Karimnagar and Medak districts. Sowing of spring lands continues. Crop being weeded is fair to good. Late lands are being prepared and sown. Cattle disease prevails in 14 talukas. The price of grains is almost constant. The highest price of Juar in districts is 8¼ seers per rupee in Warangal and the lowest 26¾ seers per rupee in Usmanabad.

Mysore.—The week was rainless The price of *ragi* has risen in Tumkur and of rice in Hassan. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of harvested *ragi*, paddy and sugarcane is fair to normal. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy in the greater part of the State Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 54 cents. The condition of rice is good. Picking of cardamom and coffee continues. Prices of food grains are high. The public health is fair. Cattle disease prevails in parts. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was good in Nellore, South Arcot, Ramnad, Tinnevelly and Travancore, fair in Chingleput, Coimbatore, Trichinopoly, Pudukkottai, Cochin and the Nilgiris; and light or *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are fair to good generally except in parts of four districts where they have been affected by floods or cyclones and in parts of another where they require more rain. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally. The outturn is fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally The condition of cattle is generally good but considerable loss of cattle and human lives is reported from South Arcot owing to the recent cyclone. Water supply is insufficient in parts of Anantapur, Chittoor, North Arcot and southern parts except in Tanjore, and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is sufficient and fodder is generally available. Prices have risen slightly.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE

Delhi, the 8th December 1916

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 2nd December 1916 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports	Plague seizures	Plague deaths.
DELHI	..	Delhi City		1
		TOTAL		1
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City	8	6
	Northern	Ahmedabad City	10	10
	Northern	Kaira District	18	11
	Northern	Surat Town and Port	13	10
	Northern	Surat District	18	12
	Northern	Broach Port	1*	1*
	Northern	Bhiwandi Port	2*	2*
	Central	West Khandesh District	365	253
	Central	East Khandesh District	24	25
	Central	Poona Town	229	188
	Central	Poona District	727	586
	Central	Nasik District	197	146
	Central	Satara District	557	371
	Central	Sholapur Town	153	137
	Central	Sholapur District	566	444
	Southern	Pen Port	1	1
	Southern	Ratnagiri Port	1	1
	Southern	Ratnagiri District	1	1
	Southern	Belgaum District	307	182
	Southern	Hubli Town	77	66
	Southern	Dharwar District	372	205
	Southern	Kanara District	4	3
	Southern	Bijapur District	527	316
	Political Charges	Baroda State	45	44
	Political Charges	Mangrol Port	7	5
	Political Charges	Kathiawar Agency	74	66
	Political Charges	Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country States	289	196
	Political Charges	Bijapur Agency	5	2
	Political Charges	Satara Agency	31	16
	Political Charges	Savanur State	32	27
	Political Charges	Akalkot State	5	5
	Political Charges	Bhor State	6	2
		TOTAL	4,672	3,340

* Imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Madras Presidency.	...	Anantapur District	11(*a*)	5
		Bellary District	152(*b*)	111(*b*)
		Chittoor District	1	2(*b*)
		Coimbatore Town	19(*b*)	8
		Coimbatore District	315(*c*)	220(*d*)
		Mangalore Port	2	2
		South Canara District	1(*b*)	1(*b*)
		Salem Town	14	12
		Salem District	90(*e*)	49(*b*)
		North Arcot District	63(*f*)	38(*c*)
		Nilgiris District	...	1(*b*)
		Ramnad District	2(*a*)	1(*b*)
		Trichinopoly District	1(*b*)	1(*b*)
		TOTAL	671	451
Bengal Presidency.	...	......	...	...
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	Patna City	6	6
		Patna District	53	42
		Shahabad District	37	32
	Tirhut	Saran District	82	70
		Muzaffarpur District	15	13
		Darbhanga District	14	12
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	178	144
		Bhagalpur District	13	9
		TOTAL	398	328
United Provinces.	Meerut	Muzaffarnagar District	4	4
	Rohilkhand.	Moradabad District	3	3
		Pilibhit District	1	1
	Allahabad	Cawnpore City	7	7
		Cawnpore District	7	7
		Fatehpur District	47	41
		Allahabad City	1	1
		Allahabad District	110	110
	Benares	Benares District	50	35
		Jaunpur District	34	36
		Ghazipur District	101	61
	Gorakhpur.	Ballia District	67	63
		Gorakhpur District	261	123
		Basti District	27	29
		Azamgarh District	85	66
"	Lucknow	Unao District	37	30
		Rae Bareli District	13	10
		Sitapur District	8	10
		Hardoi District	6	5
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	2	3
		Gonda District	32	19
		Sultanpur District	20	21
		Partabgarh District	11	9
		Bara Banki District	3	3
		TOTAL	937	696

(*a*) Two imported. (*b*) One imported. (*c*) Four imported. (*d*) Five imported. (*e*) Three imported. ( ) Eight imported.

In the return for the week ending 25th November 1916, the following corrections and additions should be made:—

Azamgarh District *read* 27 cases, 19 deaths for 20 cases, 8 deaths.

Muzaffarnagar District—*add* 10 cases, 9 deaths.

Unao District—*add* [illegible]

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Jullundur	Ludhiana District	8	7
	Lahore	Gurdaspur District	1	1
		Gujranwala District	2	...
	Rawalpindi.	Jhelum District	1	...
		Rawalpindi District	28	22
		Attock District	1	...
	Native States.	Jind State	4	2
		TOTAL	45	32
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town	4	4
		Tharrawaddy District	3	3
		Prome District	9	9
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	1	1
		Henzada District	1	2
		Maubin District	3	1
	Magwe	Magwe District	3	1
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	[illegible]	1
		TOTAL	24	22
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town	324	320
		Nagpur District	377	259
		Kamptee Cantonment	143	106
		Bhandara Town	14	6
		Bhandara District	2	2
		Wardha Town	1	...
		Wardha District	77	47
		Chanda Town	1	1
		Chanda District	3	3
		Balaghat Town	2	1
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town	28	22
		Jubbulpore District	1	1
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	1	...
		Nimar District	164	159
		Narsinghpur District	1	1
		Betul District	2	1
		Chindwara District	7	5
	Chhatisgarh.	Bilaspur Town	26	22
	Berar	Amraoti Town	2	3
		Amraoti District	24	17
		Yeotmal District	25	17
		Akola Town	1	...
		Akola District	93	62
		Buldana District	173	142
		TOTAL	1,492	1,197
ASSAM	...	......	...	...
COORG	...	......	...	...

In the return for the week ending 25th November 1916, against Coorg *read* 2 cases, 1 death for 1 case, *nil* death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE.	.	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	39	30
		Bangalore City	33	27
		Bangalore District	100	84
		Mysore City	25	21
		Mysore District	112	75
		Hassan District	19	16
		Kadur District	31	23
		Shimoga District	77	37
		Chitaldroog District	37	23
		Kolar Gold Fields	36	26
		Kolar District	39	30
		TOTAL	548	392
HYDERABAD STATE.	..	Aurangabad District	442	406
		Bir District	144	116
		Parbhani District	160	137
		Nander District	281	198
		Gulbarga District	68	50
		Raichur District	36	33
		Usmanabad District	98	71
		Atrafibaldah Sarf-i-Khas District	74	56
		Bidar District	8	4
		Medak District	60	42
		Nalgonda District	..	2
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	403	349
		TOTAL	1,780 (a)	1,464 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	..	Indore City	98	77
		Indore Residency Bazars	8	2
		Bagh State	5	2
		Dhar State	5	4
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	15	14
		TOTAL	131 (b)	99 (b)
RAJPUTANA.	...	Ajmer District	8	6
		TOTAL	8	6
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN.	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	10,706	8,028

(a) From the 20th to the 26th November 1916.
(b) For the week ending 25th November 1916.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 016-E. A.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

(ESTABLISHMENTS.)

RESOLUTION.

APPOINTMENT OF MR. A. T. MACKENZIE AS A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC WORKS REORGANIZATION COMMITTEE.

Delhi, the 7th December 1916.

In continuation of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Resolution No. 06-E. A., dated the 24th November 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to announce that he has appointed Mr. A. T. Mackenzie, late of the Public Works Department, to be a Member of the Public Works Department Reorganization Committee.

ORDER :—Ordered that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

F. C. ROSE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 10th October 1916.

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J P HEWETT,

Secretary to the Government of India"

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APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

November 27.

2818. T. A. Iyer. *An improved process for coating iron with brass.*

2819. G. Constantinesco and W. Haddon. *Improvements in the storage and utilisation of energy by means of liquids.*

2820. A. O. Tate. *Improved waterproof material and method and apparatus for manufacturing same.*

November 28.

2821. J. C. Barker. *Improvements in pneumatic tyres.*

2822. G. de Havilland & G. H. Thomas. *Improvements in means for controlling aeroplanes.*

2823. A. C. Karmokar. *Improvements in lever jute baling press.*

2824. J. W. DeCamp. *Burial caskets.*

November 29.

2825. A. J. Cook. *Improvements in drawing pressing rollers of textile machinery.*

2826. F. C. Griffin. *Privy.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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2728. W. W. White. *Improvements in or relating to the separation of volatile products from solid carbonaceous material.*

2784. J. Woods. *Improvements in or relating to abdominal supports.*

2791. W. Bottomley & William Bottomley & Sons. *Improved means for controlling the tension upon yarns in doubling winding frames.*

2792. A. E. Boyd. *An improved automatic counter.*

2793. A. H. Bonnard. *Improvements in or relating to the preparation of vegetable charcoal.*

2799. R. G. Pierpoint. *Improvements in pickers for looms for weaving.*

2800. B. J. Benn & A. J. Taylor. *Improvements in and connected with railway indicators.*

2801. American Arch Co. *Improvements in or relating to arches and arch bricks.*

2803. A. C. Ionides. *Improvements in and relating to the complete combustion of gaseous mixtures.*

2804. J. Higginson and H. Arundel. *Improvements in liquid fuel supply apparatus for internal combustion engines.*

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2400. A. R. Craddock. *An improved system of railway control.*

2485. Peter Ford & Sons, Ld., and H. Ford. *A new or improved process and composition for moulding or forming articles such as light reflectors or shades, vases, or the like, or decorative slabs for partitions, wall or ceiling covering or the like.*

2594. Hudson Motor Car Co. *Balanced crank-shaft.*

2750. L. B. Verma. *A die for making cardboard boxes or cartoons.*

2752. F. Hird. *Improvements in or relating to apparatus for testing or separating coins.*

2754. J. H. Hall. *An improved latex spout and cup holder.*

2755. M. I. Pupin and E. H. Armstrong. *Improvements for increasing the selectivity of electrical circuits.*

2756. E. G. Ritchie. *Improved belt fastener.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

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2612. Mills Equipment Co., Ld., and Wise.
2646. Panchal.
2657. Leeson.
2658. Bald.
2662. Bald.
2673. LeFeuvre.
2680. Housley.
2683. Shepherd.

PATENTS SEALED.

2629. Peterson.
2630. Heuvelink.
2660. Gammeter.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

189 of 1904. Dronsfield. (To 2 December 1917.)
203 of 1904. Shaw. (To 2 December 1917.)
523 of 1906. Lane & anr. (To 30 November 1917.)
202 of 1909. Edeleanu. (To 30 November 1917.)
218 of 1910. Pachaiyappachariar. (To 16 November 1917.)
459 of 1910. Dawson Moray. (To 9 December 1917.)
234 of 1911. Kehr. (To 28 November 1918.)
251 of 1911. Cooper. (To 28 November 1917.)
320 of 1911. Smith & ors. (To 28 November 1917.)
801 of 1911. Cook. (To 27 February 1917.)
806 of 1911. Gare. (To 11 December 1917.)
807 of 1911. Gare. (To 11 December 1917.)
34 of 1912. Lee. (To 18 January 1918.)
613 of 1912. Cooke. (To 22 November 1917.)
652 of 1912. Van Calcar & ors. (To 11 December 1917.)
709 of 1913. Techno Chemical Laboratories, Ld. (To 21 January 1918.)
766 of 1913. Tarrant. (To 18 February 1918.)

CESSATION OF EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGES.

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1903.

60, (Cockburn & ors.). 519, (National Wire Bound Box Co.).

1912

454, (Forkert). 455, (Silberrad). 456, (Shuman & anr.) 457, (Rikhi Kesh). 458, (Pollard & anr.). 459, (Pollard & anr.). 461, (Hale). 462, (Haultain). 464, (Chikaneeff). 465, (Schneider). 466, (Whiting).

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT UNDER SECTION 17.

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2740 of 1916. W. Beardmore of Parkhead, Glasgow, Scotland, and T. C. W. Pullinger, of the Brae, near Dumfries, Scotland, seek leave to amend the specification of their application for a patent numbered as above. The proposed amendments as shown in the printed specification are as follows:—

On Page 2.

Line 28 *for* "inlet" *substitute* "exhaust."

" 32 *for* "inlet" *substitute* "exhaust."

" 40 *for* "inlet" *substitute* "exhaust."

" 41 *for* "rocking lever" substitute "rocking levers" and *add* "one for each cylinder" after the reference letter "D3."

" 42 *for* reference letter "E1" *substitute* "H1."

DESIGNS ENTERED ON THE REGISTER.

November 27th to December 2nd, 1916.

Class 13. Nos. 5167 to 5174. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. November 25.

Class 14. Nos. 5175 to 5179. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. November 25.

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	R
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	21-8 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	22-8 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
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Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0	10	0
,, ,, 3 ,,	,, 6 ,,	,,	Re.	1	0	0
,, ,, 2 ,,	,, 9 ,,	,,	Re.	1	8	0

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Calcutta, the 4th December 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 30th November 1916.

	Total amount of notes in circulation.			Reserve. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (Purchase price).		Total.	Remarks.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	Total.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.	Total.	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R (a)	R (b) (c)	R	
Calcutta	2,75,27,150	26,32,51,830	29,07,78,980	4,47,61,345	1,41,75,060	65,86,240	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	22 24,21,405	50,71,93,996	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R23,33,46,571. (c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R13 74 21,405.
Cawnpore	...	2,43,86,445	2,43,86,445	1,25,34,831	1,82,17,245	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,07,52,076	
Lahore	...	5,50,87,885	5,50,87,885	1 33,33,615	2,10,89,700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,44,28,315	
Bombay	61,18,535	20,63,17,780	21,24,36,315	4,92,38,107	4 53,81,023	1,23,01,840	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,69,20,970	
Karachi	...	2,45,73,210	2,45,73,210	82,07,612	36,95,445	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,19,03,057	
Madras	24,50,870	9,97,92,595	10,22,43,465	1,55,22,653	1,13,29,042	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,68,51,695	
Rangoon	...	5,55,50,840	5,55,50,840	3,74,70,301	98,96,730	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,73,67,031	
	3,60,96,555	72,89,60 585	76 50,57,140	18,10,73,464	12,37,84,245	1,88,88,080	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	23,24,21,405	76,54,17,140	

Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue . . . . . . *Nil*

Deduct—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another 3,60,000

TOTAL CIRCULATION R . 76,50,57,140

TOTAL RESERVE R . 76,50 57,140

Gold worth £111,000 (Rs. 16,65,000) was transferred to the Paper Currency Reserve from the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 30th November 1916.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 30th November 1916 to 16 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Controller of Currency.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 23RD TO 30TH NOVEMBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	(a) 40	6	...	46	46	...	46	7	(b) 58	26	4	95	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	51	1	...	52	39	...	39	...	(c) 169	6	1	176	8	3	...	...	...	...

(a) Includes 36 received from Bombay Mint.
(b) Exclusive of 12 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(c) Exclusive of 10 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint:
Calcutta, the 4th December 1916.

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th November 1916.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT LOANS						3½ PER CENT. LOANS							4 PER CENT. LOANS		GRAND TOTAL
		of 1842-43	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01	TOTAL.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	4 per cent. Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent Portion	TOTAL	
Balance of 15th November 1916.	28,31,900	96,42,900	4,53,70,200	1,51 15,900	68,43,500	23 86,600	7,93,59,100	...	...	...	...	...	2,500	20,45,000	...	...	8,42,41,500
Add— Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 18th November 1916	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	83,400	...	...	83,400
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th November 1916	...	3,300	2,400	10,600	...	2,900	19,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,20,000	...	...	19,39,200
	28,31,900	96 46 200	4,53,72,600	1,51,26,500	68,43,500	23,89,500	7,93,78,300	...	...	...	...	...	2,500	40,48,400	...	...	8,62,64,100
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balance on 30th November 1916	28,31,900	96,46 200	4,53 72,600	1,51,26 500	68 43,500	23,89,500	7,93,78,300	...	...	...	...	...	2,500	40,48,400	...	...	8,62,64,100

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 30th Sept. 1916 Enfaced from India 12,384 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12,861 lakhs.
" 1st Oct. 1916 " 15th Oct. " ditto ... ditto ...
" 16th " " " 31st " " ditto 1 lakh ditto 23 lakhs.
" 1st Nov. " " 15th Nov. " ditto . ditto 8 "
" 16th " " " 30th " " ditto 20 lakhs ditto ...

12,405 12,892

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 4th December 1916.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 5th December 1916.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	6,50,77,787	12	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,08,00,000 A. 0 P. 0; Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* Rs. 50,00,000 A. 0 P. 0	1,58,00,000	0	0	Other authorized Investments	1,11,08,145	0	0
				Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	2,93,23,572	2	0
				Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	5,64,19,469	1	7
				Bills discounted and purchased	2,99,47,508	3	6
				Balances with other Banks	40,30,399	11	8
				Bullion	......		
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	50,00,000	0	0	Dead Stock	29,60,033	14	0
				Stamps	11,771	9	1
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 90,10,686 A. 0 P. 1; Public Deposits at Branches Rs. 1,12,35,060 A. 0 P. 4	2,02,45,746	0	5	Sundries	3,68,736	13	0
					19,92,47,424	2	10
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	20,22,35,786	4	6	Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 2,81,24,463 A. 10 P. 1; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† Rs. 3,93,16,163 A. 4 P. 6	6,74,40,626	14	7
Bank Post Bills, etc.	18,83,677	8	6				
Sundries	15,22,841	4	0				
RUPEES	26,66,88,051	1	5	RUPEES	26,66,88,051	1	5

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,555 0 0

† Do. do. do. „ 8,71,912 8 0

Rs. 12,23,467 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 7th December 1916.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 8 per cent.

Percentage 29·85

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 73rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery, dated at Fort Lahore, this 3rd day of December 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—36664, Gunner. Hubert James Sampson.
Age—26 years 5 months.
Height—5 feet 8 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, dark brown; eyes, blue.
Trade—General labourer.
Date of enlistment—25th January 1912.
Place of enlistment—Newton-Abbot.
Parish and County in which born—Newton-Abbot, Devon.
Date of desertion or absence—26th November 1916.
Place of desertion or absence—Amritsar.
Marks—Crossed hands; True love and heart to "Ida" right forearm; I. R.; L.; P. R.
On leave.
Under 5 years' service.

C. A. RUSSELL, Captain, R. G. A.,
Commanding 73rd Company, Royal Garrison Artillery.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—
   (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

NOTICE.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Manager's Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and Ex-Officio President of the Board of Examiners.

DHANBAD;
20th October 1916.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTIFICATION.

On the recommendation of the Board of Examiners, the undermentioned candidate is declared to be eligible for admission to the Degree of Doctor of Law. The theses submitted by the candidate, which have been approved by the Board of Examiners are stated against his name :—

Name of candidate.	Subject of theses.
Babu Jadulal Kanjilal, M.A., M.L.	1. The Vyavahara Prakaranam. 2. The Doctrine of Spiritual Benefit and its Legal effects.

By order of the Hon'ble the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate.

P. BRÜHL,
Registrar.

SENATE HOUSE;
The 5th December 1916.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd November 1916.

No. 190.—Mr. G. W. C. Lisle, Assistant Commissioner, Upper Division, Internal Branch, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India furlough for 6 months in extension of the period sanctioned in Notification No. 236, dated the 19th January 1916.

J. F. CONNOLLY,
Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 28th November 1916.

No. 40.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India on Medical Certificate with effect from the dates and for the periods specified against their names :—

Temporary Lieutenant J. Malone, R.I.M.	4 months from 23rd November 1916.
Temporary Engineer J. W Marshall, R.I.M. . . .	2 months and 6 days from 18th November 1916.

The 30th November 1916.

No. 41.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name :—

Temporary Lieutenant H. V. Fowler, R.I.M. . . .	2 months and 14 days from 20th October 1916.

F. J. WILSON,
Offg. Director, Royal Indian Marine.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 14th October 1916.

No. 6892-*C. & I.*—The following draft amendment, which it is proposed to make in the rules made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, which were issued in Punjab Government Notification No. 90, dated 15th February 1909, is published for criticism. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 30th of November 1916, together with any remarks or suggestions received on or before that date :—

Draft amendment.

In rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II of the said rules, *for* the figure "500" *substitute* "2000."

The 1st December 1916.

No. 7993-*Home.*—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending 25th November 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total		
	Delhi . .	225,471	132	120	252	73	73	146	...	...	...	66	6	54	2	18	...	21	19	40	58 12	33 67
	Notified Area	3,673	5	...	5	3	4	7	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	1	..	2	1	3	70·78	99·10
	Total .	229,144	137	120	257	76	77	153	...	...	...	72	6	54	2	19	...	23	20	43	58 32	34·72

No. 8006-*Home.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 12 of the Indian Press Act, I of 1910, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased hereby to declare forfeited to His Majesty, all copies of the pamphlet entitled "Arya Samaj ke bani Dayanand ki zindgi aur us ke khufyia political maqsad ka mukhtasir khaka," published by Amar Singh and printed at the Union Steam Press, Lahore, the contents of which appear to the Chief Commissioner to be of the nature described in Section 4, Sub-section (1) of the said Act, inasmuch as they have a tendency to bring into contempt such of His Majesty's subjects in British India as are followers of the doctrines of Swami Dayanand.

No. 8012-*Home.*—Major R. W. E. Knollys assumed charge of his duties as District and Sessions Judge, Delhi, with effect from the afternoon of the 27th November 1916.

No. 8015-*Home.*—The services of Mr. C. L. Dundas, District and Sessions Judge, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department, with effect from the afternoon of the 27th November 1916.

No. 8019-*Home.*—In exercise of the powers conferred upon the Local Government by Section 20 of the Punjab Courts Act, 1914, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to appoint Major R. W. E. Knollys to be the District Judge of the Civil District, Delhi, with effect from the afternoon of the 27th November 1916, the date on which he assumed charge of that post.

No. 8020-*Home.*—Under the provisions of Section 9, Sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898) Major R. W. E. Knollys is appointed Sessions Judge, within the limits of the Sessions Division of Delhi with effect from the afternoon of the 27th November 1916, the date on which he assumed charge of that post.

The 5th December 1916.

No. 8077-*C. & I.*—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in the Delhi Province are published for information :—

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the headquarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 30th November 1916. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82⅔ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs. A. P.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs. A. P.
Rice, unhusked	2 4 0	Cotton seed	3 1 0
,, husked	5 8 0	Ghi	56 0 0
Wheat	5 0 0	Flour (Wheat)	5 4 0
Barley	3 5 0	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8 0 0
Oats	...	Turmeric (unground)	18 0 0
Jowár	2 15 0	Salt	2 6 0
Bajra	3 3 0	Raw Hides (Cow)	80 0 0
Maize	2 15 0	Bran	2 4 0
Gram	3 3 0	Grass (dry)	1 0 0
Arhar Dál	4 4 0	Bhusa (white)	1 2 0
Linseed	6 0 0	Jowár Stalks	0 8 0
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4 12 0	Bengal Coal	0 9 0
Poppy-seed	...	Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand)	2 4 6
Til (jinjili seed)	6 6 0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	200 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur { Lawai	8 8 0	Sheep, per score	66 4 0
Sugar (raw), Gur { Desi	7 0 0		
Cotton (cleaned)	28 0 0		

Decrease in rates of most of the articles is due to large exports and demands.

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 30th November 1916.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee. Srs. Chts.	ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee. Srs. Chts.
Wheat	7 12	Maize	13 0
Barley	11 8	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	9 0
Rice { Best sort	3 0	Firewood	60 0
Rice { Common sort	5 0	Salt { Wholesale	18 4
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum)	13 0	Salt { Retail	16 0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum)	12 0	Gur { Lawai	4 8
		Gur { Desi	5 8
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)	...	Cotton (unginned)	4 0
Kangni (Setaria Italica)	...	Bejhar	12 0
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	12 0 0		

Decrease in rates of most of the articles is due to large exports and demands.

No. 8087-*Home*.—It is hereby notified that the holidays to be observed in public offices under the Chief Commissioner of Delhi Province during the year 1917, which are specified in the schedule hereto annexed, are public holidays within the meaning of section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI, of 1881. These holidays should be given to all Government servants, subject to the single condition that it should be open to the head of an office to stop a holiday notified under the Act in the case of any individual guilty of idleness or inattention to duty, unless the day in question is deemed specially sacred by the members of the religion which the offender professes.

2. In addition to the holidays specified in the schedule all Government offices will be closed from Friday, the 28th, to Sunday, the 30th, December 1917.

Heads of offices may also, subject to the condition that there are no arrears of work, permit the last Saturday of every month to be observed as a holiday in the English and Vernacular Offices. In such cases all establishments should be allowed, subject to the condition laid down in the case of public holidays, under the Negotiable Instruments Act, to take full advantage of the holidays.

3. This notification does not apply to holidays to be observed in Civil Courts.

SCHEDULE.

List of holidays for public offices during the year 1917.

Names of holidays.	Date on which they fall.	Day or days of the week.	Number of days.	REMARKS.
		General holidays.		
All Sundays	...	...	52	
Proclamation day	1st January	Monday	1	
King-Emperor's birth day.*	...	...	1	
		Christian holidays.		
Easter holidays	6th, 7th and 9th April	Friday, Saturday and Monday.	3	(4 days including Sunday.)
Christmas Vacation	24th to 27th and 31st December.	Monday to Thursday and Monday.	5	
		Hindu holidays.		
Basant Punchmi	27th January	Saturday	1	
Sheoratri	20th February	Tuesday	1	
Holi and Dulandhi	8th and 9th March	Thursday and Friday.	2	
Baisakhi	13th April	Friday	1	
Solono	3rd August	„	1	
Janam Ashtmi	10th August	„	1	
Dassehra	22nd to 25th October	Monday to Thursday.	4	
Diwali	13th November	Tuesday	1	
		Mohammadan holidays.		
Bara Wafat	7th January	Sunday	1	
Shabrat	5th June	Tuesday	1	
Id-ul-Fitr	20th or 21st July	Friday or Saturday	1	(Subject to the appearance of the Moon.)
Id-ul-Zuha	26th or 27th September	Wednesday or Thursday.	1	Do.
Muharram	26th and 27th October	Friday and Saturday	2	Do.

*NOTE.—The day fixed for celebration of the King-Emperor's birthday will be notified separately hereafter.

No. 8093-*C. & I.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (I of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, and with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to declare that the following shall, for the purposes of sections 18, 24, 26, 27, 30 and 64 of the said Act, be deemed to be "country liquor" and "foreign liquor," respectively :—

"Country liquor."

All liquor, other than rectified spirit, denatured spirit and perfumed spirit, not included in the definition of "foreign liquor."

"Foreign liquor."

All liquor other than rectified spirit, denatured spirit and perfumed spirit, on which a duty of customs is leviable under Schedule III of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), or on which a duty of customs or excise is leviable at the rate imposed under that schedule on similar liquor imported by sea into British India.

Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 2656-C. & I., dated the 22nd April 1915, is hereby cancelled.

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 29th November 1916.

No. 4274.—The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the prescribed tests in the Brahui language at an examination held at Quetta on the 27th November 1916 :—

1. Captain C. A. Williams, 2nd Battalion, Somerset Light Infantry, Quetta.
2. Captain B. R. Goddard, 2-4th Battalion, Hampshire Regiment, Quetta.
3. M. Muhammad Shirin Khan, Naib Tahsildar, Fort Sandeman.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 6th December 1916.

No. 758.—Mr. T. W. Babonau, Assistant Superintendent, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Superintendent, with effect from the afternoon of 8th November 1916, *vice* Mr. Syed Aulad Hossein, K. B., Deputy Superintendent, on combined leave.

S. G. BURRARD, Colonel, R.E.,

Surveyor General of India.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATION.

Rajputana Agency Camp, the 4th December 1916.

No. 1262-C-52.—The following application received from the Municipal Committee of Ajmer for a Government loan in connection with the Bhaonta Water Supply Scheme is published for general information as required by rule 7 of the Rules issued under section 4 of the Local Authorities Loans Act, IX of 1914, in the notification of the Government of India in the Finance Department, No. 1020-A of the 10th November 1914.

2. Any objection which may be received with respect to the application within one month from the date of this notification will be considered by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner.

Application.

1. The purpose for which the loan is required	The Bhaonta Water Supply Scheme Ajmer.
2. An estimate of the cost of the entire work	Rs. 5,40,462.
3. The amount which it is proposed to borrow	Rs. 40,000.
4. The fund on the security of which it is proposed to borrow . . .	The Ajmer Municipal Fund.
5. The law under which the said fund is levied, received or held . . .	The Ajmer Municipalities Regulation, V of 1886.
6. The date within which the money is to be borrowed	As soon as the loan is sanctioned in one instalment of Rs. 40,000 before 31st March 1917.
7. The rate of interest at which it is proposed to borrow	Rs. 5 per cent. per annum.
8. The term of years for which the money is to be borrowed . . .	10 years.
9. The method by which it is to be repaid .	By half-yearly instalments of Rs. 2,565-14-0 each.

10. Account of the financial position of the Local Authority.

Year	Revenue. Rs.	Expenditure. Rs.
1913-14	6,84,331	6,30,196
1914-15	5,91,483	5,49,274
1915-16	3,29,766	3,21,253

11. All existing prior charges on the Fund.

	Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	
Balance of the loan of . .	2,18,000	1,28,293	3	3	on 31st March 1916.
Do. .	4,00,000	3,92,816	6	8	
Do. .	20,000	2,784	2	10	
Do. . .	60,000	10,000	0	0	

12. Remarks . The loan of Rs. 60,000 will be fully repaid in November 1916 and that of Rs. 20,000 in March 1918.

R. G. ROBSON,
Chairman, Municipal Committee, Ajmer.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,
First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

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IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 207 OF 1915.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of P. S. S. Chelliah Pillay, Cloth Merchant of No. 84, Mogul Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said P. S. S. Chelliah Pillay, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 15th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 142 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of Mohan Lall of No. 83, 28th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Mohan Lall, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 17th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 151 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of Chidambaram Atchary, Native Doctor of No. 85, 29th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Chidambaram Atchary, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 17th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 192 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1916.

In the matter of Maung Gale, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Gale, Clerk, of No. 21, 38th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Gale.

CASE No. 193 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 21st November 1916.

In the matter of K. M. Basu, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kamini Mohan Basu, No. 54, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kamini Mohan Basu.

CASE No. 194 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1916.

In the Matter of H. Z. Mahomed Raoof, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by H. Z. Mahomed Raoof, Trader of Mogul Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said H. Z. Mahomed Raoof.

CASE No. 195 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1916.

In the matter of Dorai Raja, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Dorai Raja of No. 68, 35th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Dorai Raja.

CASE No. 196 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1916.

In the matter of Albon Boog, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Albon Boog, residing at 101st Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Albon Boog.

CASE No. 197 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 17th November 1916.

In the matter of K. R. M. P. R. Saminathan Chetty, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by K. R. M. P. R. Saminathan Chetty, Clerk, of No. 10, 41st Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said K. R. M. P. R. Saminathan Chetty.

CASE No. 198 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of Chokalingasawmy, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Chokalingasawmy, son of Ramayya, Maistry, residing at No. 58, 38th Street, Rangoon, on the 17th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Chokalingasawmy.

CASE No. 199 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of Abdul Rahaman Raj, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Abdul Rahaman Raj, residing at No. 102, Dalla, Rangoon, on the 17th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Abdul Rahaman Raj.

CASE No. 200 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 21st November 1916.

In the matter of C. Runganatham Moodaliar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by C. Runganatham Moodaliar, No. 42, Bow Lane, Kala Busty, Rangoon, on the 20th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said C. Runganatham Moodaliar.

CASE No. 201 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 21st November 1916.

In the matter of Maung Ou Maung, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Ou Maung, Clerk of British Burma Press, residing at No. 33, 51st Street, Rangoon, on the 20th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of Insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Ou Maung.

CASE No. 102 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1916.

In the matter of Mahomed Salay Nakwara, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition presented by Moosa Hoosain of Rangoon, a creditor of Mahomed Salay Nakwara, of No. 66, Promo Road, Rangoon, on the 13th day of June 1916 an order of adjudication of Insolvency pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, against the said Mahomed Salay Nakwara was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 15th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 141 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 28th November 1916.

In the matter of Abdul Rahiman, of No. 93, Fraser Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Abdul Rahiman an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 27th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 168 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 28th November 1916.

In the matter of V. Vaithilingam, of No. 15, Judha Ezekeil Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said V. Vaithilingam an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 27th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 202 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 24th November 1916.

In the matter of Frederick Gaughan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Frederick Gaughan, Telegraphist of Elephant Point, Rangoon. on the 24th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Frederick Gaughan.

CASE No. 203 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 27th November 1916.

In the matter of Nagalingam Naidu, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Nagalingam Naidu, No. 21, 38th Street, Rangoon, on the 25th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Nagalingam Naidu.

CASE No. 204 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1916.

In the matter of Mahomed Kunju Kaka, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mahomed Kunju Kaka, of No. 285, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 29th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mahomed Kunju Kaka.

(*Illegible*),

Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.
In Insolvency.

No. 30 OF 1912.

Dated the 4th December 1916.

Re Ketokey Charan Bannerjee, Aparna Charan Bannerjee, Keshani Charan Bannerjee and Gyanoda Charan Bannerjee.

Ex parte the creditor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 4th day of August 1916, the order of adjudication made herein on the 2nd day of February 1912, was annulled except as to Gyanoda Charan Bannerjee.

No. 161 OF 1913.

Dated the 30th November 1916.

Re Kali Das Biswas.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 9th day of January 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 109 OF 1915.

Dated the 30th November 1916.

Re Debi Prosad Bhagat.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 9th day of January 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Summary Case.

No. 118 OF 1915.

Dated the 4th December 1916.

Re Grace Rosabella King.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 9th day of January 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 187 OF 1915.

Dated the 30th November 1916.

Re J. H. Huzzey.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 9th day of January 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 198 OF 1915.

Dated the 30th November 1916.

Re Lilian Beatrice Hamilton.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 9th day of January 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 205 OF 1916.

Dated the 30th November 1916.

Re Hur Kissen and Dev Kissen.

Ex parte the debtors.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtors having applied for their discharge, the Court has fixed the 9th day of January 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 181 OF 1916.

Dated the 6th December 1916.

Re Arthur Locke residing at No. 21, Ripon Street in the town of Calcutta, and working as a driver in the East Indian Railway.

Debtor—In person.

On the 30th day of November 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 182 OF 1916.

Dated the 4th December 1916.

Re Hari Das Mullick residing at No. 128-1, Balaram Dey Street, in the town of Calcutta, now employed as canvasser in the firm of T. D. Mullick carrying on business at No. 48-5, Bentinck Street in Calcutta aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor. Anil Nath Bose—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 1st day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 183 OF 1916.

Dated the 4th December 1916.

Re Vivian Edward Davis Evans residing at No. 45, Moti Seal's Street, in the town of Calcutta, late a Guard, East Indian Railway, now out of work.

Debtor—In person.

On the 2nd day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 184 OF 1916.

Dated the 5th December 1916.

Re Dip Chand Kesbri Chand and Gobordhone Das respectively residing at No. 71, Cotton Street, in the town of Calcutta, who lately carrying on business in guernsey frock and other cotton goods and in silver under the name, style and firm of Gobordhone Das Ram Gopal at No. 178, Harrison Road in Calcutta aforesaid but at present without any employment.

Ex parte the debtors. Surendra Chander Ghose—Attorney for the Insolvents.

On the 2nd day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as Insolvents.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 185 OF 1916.

Dated the 6th December 1916.

Re Ram Baksh Agarwalla, lately carrying on a copartnership business under the name and style of Madho Prosad Madan Gopal at No. 201, Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, at present a service holder residing at No. 11, Basack Lane in Calcutta aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor. D. P. Khaiton—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 4th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE -All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 187 OF 1916.

Dated the 5th December 1916.

Re William James Lynch residing at No. 21, Turner Street, in the town of Calcutta lately Assistant Workshop Foreman, E. B. Railway, Belliaghatta, now out of employment.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 4th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, AJMER.

No. OF 1916.

Ladu, son of Kanha Khatik of Deoli, applicant Insolvent.

against

	Debt. Rs.	A.	P.
1. Ganga Bishen, son of Sri Kishen Kalal, of Deoli	406	10	0
2. Lakshmi Narain and Madan Mohan, Mahajans of Deoli, Rs. 130 and Rs. 338-10-6	468	1	6
3. Mangia, son of Benja Khatik, of Deoli	80	0	0
4. Sheo Chand and Munna Lal, Mahajans, Deoli	12	0	0
5. Bhairun Lal, son of Lachmi Narain, Mahajan of Deoli	9	0	0
6. Jawahar Lal, son of Bhajju Ram, Mahajan of Deoli	23	0	0
7. Geegraj, son of Dul Chand, Mahajan of Deoli	12	0	0
TOTAL	1,011	4	6

The applicant has filed an application under Section 11 of Act III of 1907 of the Insolvency Act, and the application will be heard on 4th January 1917. The Creditors are hereby informed that they either appear in person or through an authorised agent to oppose the application on the date fixed.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court, this 29th day of November 1916.

S. ABDUL WAHID KHAN,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Ajmer.

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IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

FORM No. 8.

Notice to creditors of the date of consideration of a composition or scheme of arrangement.

SECTION 27.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI.

In the matter of insolvency of Behari Lal, son of Baldeo Das, of Delhi, Debtor.

SUIT No. 91 OF 1914.

Dated the 28th November 1916.

To

The Creditors.

Take notice that the Court has fixed the 21st day of December 1916 for the consideration of a composition (or scheme of arrangement) submitted by Behari Lal, the debtor in the above insolvency petition. No creditor who has not proved his debt before the aforesaid date will be permitted to vote on the consideration of the above matter.

If you desire to be represented at the above-mentioned hearing you should be present in person or by duly instructed pleader with your proofs.

SUIT No. 64 OF 1916.

Dated the 24th November 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Suhag Chand, son of Jhunnan Mah, of Delhi Baidwara.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Suhag Chand to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 18th December 1916.

SUIT No. 65 OF 1916.

Dated the 27th November 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Sardara, son of Chand Khan, Paharganj, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Sardara to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 19th December 1916.

SUIT No. 66 OF 1916.

Dated the 27th November 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Bhag Mal, son of Ram Chand Khatri, of Sabzimandi, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Bhag Mal to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 19th December 1916.

FORM NO. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 15 OF 1916.

Dated the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of Baij Nath, son of Jugal Kishore Banya of Chandni Chowk, Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 27th January 1916, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and in the absence of the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM NO. 5.

Order appointing a Receiver.

SECTION 18.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 15 OF 1916.

Dated the 20th November 1916.

In the matter of Baij Nath, son of Jugal Kishore Banya, of Chandni Chowk, Delhi.

Whereas Baij Nath was adjudicated an insolvent by order of this Court, dated 20th November 1916, and it appears to the court that appointment of a Receiver for the property of the insolvent is necessary.

It is ordered that a receiving order be made against the insolvent and a receiving order is hereby made against insolvent and B. Tara Chand, Pleader, and Rameshur Das are hereby constituted receivers of the property of the said insolvent, and it is further ordered that the said receivers do give security to the extent of Rs. 2,000.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 32 OF 1916.

Dated the 28th November 1916.

In the matter of Dhumi Mal and Jitu Mal, sons of Kanhya Lal of Delhi, Debtors.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 31st March 1916, on behalf of the said debtors, on reading the said petition and in the absence of the creditors, it is ordered that the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 46 OF 1916.

Dated the 24th November 1916.

In the matter of Khacheru, son of Puna, Chamar of Shahdaru, Delhi Province, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 26th June 1916, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and in the absence of the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 55 OF 1916.

Dated the 29th November 1916.

In the matter of Chubu Mal, son of Jaggi Mal Bamjee, of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 8th August 1916, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and in the absence of the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 57 OF 1916.

Dated the 29th November 1916.

In the matter of Salug, son of Rai Singh Chuhim, of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 29th August 1916, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and in the absence of the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

RAHIM BAKHSH,

Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying respectively for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
677–1916	Frank Pereira	Portuguese	Lower Parel near Dhan Mills, Bombay.	Shunter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company.	28th	November	1916	28th	November	1916
678—1916	Moosai Ramdin Chambe	Hindu	Dongri, Bombay	Lately milk-vendor and now unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"
679—1916	Bhagwat Sing Kalicharan Sing Thakoor.	"	Dadar Khed Talao, Bombay.	Lately petty dealer in milk and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
680—1916	Sudkia Hari *alias* Laxumon Vithoo Dabilkar.	"	Elphinstone Road, Bombay	Boilermaker in the R. I. M. Dockyard	29th	"	"	29th	"	"
681—1916	Babaji Devji Khedekar and Dhondu Raghu Kamb.	"	Naigam, Bombay	Jobbers in the Spring Mills	30th	"	"	30th	"	"
682—1916	Naikoo Yesoo Moray	"	Tardeo, Bombay	Lately Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
683—1916	Pandurang Mahadeo Sakle	"	Kamatipura 13th Lane, Bombay.	Servant in the employ of Pandurang Babaji.	1st	December	"	1st	December	"
685—1916	Daji Narayan Vichare	"	No. 1, Eranis Chenol Chinchpoogly, Bombay.	Lately Tobacco license-holder and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
686—1916	Joseph Frank Horton	Anglo-Indian	Lower Parel, Bombay	Fireman in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Coy.	2nd	"	"	2nd	"	"

687—1916	Abdul Karim Haji Nasser	Mahomedan	Khoja Gully, Bombay	Lately dealer in flooring tiles and Shahabad Stones and now unemployed.	„	„	„	4th	„	„
689—1916	Pirosha Nusserwanji Lelimwala	Parsi	Bapty Road, Bombay	Lately out-door Manager in the employ of the Parsi Theatrical Company and now unemployed.	4th	„	„	4th	„	„
688—1916	Mangaldas Gablusha Thanawala	Hindu	Thana in Bazar	Clerk in the employ of Messrs. Malvi Hiralal, Mody and Ramchodas, Solicitors.	2nd	„	„	4th	„	„

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT
Bombay, this 4th day of December 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 30th November 1916.

No. 29.—Mr. N. C. Halder, Officiating Deputy Traffic Manager, is granted, under Articles 233, 246, 260 and 308 of the Civil Service Regulations, combined leave for 6 months, *viz.*, privilege leave for 1 month and 8 days and furlough for the remaining period, with effect from the 9th October 1916.

Lahore, the 5th December 1916.

No. 30.—Mr. J. W. Bennett, Assistant Engineer, passed the Professional Examination, prescribed in the State Railway Construction Code, paragraphs 639 to 641, on the 22nd September 1916.

S. L. CRA'STER, Colonel,

Agent, N. W. Railway.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 29th November 1916.

No. 4200s-*Ap.*—Rai Radhika Mohan Lahiri, Bahadur, Assistant Director-General of the Post Office in the grade of Rs. 1,000, is granted privilege leave for 24 days, with effect from the 29th November 1916 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Rao Bahadur P. Anantha Krishnama Charlu, Assistant Director-General of the Post Office in the grade of Rs. 800, is appointed to officiate in the grade of Rs. 1,000 during the absence on privilege leave of Rai Radhika Mohan Lahiri, Bahadur, or until further orders.

No. 4206s-*Ap.*—Mr. F. F. Shout, Superintendent of post offices, 2nd grade, is granted privilege leave for one month and ten days, with effect from the 6th November 1916.

Simla, the 30th November 1916.

No. 4242s. *Ap.*—Babu Jogesh Chandra Banerji, Superintendent of post offices, 2nd grade, is granted an extension of privilege leave for 14 days, with effect from the 23rd November 1916.

No. 4265s-*Ap.*—Mr. F. L. C. Heysham, Superintendent of post offices, sub. *pro tem.* in the 3rd grade, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 4th December 1916 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. A. Anantha Charlu, Head Clerk, Rangoon post office, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. F. L. C. Heysham or until further orders.

No. 4268s-*Ap.*—Mr. K. S. Sheppard, Probationary Superintendent of post offices Madras, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 17th November 1916 and until further orders.

Simla, the 4th December 1916.

No. 4320s-*Ap.*—Khan Bahadur D. S. Captain, Superintendent of post offices, 1st grade, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the 23rd November 1916.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 5th December 1916.

No. 6001-*T*.—Mr. C. Oliver, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, has been granted, privilege leave for seventeen days combined with leave on medical certificate for five months and fourteen days with effect from the 16th October 1916.

Calcutta, the 8th December 1916.

No. 6108-*T*.—Mr. V. A. Hughes, Telegraphist, is appointed to officiate in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch as Superintendent of Post Offices, Traffic, Punjab and N. W. F. Circle, with effect from the 18th November 1916, *vice* Mr. A. G. Moore on combined leave.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 29th November 1916.

No. 2819*s*-*E*.-*E*.—Mr. H. S. Pritamdas, Deputy Superintendent, Technical, is granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 25th September 1916.

Simla, the 30th November 1916.

No. 2826*s*-*E*.-*E*.—The following permanent promotions in the Upper Subordinate Establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned on probation for six months with effect from the date specified :—

Name	From	To	With effect from
Mr. T. Nicoll . .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.*	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class.	7th October 1916.

No. 2831*s*-*E*.-*E*.—The following officiating promotion in the Upper Subordinate establishment (Technical Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name	From	To	With effect from
Mr. J. C. Parthew .	Telegraph Master (Technical).	Deputy Superintendent, Technical, 2nd class, officiating.	15th August to 14th November 1916.

No. 2835s-E. E.—The following officiating promotions in the Upper Subordinate Establishment (Engineering Branch) are sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name	From	To	With effect from
Mr. H. R. Khan .	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, officiating.	23rd to 31st August 1916.
" H. R. Khan .	Ditto.	Ditto.	22nd September 1916 (one day).
" W. Poole . .	Ditto.	Ditto.	1st to 14th November 1916.
" J. T. Shave .	Ditto.	Ditto.	15th to 21st November 1916.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

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PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

STOLEN.

The Government Promissory Note No. B069258 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 1,000 (Rupees one thousand only) originally standing in the name of the Alliance Bank of Simla Limited and last endorsed to Kalabhai Sava, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—KANGA & SAYANI,

Attorneys to Mr. Kalabhai Sava.

Address—Alice Building, Hornby Road, Bombay.

STOLEN.

The Government Promissory Note No. 056705 of the 3 per cent. loan of 1896-97 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of Hari Das Sreemaney and last endorsed to Aswini Kumar Das Gupta, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—ASWINI KUMAR DAS GUPTA,

Residence—Bhatia, P. O. Siddhakati, Dist. Barisal.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Be it known to all concerned that Seth Ghansham Das, son of Rai Seth Chand Mal Oswal Moonot of Ajmer, has separated from Rai Bahadur Seth Chhagan Mal, Seth Magan Mal and Seth Pearey Lal, sons of Rai Seth Chand Mal, in business, property, food and all other things. The firms detailed below are exclusively Seth Ghansham Das's and his sons and that the said Rai Bahadur Seth Chhagan Mal, Seth Magan Mal and Seth Pearey Lal have no share or concern in the same :—

(I) Seth Hamir Mal Chand Mal at Sambhar, together with Government Treasury at Sambhar and Pachbadra.

(II) Seth Rughnath Das Chhagan Mal, Bombay.

(III) Seth Sobhag Mal Samrath Mal. Bhilwara (Mewar).

(IV) Seth Hamir Mal Chand Mal, Azamgurh, U. P.

(V) Seth Chand Mal Ghansham Das, Poona City.

The said Seth Ghansham Das is the sole owner of and responsible for all the assets and liabilities connected with the aforesaid firms. He is also the sole and exclusive owner of the following immoveable properties and the said Rai Bahadur Seth Chhagan Mal, Seth Magan Mal and Seth Pearey Lal have no concern therewith :—

(I) Malguzari villages and lands situated in Azamgurh District, U. P.

(II) Lended properties situated at Bhilwara (Mewar).

(III) Lended properties situated at Poona City.

(IV) Lended properties situated at Hyderabad (Deccan).

(V) Naya Bazar-ka-Nohra and part of Badi Haveli of Moti-Katra situated at Ajmer.

The said Rai Bahadur Seth Chhagan Mal, Seth Magan Mal and Seth Pearey Lal similarly are exclusive owners of all the assets and responsible for all liabilities connected with the firms stated below and the Seth Ghansham Das has no share or concern with these :—

(I) Seth Hamir Mal Chand Mal, Ajmer.

(II) Seth Rughnath Das Chand Mal, Jodhpur (Marwar).

(III) Seth Hamir Mal Chhagan Mal, Mirzapur (U. P.).

(IV) Seth Chand Mal Chhagan Mal, Benares (U. P.).

(V) Seth Hamir Mal Chhagan Mal, Jhansi.

(VI) Seth Hamir Mal Chhagan Mal, Peshawar, together with the Government treasuries at Peshawar, Kohat, and Kurrum (N.-W. F. P.).

(VII) Seth Chand Mal Ghansham Das, Jullundur (Punjab), together with the Government Treasuries at Jullundur, Hoshiarpur and Kangra.

(VIII) Rai Seth Chand Mal, Moza Bahatrai (District Damoh), C. P.

(IX) Seth Rughnath Das Hamir Mal, Damoh (C. P.).

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(I) Malguzari villages and lands situated in Damoh District, C. P., except Moza Satpara.

(II) Malguzari villages and lands situated in Districts Mirzapur and Jhansi.

(III) Lended properties situated in District Jhansi (C. P.), Peshawar (N.-W. F. P.) and Jullundur (Punjab), Mirzapur (U. P.) and Marwar State.

(IV) Lended properties situated at Rutlam (Malwa), Bhopal, C. I., and the lended properties situated at Ajmer excluding the aforesaid buildings owned by Seth Ghansham Das.

The public and all concerned are therefore given this notice under the requirements of Section 264 of the Indian Contract Act.

SETH GHANSHAM DAS,
Rai Bahadur SETH CHHAGAN MAL,
SETH MAGAN MAL,
SETH PEAREY LAL,
Sons and heirs of the deceased Rai SETH CHAND MAL.

STOLEN OR DESTROYED.

The Government Promissory Notes Nos. 233661 and 233662 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 500 each, originally standing in the name of the Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd., and last endorsed to Pandit Kishen Lall Atal, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen or destroyed, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned securities.

P. KISHEN LALL ATAL.

LOST.

The undermentioned Interest Warrants issued in my name Nos. 290132, 162540 and 27780, dated the 12th August 1916, of the 3½ per cent. Loan of 1865, 1900—1, and 1879 for Rs. 16-12-8, Rs. 25-4-11 and Rs. 50-8-5 respectively. The payment of the Warrants has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and application for duplicates of the Warrants is about to be made to that Office.

Name of Proprietor—PRATUL KUMAR DAS GUPTA,
Minor, by his mother Guardian SUSHILA BALA DAS GUPTA,
Address—C/o RAI ANNADA CHARAN SEN BAHADUR,
1, Girish Mukerjee Road, Bhawanipur, Calcutta.

LOST.

The Government Promissory Notes Nos. M018648 for Rs. 5,000 and M023256 for Rs. 500 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 originally standing in the name of the Administrator-General of Madras and the Official Trustee, Madras, respectively and last endorsed to Gladys E. M. Syme, the proprietor by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of proprietor—GLADYS EILEEN MARGARET SYME,
Residence—16-18, Menads Lane, Purasawalkam.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue)

[In thousands of Rupees]

	In the Eight months, April to November, of									
	1907-08	1908-09	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
SEA CUSTOMS										
IMPORTS										
Special Import Duties										
Arms, ammunition, and military stores	3,54	3,40	3,31	3,29	3,17	4,08	4,34	3,89	3,77	6,43
Coal, coke, and patent fuel (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
Cotton manufactures (b)—										
Piecegoods, grey	45,25	36,06	39,95	37,39	44,38	57,13	58,70	53,44	42,61	39,96
" white	25,49	19,78	14,98	20,18	24,66	28,96	32,84	27,83	24,00	30,25
" coloured	25,33	25,29	18,65	26,90	29,51	32,90	45,03	28,91	18,46	34,44
Other goods	4,71	4,60	4,44	5,89	6,23	6,61	9,49	4,96	3,03	6,08
Liquors—										
Ale, beer, porter, cider and other fermented liquors	1,88	3,26	3,27	5,17	5,09	5,63	5,28	4,75	3,45	4,94
Spirits and liqueurs	59,94	61,01	61,02	69,14	71,23	69,71	74,58	72,81	66,46	71,87
Wines	2,52	2,48	2,40	3,64	3,68	3,46	3,08	3,81	2,91	3,97
Opium and its alkaloids (c)	3	2	2	4	4	5	5	3	3	4
Petroleum	29,92	35,85	30,56	35,97	48,14	44,36	40,36	54,87	45,17	33,24
Silver, bullion and coin (d)	33,46	49,52	37,18	1,21,32	74,96	77,62	58,61	92,59	68,75	12,44
Silver plate, silver thread and wire, and silver manufactures, all sorts (e)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,30
Sugar (countervailing duties, 1899 and 1902)	...	...	...	2	...	11	...	...	...	...
Sugar, all sorts (b)	29,17	34,79	39,45	42,22	39,47	47,18	63,84	29,87	35,65	84,10
Tobacco (d)	2,46	2,22	2,93	19,84	17,62	17,84	19,51	17,08	17,49	31,46
General Import Duties										
Articles of food and drink (excluding sugar)	15,56	17,25	15,54	16,27	16,97	18,61	19,69	17,42	20,20	34,01
Chemicals, drugs and medicines, and dyeing and tanning materials, all sorts	9,68	8,65	9,38	10,90	10,68	11,63	12,40	9,50	9,60	21,54
Metals (excluding silver, bullion and coin) and manufactures thereof	26,60	32,53	28,88	33,75	33,77	32,22	46,08	38,50	24,28	55,13
Oils (excluding petroleum)	1,83	98	81	92	74	97	1,22	1,12	1,27	2,28
Manufactured articles	65,23	66,77	61,19	76,85	84,70	91,68	1,05,50	76,42	77,22	1,62,00
Raw materials and unmanufactured articles	9,33	11,08	9,65	9,59	9,79	12,20	9,30	9,37	9,04	16,23
TOTAL IMPORTS	3,91,93	4,15,04	3,83,06	5,39,29	5,24,88	5,62,95	6,05,50	5,46,17	4,73,39	6,52,79
EXCISE DUTY ON COTTON GOODS	18,30	19,05	20,93	22,13	27,99	28,99	29,85	29,33	23,61	25,90
Export Duties										
Jute (raw), including cuttings (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34,26
Jute manufactures (a)—										
Sacking	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14,88
Hessians and all other descriptions	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16,47
Rice, husked or unhusked, including rice-flour	52,96	38,68	48,48	64,77	69,84	80,60	69,85	50,10	38,56	52,41
Tea (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29,63
TOTAL EXPORTS	52,96	38,68	48,48	64,77	69,84	80,60	69,85	50,10	38,56	1,47,65
LAND CUSTOMS AND MISCELLANEOUS	6,79	5,85	6,58	6,46	7,55	8,54	8,90	9,92	8,78	10,83
GRAND TOTAL	4,69,98	4,78,62	4,59,65	6,32,65	6,30,21	6,81,08	7,18,60	6,35,52	5,44,84	8,37,17
Provincial distribution of Imports and Exports										
Bengal — Imports	1,48,39	1,32,49	1,37,38	1,67,80	1,83,58	1,92,40	2,19,18	1,95,12	1,69,84	2,37,40
Bengal — Exports	4,96	3,50	7,16	11,27	18,99	17,86	11,87	6,97	2,14	94,23
Bihar and Orissa — Imports	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa — Exports	—	—	—	—	—	64	70	14	...	...
Bombay — Imports	1,44,49	1,57,81	1,40,28	2,43,75	2,01,19	2,21,41	2,18,05	2,11,21	1,79,70	2,40,59
Bombay — Exports	97	1,35	2,05	1,31	69	1,09	1,45	1,53	1,63	3,92
Sind — Imports	32,28	41,76	35,84	46,79	51,30	54,55	59,13	45,98	45,07	56,74
Sind — Exports	2,61	1,18	1,54	1,33	1,23	1,28	2,08	1,66	1,86	3,08
Madras — Imports	30,84	37,61	32,86	38,37	48,80	43,80	49,14	48,44	38,06	59,80
Madras — Exports	7,75	6,85	4,30	8,84	5,32	4,14	5,52	6,44	8,59	9,43
Burma — Imports	36,48	45,87	37,80	42,59	46,46	51,29	60,05	45,42	41,22	58,26
Burma — Exports	36,67	25,80	38,48	47,02	48,41	56,09	48,73	38,36	24,34	86,99

(a) Not subject to duty prior to March 1916
(b) Figures prior to March 1916 represent "*General Import Duties*"
(c) The duty on alkaloids of opium for the years previous to 1910-11 is included under the head "Chemicals, drugs, etc."
(d) Figures for the years previous to 1910-11 represent "*General Import Duties*"
(e) Figures prior to March 1916 are included with "Manufactured articles"

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics

H. F. HOWARD,
[Secretary] to the Government of India

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

An Ordinance to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916.

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary further to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916; IX of 1916.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:— 5 & 6 Geo. V, C. 61.

ORDINANCE No. VII OF 1916.

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be called the Second Indian Paper Currency (Further Amendment) Ordinance, 1916.

Amendment of section 3, Act IX of 1916.

2. Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916, shall be construed as if for the words "sixty millions" the words "three hundred millions" were substituted. IX of 1916.

Repeal of Ordinance No. VI of 1916.

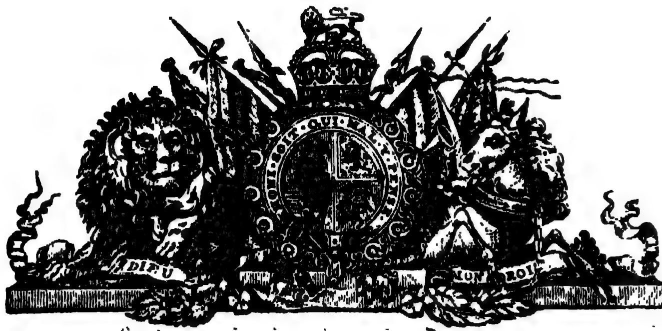
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KABWET, UPPER BURMA,
The 13th December, 1916.

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 14th December 1916, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

An Ordinance to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916.

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary further to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916; IX of 1916.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:— 5 & 6 Geo. 5, C. 61.

ORDINANCE NO. VII OF 1916.

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be called the Second Indian Paper Currency (Further Amendment) Ordinance, 1916.

Amendment of section 3, Act IX of 1916.

2. Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916, shall be construed as if for the words "sixty millions" the words "three hundred millions" were substituted. IX of 1916.

Repeal of Ordinance No. VI of 1916.

3. The Indian Paper Currency (Further Amendment) Ordinance, 1916, is hereby repealed. VI of 1916

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

KABWET, UPPER BURMA,
The 13th December, 1916.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2506-W.

Simla, the 1st May, 1916.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, and in supersession of the Notifications in this Department Nos. 2401-W. and 2402-W., dated the 27th March 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that on and from the 1st May 1916, no wheat or wheat flour shall be taken out of British India unless a permit in this behalf signed by the Chief Customs Officer is produced to the Customs Collector at the port of export in respect of such wheat or wheat flour, and unless such wheat or wheat flour is shipped in accordance with the terms of such permit.

Provided that nothing in this notification shall apply to:

(*i*) Goods shipped by, or for the use of, the Crown;

(*ii*) Goods shipped for use during the voyage;

(*iii*) Goods shipped to other ports in British India.

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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Short title.

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CABWET, UPPER BURMA, *The 13th December, 1916.*

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 12th December 1916.

No. 378.—Mr. J. L. Johnston is permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 14th December 1916.

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

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Delhi, the 14th December 1916.

No. 448.—In continuation of this Department Notification no. 419, dated the 18th November 1916, it is hereby notified that the Reverend John Reginald Weller, B.A., was appointed to be a chaplain on probation on the Bengal (Lahore) Ecclesiastical Establishment with effect from the 4th October 1916.

GENERAL.

The 14th December 1916.

No. 796.—Mr. M. N. Chakrabarti, Superintendent, 2nd grade, Department of Education, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd January 1917.

No. 797.—In consequence of the grant of three months' privilege leave to Mr. M. N. Chakrabarti, 2nd grade Superintendent, Department of Education, with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd January 1917, the following promotions with effect from the same date are notified :

Mr. A. H. Bartlett to officiate as Superintendent, 2nd grade.

Mr. P. N. Sen to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd grade.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATION.

FOREST.

Delhi, the 13th December 1916

No. 45-C.—On return from privilege leave Mr. H G. Billson, Conservator of Forests, 3rd (officiating 2nd) grade, resumed charge of the Western Circle, United Provinces, with effect from the afternoon of 13th October 1916, from which date Mr F. F. R. Channer, Officiating Conservator, 3rd grade, reverted to his substantive appointment in the class of Deputy Conservators.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

Delhi, the 11th December 1916.

No. 497-D.—In pursuance of section 249 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), as applied to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that in place of the fees specified in items Nos. 5 and 7, respectively, of Parts I and II of Table B in the First Schedule of the said Act, the following reduced fees shall be paid to the Registrar in respect of the matters hereinafter mentioned, namely:—

For filing returns of allotments prescribed by section 104 of the said Act in cases in which the aggregate paid up value of the shares allotted does not exceed Rs 100, one per cent on the paid up value of the shares allotted; in cases in which the paid up value exceeds Rs. 100, three rupees.

For filing any other document required or authorised by the said Act or Rules made thereunder, other than the memorandum or the abstract required to be filed with the Registrar by a receiver or the statement required to be filed with the Registrar by the liquidator in a winding up, three rupees.

The 12th December 1916

No. 505-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 527, sub-section (1), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 2494-I B., dated the 14th November 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the transfer of the criminal case noted in the margin from the Court of the Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan, to the Court of Sessions of the Bhagalpur District in Bihar and Orissa.

Crown *versus* Yar Khan, son of Faiaz Khan, Qureshi, a native of Gomal village, Dera Ismail Khan District. Charge, section 302, Indian Penal Code.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Simla, the 13th December 1916.

No. 2151-G.—Subject to the confirmation of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr Addison E. Southard as Consul for the United States of America at Aden.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Delhi, the 14th December 1916.

No. 554-D.—Mr. H. D. G. Law of the Political Department is posted as Special Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir with effect from the 13th November 1916.

No. 556-D.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. P. Macdonald of the Political Department was placed on Boundary Settlement duty under the orders of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, during the period from the 13th to the 22nd November 1916, inclusive.

No. 557-D.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. P. Macdonald of the Political Department is posted as Political Agent in Malwa, with effect from the 1st December 1916.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 16th December 1916.

No. 263-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alteration shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 11255-W.-II, dated the 18th November 1916, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

REMOVALS.

United States of America.

Kempner, H., Cotton Exchange, Galveston, Texas.

No. 268-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations and additions shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

(*i*) *Delete* the words "and tanned" *after* the word "raw" against item 50;

(*ii*) *Insert* the following new entry after item 37:—

Articles.	Destinations.	Exceptions.
37 (*a*) Skins (tanned)	All destinations except the United Kingdom.	

No. 278-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9003-W.-II, dated the 23rd September 1916, *viz.*:—

Additions.

Assomull, W. and Co.
Central China Export and Import Company.
Chinai, J. C. and Co.
Ching Kee and Co.
Chiyoya.
Chop-Tong Chong (Wee Hock Siang and Co.)
Chop-Tek Hock (Yeoh Haing and Co.)
Gaston Williams and Wigmore Far Eastern Division Inc., Shanghai.
Hai Ho Conservancy Commission, Tientsin.
Honig, Bertin.
International Recreation Club, Peking.
Kingsley, T. L. and Co.
London Ladies Tailors.
Moysey, H. J.
Tien Zung and Co.
Tobacco Products Corporation.
Wee Hock Siang and Co. (Chop-Tong Chong).
Yeoh Haing and Co. (Chop-Tek Hock).

No. 279-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916) the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 139-C.-I.-D., dated the 2nd December 1916, *viz.*:—

For the words "No. 1903-W.-II." *read* "No. 9003-W.-II."

No. 288-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations and additions shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

After the word "kinds" against item 47 *insert* "(other than Konnam, Avaram and Velam barks and Divi Divi)".

Insert the following new entry after item 12, *viz.*:—

Articles.	Destinations.	Exceptions and exemptions.
12 (*a*). Konnam, Avaram and Velam barks and Divi Divi.	All destinations	

COMPANIES.

The 16th December 1916.

No. 12274-C. & E.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 151 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), the Governor General in Council is pleased to add the following forms to the schedule attached to the Indian Companies Rules, 1914, published with Notification No. 1271-23-C, dated the 28th March 1914.

FORM XXIV.

STATUTORY REPORT

The Indian Companies Act, 1913.

(See Section 77)

Filing fee————Rs. 3.

Statutory report of the ———————— Company, Limited, to be certified[1] and filed pursuant to section 77(5).

Presented for filing by————————

The Directors' report to the members as follows :—

1. The total number of shares allotted is————

2. Of the said shares ——

(a) the number allotted subject to payment therefor in cash is————

(b) the number allotted as fully paid up is ————the consideration for which they have been allotted is———— — ————

(c) the number allotted as fully paid up otherwise than in cash to the extent of Rs.————per share is ————the consideration for which they have been so allotted is———— ———— .

3. The total amount of cash received by the company in respect of the shares issued subject to payment therefor in cash is————(and on the shares issued partly for cash is————) ; and the Company has received no cash in respect of the said————shares issued as fully paid up.

4. The receipts and payments of the company on capital account up to the————day of ————last (*i.e.*, a date within 7 days of the date of the report) are as follows :—

	Particulars of receipts	Particulars of payments.
From Shares Preference / Ordinary . .		
From Debentures . .		
From Debenture Stock . .		
From other sources . . .		

5. The following are the particulars as to the balance remaining in hand as on the said————day of————:—

Cash in hand . .		
Cash at the bank . . .		
Etc., etc. . . .		

[1] To be certified by not less than two directors or if the company has less than two directors, by the sole director and forwarded at least 10 days before the statutory meeting to every member and debenture-holder of the company and to be filed with the Registrar forthwith after it is so forwarded. Section 77, sub-sections (2), (3) and (5) and section 146.

6. The following is an account (or estimate) of the preliminary expenses of the company :—

7. Names, addresses and descriptions of the Directors, Auditors (if any), Managers (if any) and Secretary of the Company :

Directors

Name.	Address	Description.

Auditors

Name	Address	Description.

Managers

Name	Address	Description.

Secretary.

Name.	Address	Description

8. Particulars of any contract the modification of which is to be submitted to the meeting for its approval together with the particulars of the modification or proposed modification :—

* * * * * * *

Dated the *day of* 19 .

We hereby certify this report

Two Directors.

We hereby certify that so much of the report as relates to the shares allotted by the company and to the cash received in respect of such shares and to the receipts and payments of the company or capital account is correct.

Date *Auditors.*

FORM XXV.

AGREEMENT TO TAKE QUALIFICATION SHARES IN PROPOSED COMPANY.

The Indian Companies Act, 1913.

(See section 84.)

Filing fee——————Rs 3.

Contract by directors to take and pay for qualification shares in —————— Limited, to be signed and filed pursuant to section 84 (1) (*a*) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913.

Presented for filing by ——————

We, the undersigned, having consented to act as directors of the —————— Limited, do each hereby agree to take from the said company and pay for the —————— shares of —————— each, being the number of shares prescribed as the qualification for the office of director of the said company.

Signature.	Address.	Description.

Dated

Witness to the above signatures ——————

FORM XXVI.

COPY OF THE REGISTER OF DIRECTORS OR MANAGERS AND CHANGES THEREIN.

The Indian Companies Act, 1913.

(See section 87.)

Filing fee______Rs. 3.

Copy of the Register of Directors or Managers of the ______ company and of any changes therein filed pursuant to section 87 (1).

Presented for filing by________________________

Names.	Addresses.	Occupation.	Changes.*

Signature

Date

NOTE—1. A complete list of the existing directors or managers should always be given.

* 2. A note of the changes since the last list was filed should be made in this column, *e.g.*, by entering against a new director's name the words "in place of ______" and against any former director's name the words "dead", "resigned" or as the case may be.

3. Notice of change should be given within 30 days from the date of occurrence.

CUSTOMS.

The 16th December 1916.

No. 280-C.-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as subsequently amended and in supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in the Commerce and Industry Department, No. 2473, dated the 1st April 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to fix, with effect from the 1st January 1917, for the articles specified in column 2 of the schedule hereto annexed, the tariff values stated in column 4 of the said schedule.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco.			
	FISH.		R. A.	
1	FISH, SALTED, wet or dry	Indian maund of 82⅐ lbs. avoirdupois weight.	.	Such rate or rates of duty not exceeding twelve annas as the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, from time to time prescribe.
2	FISHMAWS, including singally and sozille, and sharkfins.		*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent
3	FISH, excluding salted fish (see No. 1)		"	7½ " "
	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.			
4	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, all sorts, fresh, dried, salted or preserved—			
	Almonds without shell	cwt.	80 0	7½ per cent
	" in the shell	"	22 0	7½ " "
	" (kágazi) Persian	"	75 0	7½ " "
	" (kágazi) European	"	45 0	7½ " "
	Cashew or cajoo kernels	"	25 0	7½ " "
	Coconuts, Straits	thousand	75 0	7½ " "
	" other	"	50 0	7½ " "
	" kernel (khopra)	cwt.	20 0	7½ " "
	Currants	"	35 0	7½ " "
	Dates, dry, in bags	"	7 12	7½ " "
	" wet " baskets and bundles	"	5 8	7½ " "
	" " in pots, boxes, tins and crates	"	9 0	7½ " "
	Figs, Persian, dried	"	18 0	7½ " "
	Garlic	"	8 0	7½ " "
	Pistachio nuts	"	60 0	7½ " "
	Prunes, Bussora (álu-Bokhara)		*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	Raisins, black	..	"	7½ " "
	" kishmish, Persian Gulf		"	7½ " "
	" Munakka " "	cwt.	11 0	7½ " "
	" other sorts		*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	Walnuts, all descriptions		"	7½ " "
	All other sorts of fruits and vegetables, fresh, dried, salted or preserved.	.	"	7½ " "
	GRAIN, PULSE AND FLOUR.			
5	GRAIN AND PULSE, all sorts, including broken grain and pulse, but excluding flour (see No. 6)	.	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent
6	FLOUR		"	7½ " "
	LIQUORS			R A. P.
7	ALE, Beer, and Porter	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles.		0 4 6
8	CIDER and other fermented liquors	"	...	0 1 6
9	LIQUEURS, Cordials, Mixtures and other preparations containing spirit—			
	(a) Entered in such a manner as to indicate that the strength is not to be tested	"	.	14 10 0
	(b) If tested	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles of the strength of London proof.		11 4 0 and the duty to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than London proof.
10	PERFUMED SPIRITS	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles	...	18 12 0
11	SPIRIT, which has been rendered effectually and permanently unfit for human consumption.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco—*contd.*		R A.	
	LIQUORS—*contd.*			R A. P.
12	All other sorts of SPIRIT	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles of the strength of London proof.	...	11 4 0 and the duty to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than London proof.
13	WINES—			R A. P.
	Champagne and all other sparkling wines not containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit.	"	...	4 6 0
	All other sorts of wines not containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit. Provided that all sparkling and still wines containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit shall be liable to duty at the rate applicable to "All other sorts of Spirit."	"	...	1 12 0
	PROVISIONS AND OILMAN'S STORES.			
14	VINEGAR, in casks	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
15	PROVISIONS, OILMAN'S STORES, AND GROCERIES, all sorts, excluding vinegar in casks (see No. 14)—			
	Bacon	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Beef and Pork	...	"	7½ " "
	Bêche de mer	...	"	7½ " "
	Butter	lb.	1 8	7½ " "
	Cassava, Tapioca or Sago	cwt.	12 8	7½ " "
	Cheese	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	China preserves in syrup	cwt. (nett)	30 0	7½ " "
	" " dry, candied	lb.	0 5	7½ " "
	Cocum	cwt.	5 8	7½ " "
	Ghi	"	70 0	7½ " "
	Margarine	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	Vinegar not in casks—			
	Persian	...	"	7½ " "
	Indian	...	"	7½ " "
	All other sorts of provisions, oilman's stores and groceries.	...	"	7½ " "
	SPICES.			
16	SPICES, all sorts—			
	Betelnuts, raw, whole, split, or sliced, from Goa	cwt.	13 0	7½ per cent.
	" " " " " " Straits	"	9 0	7½ " "
	" sliced, raw or boiled, all other sorts, from Dutch East Indies.	"	24 0	7½ " "
	" whole, from Ceylon	"	11 8	7½ " "
	" raw, split (sun-dried) from Ceylon	"	27 0	7½ " "
	all other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	Chillies, dry	cwt.	15 0	7½ " "
	Cloves	"	40 0	7½ " "
	" exhausted	"	14 0	7½ " "
	" stems and heads	"	7 0	7½ " "
	" in seeds, narlavang	"	13 0	7½ " "
	Ginger, dry	"	18 0	7½ " "
	Mace	lb.	1 6	7½ " "
	Nutmegs	"	0 5	7½ " "
	" in shell	"	0 3	7½ " "
	Pepper, black	cwt.	44 0	7½ " "
	" white	"	60 0	7½ " "
	All other sorts of spices	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	SUGAR.			
17	CONFECTIONERY	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
18	SUGAR, all sorts, including Molasses and Saccharine produce of all sorts, but excluding confectionery (see No. 17)—			
	Sugar, crystallised, beet	cwt.	16 12	10 per cent.
	" " and soft, refined in China	"	16 8	10 " "
	" " " " from Japan	"	16 0	10 " "
	" " " " from Egypt	"	16 0	10 " "

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco—*concld.*		R A.	
	SUGAR—*contd.*			
	All other sorts of Sugar—			
	Sugar, crystallised, and soft, from Java, 23 Dutch standard and above.	cwt	16 4	10 per cent.
	" " " " from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch standard.	"	11 8	10 " "
	" " " " from Java, 15 Dutch standard and under.	"	12 0	10 " "
	" " " " from Mauritius, equal to 16 Dutch standard and over.	"	16 4	10 " "
	Molasses from Java	"	2 8	10 " "
	" " other countries	"	2 8	10 " "
	Sugar, all other sorts, including saccharine produce of all kinds.	...	*Ad valorem*	10 " "
	TEA.			
19	TEA—			
	Tea, black	lb.	0 12	7½ per cent.
	" green	"	0 11	7½ " "
	OTHER FOOD AND DRINK.			
20	COFFEE	cwt	50 0	7½ per cent.
21	HOPS	...	...	Free
22	SALT	Indian maund of 82⅞ lbs. avoirdupois weight	...	The rate at which excise duty is for the time being leviable on salt manufactured in the place where the import takes place.
23	SALT imported into British India and issued, in accordance with rules made with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, for use in any process of manufacture; also salt imported into the port of Calcutta and issued with the sanction of the Government of Bengal to manufacturers of glazed stone-ware; also salt imported into any port in the provinces of Bengal and Bihar and Orissa and issued, in accordance with rules made with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, for use in curing fish in those provinces.			Free.
24	ALL OTHER SORTS OF FOOD AND DRINK not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	TOBACCO.			R A
25	TOBACCO, unmanufactured	lb.	...	1 0
26	CIGARS AND CIGARETTES	...	*Ad valorem*	50 per cent.
27	All other sorts of TOBACCO, manufactured	lb.	...	R A. 1 8
	II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured.			
	COAL, ETC.			
28	COAL, COKE AND PATENT FUEL	ton	...	0 8

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*contd.*			
	GUMS, RESINS AND LAC.		R A.	
29	GUMS, RESINS AND LAC, all sorts—			
	Copal	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Cutch and gambier	cwt.	30 0	7½ " "
	Gamboge	lb.	1 12	7½ " "
	Gum Ammoniac	cwt.	30 0	7½ " "
	" Arabic	"	20 0	7½ " "
	" Bdellium	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	" Benjamin, ras	cwt.	40 0	7½ " "
	" " cowrie	"	75 0	7½ " "
	" Bysabol (coarse myrrh)	"	26 0	7½ " "
	" Olibanum or frankincense	"	12 0	7½ " "
	" Persian (false)	"	10 0	7½ " "
	Myrrh	"	30 0	7½ " "
	Rosin	"	15 0	7½ " "
	All other sorts of gums, gum-resins, and articles made of gum or gum-resin.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	HIDES AND SKINS, RAW.			
30	HIDES AND SKINS, raw or salted	...	...	Free.
	METALLIC ORES, AND SCRAP IRON OR STEEL FOR RE-MANUFACTURE.			
31	IRON OR STEEL, old	cwt.	2 8	2½ per cent.
32	METALLIC ORES, all sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	OILS.			R A. P.
33	PETROLEUM, including also naphtha and the liquids commonly known by the names of rock-oil, Rangoon oil, Burma oil, kerosine, paraffin oil, mineral oil, petroline, gasoline, benzol, benzoline, benzine, and any inflammable liquid which is made from petroleum, coal, schist, shale, peat or any other bituminous substance, or from any products of petroleum, but excluding the following classes of petroleum.	Imperial gallon.	...	0 1 6
	Petroleum which has its flashing point at or above two hundred degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use exclusively for the batching of jute or other fibre, or for lubricating purposes.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Petroleum which has its flashing point at or above one hundred and fifty degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use exclusively as fuel or for some sanitary or hygienic purpose.		*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
34	All other sorts of animal, essential, mineral, and vegetable non-essential OILS—			
	Cocoanut oil	cwt.	26 0	7½ per cent.
	All other sorts of oil	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	SEEDS.			
35	OIL-SEEDS, imported into British India by sea from the territories of any Native Prince or Chief in India.	...	...	Free.
36	SEEDS, all sorts, excluding oil-seeds specified in No. 35.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
			R a.	
	II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*contd.*			
	TALLOW, STEARINE AND WAX.			
37	TALLOW AND STEARINE, including grease and animal fat, and WAX of all sorts, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	TEXTILE MATERIALS.			
38	COTTON, raw	...	...	Free.
39	WOOL, raw	...	...	Free.
40	TEXTILE MATERIALS, the following :—			
	Silk waste and raw silk including cocoons :—			
	Bokhara	lb.	7 0	7½ per cent.
	Floss	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	Raw silk—Yellow Shanghai, including re-reeled	lb.	5 8	7½ " "
	" from Indo-China, and places in China other than Shanghai including re-reeled.	"	6 0	7½ " "
	Mathow	"	3 12	7½ " "
	Panjam	"	3 0	7½ " "
	Persian	"	4 8	7½ " "
	Siam	"	3 10	7½ " "
	White Shanghai, Thonkoon or Duppion	"	3 8	7½ " "
	" " other kinds including re-reeled.	"	6 0	7½ " "
	" other kinds of China, including re-reeled.	"	7 10	7½ " "
	Waste and Kachra	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	All other sorts, including cocoons	...	"	7½ " "
	Raw Flax, Hemp, Jute and all other unmanufactured textile materials not otherwise specified.	...	"	7½ " "
	WOOD AND TIMBER.			
41	FIREWOOD	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
42	WOOD AND TIMBER, all sorts, not otherwise specified, including all sorts of ornamental wood.	...	"	7½ " "
	MISCELLANEOUS.			
43	CANES AND RATTANS	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
44	COWRIES AND SHELLS, including Tortoise-shell—			
	Chanks—large shells, for cameos	...	"	7½ " "
	" white, live	...	"	7½ " "
	" " dead	...	"	7½ " "
	Cowras	...	"	7½ " "
	Cowries, bazar, common	cwt.	3 0	7½ " "
	" yellow, superior quality	"	5 0	7½ " "
	" Maldive	"	7 0	7½ " "
	" Sankhli	"	100 0	7½ " "
	Mother-of-pearl, nacre	"	28 0	7½ " "
	Nakhla	"	125 0	7½ " "
	Tortoise-shell	lb.	11 0	7½ " "
	" nakh	"	5 0	7½ " "
	All other sorts, including articles made of shell, not otherwise described.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
45	IVORY, unmanufactured—			
	Elephants' grinders	cwt.	300 0	7½ per cent.
	" tusks (other than hollows, centres, and points), each exceeding 20 lb. in weight, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing 10 lb. and over.	"	850 0	7½ " "
	Elephants' tusks (other than hollows, centres, and points), not less than 10 lb. and not exceeding 20 lb. each, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing less than 10 lb.	"	750 0	7½ " "
	Elephants' tusks, each less than 10 lb. (other than hollows, centres, and points).	"	400 0	7½ " "

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
			R A.	
	I.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*concld.*			
	MISCELLANEOUS—*contd.*			
	Sea-cow or moye teeth, each not less than 4 lb.	cwt.	200 0	7½ per cent.
	Sea-cow or moye teeth, each not less than 3 lb. and under 4 lb.	"	170 0	7½ " "
	Sea-cow or moye teeth, each less than 3 lb.	"	120 0	7½ " "
	All other sorts unmanufactured not otherwise specified	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
46	MANURES, all sorts, including animal bones and the following chemical manures:—Basic slag, nitrate of soda, muriate of potash, sulphate of potash, kainit salts, nitrate of lime, calcium cyanamide and mineral superphosphates.	...	...	Free.
47	PRECIOUS STONES AND PEARLS, unset	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
48	PULP OF WOOD, RAGS and other paper-making materials.	...	...	Free.
49	ALL OTHER RAW MATERIALS, and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—			
	APPAREL.			
50	APPAREL, including drapery, boots and shoes, and military and other uniforms and accoutrements, but excluding uniforms and accoutrements exempted from duty (No. 51) and silver thread (No. 90).	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
51	UNIFORMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS appertaining thereto, imported by a public servant for his personal use.	...	...	Free.
	ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES.			
52	Subject to the exemptions specified in No. 55, ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES, that is to say,—			R A.
	(1) Firearms other than pistols, including gas and air guns and rifles.	each	...	50 0 } or 20 per cent. *ad valorem* whichever is higher.
	(2) Barrels for the same, whether single or double.	"	...	30 0
	(3) Pistols	"	...	15 0
	(4) Barrels for the same, whether single or double.	"	...	10 0
	(5) Main springs and magazine springs for firearms, including gas guns and rifles.	"	...	8 0
	(6) Gun stocks and breech blocks	"	...	5 0
	(7) Revolver-cylinders, for each cartridge they will carry.	"	...	2 8
	(8) Actions (including skeleton and waster), breech bolts and their heads, cocking pieces, and locks (for muzzle-loading arms).	"	...	1 8
	(9) Machines for making, loading or closing cartridges for rifled arms.	"	...	10 0
	(10) Machines for capping cartridges for rifled arms.	"	...	2 8
	Proviso 1.—No duty in excess of 20 per cent. *ad valorem* shall be levied upon any of the articles specified in items Nos. 1 to 10 of this entry when they are imported in reasonable quantity, for his own private use, by any person lawfully entitled to possess the same.			

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES—*contd.*			
	Proviso 2.—When any articles which have been otherwise imported, and upon which duty has been levied or is leviable under items Nos. 1 to 10, are purchased retail from the importer by a person lawfully entitled as aforesaid, in reasonable quantity for his own private use, the importer may apply to the Collector of Customs for refund or remission (as the case may be) of so much of the duty thereon as is in excess of 20 per cent. *ad valorem*; and if such Collector is satisfied as to the identity of the articles and that such importer is in other respects entitled to such refund or remission, he shall grant the same accordingly.			
53	GUNPOWDER for cannons, rifles, guns, pistols and sporting purposes.	...	*Ad valorem*	20 per cent.
54	Subject to the exemptions specified in No 55 all ARTICLES, other than those specified in entry No. 52, which are ARMS OR PARTS OF ARMS within the meaning of the Indian Arms Act, (excluding springs used for air-guns which are dutiable as hardware, under No. 68), all tools used for cleaning or putting together the same, all machines for making, loading, closing or capping cartridges for arms other than rifled arms and all other sorts of ammunition and military stores, and any articles which the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare to be "ammunition" or "military stores" for the purposes of this Act.	...	"	20 " "
55	The following classes of ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES:— (*a*) Articles falling under the 5th, 6th, 8th, 9th or 10th item of No. 52 when they appertain to a firearm falling under the 1st or 3rd item and are fitted into the same case with such firearm; (*b*) Arms forming part of the regular equipment of an officer entitled to wear diplomatic, military, naval or police uniform; (*c*) A sword, a revolver, or a pair of pistols, when accompanying an officer of His Majesty's regular forces, or a commissioned officer of a volunteer corps, or certified by the commandant of the corps to which such officer belongs, or, in the case of an officer not attached to any corps, by the officer commanding the station or district in which such officer is serving, to be imported by the officer for the purpose of his equipment; (*d*) Swords and revolvers which are certified by an Inspector General of Police to be part of the ordinary equipment of members of the Police force under his charge; (*e*) Swords forming part of the equipment of Indian commissioned officers of His Majesty's army; (*f*) Swords for presentation as army or volunteer prizes; (*g*) Arms, ammunition, and military stores imported with the sanction of the Government of India for the use of any portion of the military forces of a Native State in India which may be maintained and organized for Imperial Service; (*h*) Morris tubes and patent ammunition imported by officers commanding British and Indian regiments or volunteer corps for the instruction of their men.	...	...	Free.

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		R A.	
	ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES—*concld.*			
56	EXPLOSIVES, namely, blasting gunpowder, blasting gelatine, blasting dynamite, blasting robunite, blasting tonite, and all other sorts, including detonators and blasting fuse.	.	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	CARRIAGES AND CARTS.			
57	CARRIAGES AND CARTS including motor-cars, motor-cycles and motor-wagons, bicycles, tricycles, jinrikshas, bath chairs, perambulators, trucks, wheel-barrows, and all other sorts of conveyances and component parts thereof.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES.			
58	ANTI-PLAGUE SERUM	...	...	Free.
59	COPPERAS, green	..	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
				R A.
60	OPIUM and its alkaloids	Seer of 80 tolas.	...	24 0
61	QUININE and other alkaloids of cinchona	..	..	Free
62	CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES, all sorts not otherwise specified—			
	Acid, sulphuric	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Alkali, Indian (sajji-khar)	cwt	5 0	7½ „
	Alum	„	10 8	7½ „
	Arsenic (China mansil)	„	19 0	7½ „
	„ other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	Sal ammoniac	.	„	7½ „
	Soda ash	cwt.	5 0	7½ „
	Soda Bicarbonate	„	6 0	7½ „
	Sulphate of copper	„	38 0	7½ „
	Sulphur (brimstone), flour	„	7 8	7½ „
	„ „ roll	„	7 8	7½ „
	„ „ rough	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	All other sorts of chemical products and preparations not otherwise specified.	...	„	7½ „
	Aloes, black	...	„	7½ „
	„ Socotra	...	„	7½ „
	Aloe-wood	...	„	7½ „
	Asafœtida (hing)	cwt.	135 0	7½ „
	„ coarse (hingra)	„	35 0	7½ „
	Atáry, Persian	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	Bánslochan (bamboo camphor)	lb.	0 9	7½ „
	Brimstone (amalsára)	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	Calumba root	cwt	8 0	7½ „
	Camphor, refined, other than powder	lb	1 6	7½ „
	„ in powder	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	Cassia lignea	cwt.	20 0	7½ „
	China root (chobchini), rough	„	11 0	7½ „
	„ „ „ scraped	„	18 0	7½ „
	Cocaine	..	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	Cubebs	cwt	90 0	7½ „
	Galangal, China	„	12 0	7½ „
	Pellitory (akalkara)	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	Peppermint, crystals	..	„	7½ „
	Salep	cwt.	180 0	7½ „
	Senna leaves	....	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	Storax, liquid (rose mellos or salaras)	cwt.	80 0	7½ „
	All other sorts of drugs, medicines, and narcotics	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	CUTLERY, HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS AND INSTRUMENTS.			
63	The following AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power, namely, winnowers, threshers, mowing and reaping machines, elevators, seed-crushers, chaff-cutters, root-cutters, horse and bullock gears, ploughs, cultivators, scarifiers, harrows, clod-crushers, seed-drills, hay-tedders, and rakes	...	...	Free

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	CUTLERY, HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS AND INSTRUMENTS—*contd.*			
64	CLOCKS AND WATCHES, and parts thereof . . .	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
65	CUTLERY	.	,,	7½ ,, ,,
66	The following DAIRY APPLIANCES, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power, namely, cream separators, milk sterilizing or pasteurizing plant, milk aerating and cooling apparatus, churns, butter dryers, and butter workers.	...	...	Free.
67	ELECTROPLATED WARE	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
68	HARDWARE, IRONMONGERY AND TOOLS, all sorts, not otherwise specified.	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
69	INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS, AND APPLIANCES, imported by a passenger as part of his personal baggage and in actual use by him in the exercise of his profession or calling.	...	...	Free.
70	TELEGRAPHIC INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS, and parts thereof, imported by or under the orders of a railway company.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
71	WATER-LIFTS, SUGAR-MILLS, OIL-PRESSES, and parts thereof, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power.	...	...	Free.
72	All other sorts of IMPLEMENTS, INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES, and parts thereof, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	DYES AND COLOURS.		R A.	
73	DYEING AND TANNING SUBSTANCES, all sorts, and PAINTS AND COLOURS and painters' materials, all sorts—			
	Alizarine dye, dry, 40 per cent.	lb.	20 0	7½ per cent.
	,, ,, ,, 50 ,, ...	,,	22 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, ,, 60 ,, ...	,,	24 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, ,, 70 ,, ...	,,	26 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, ,, 80 ,, ...	,,	28 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, ,, 100 ,, ...	,,	30 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, moist, 10 ,, ...	,,	3 8	7½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, ,, 16 ,, ...	,,	5 8	7½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, ,, 20 ,, ...	,,	7 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Aniline ,, moist	,,	3 8	7½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, dry	,,	7 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, salts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,, ,,
	Avar bark	cwt.	8 12	7½ ,, ,,
	Buzgand (gulpista)	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,, ,,
	Cochineal	lb.	1 10	7½ ,, ,,
	Gallnuts (myrabolams)	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,, ,,
	,, Persian	cwt.	100 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Madder or manjit	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,, ,,
	Orchilla weed	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	Sappan wood and root	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	Turmeric	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	All other sorts of dyeing and tanning materials .	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	Lead, red, dry	cwt.	34 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, white, dry	,,	35 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Ochre, other than European, all colours . .	,,	2 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Paints, composition	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,, ,,
	,, patent driers	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	Turpentine	Imperial gallon.	3 8	7½ ,, ,,
	Verdigris	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,, ,,
	Vermilion, Canton	box of 90 bundles.	325 0	7½ ,, ,,

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	II.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	DYES AND COLOURS—*contd.*			
	Zinc, white, dry	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	All other sorts of paints, colours and painters' materials not otherwise specified, including glue and putty.	...	„	7½ „ „
	FURNITURE, CABINETWARE AND MANUFACTURES OF WOOD.			
74	FURNITURE, CABINETWARE, and all manufactures of wood not otherwises specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	GLASSWARE AND EARTHENWARE.			
75	GLASS AND GLASSWARE, all sorts, Chinese and Japanese ware, lacquered ware, earthenware, China and porcelain.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	HIDES, SKINS AND LEATHER.			
76	HIDES AND SKINS not otherwise specified, LEATHER AND LEATHER MANUFACTURES, all sorts, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	MACHINERY.			
77	MACHINERY, namely, prime-movers and component parts thereof, including boilers and component parts thereof; also including locomotive and portable engines, steam-rollers, fire-engines, and other machines in which the prime-mover is not separable from the operative parts.			
	MACHINERY (and component parts thereof), meaning machines or sets of machines to be worked by electric, steam, water, fire or other power not being manual or animal labour or which, before being brought into use, require to be fixed with reference to other moving parts; and including belting of all materials for driving machinery. Provided that the term does not include tools and implements to be worked by manual or animal labour, and provided also that only such articles shall be admitted as component parts of machinery as are indispensable for the working of the machinery and are, owing to their shape or to other special quality, not adapted for any other purpose. *Note.*—This entry includes machinery and component parts thereof made of substances other than metal, but excludes the articles exempted under Nos. 78, 79 and 80.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
78	MACHINERY AND COMPONENT parts thereof as defined in No. 77 imported by the owner of a cotton spinning or weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use in a cotton spinning or weaving mill.	...	...	Free.
79	The following ARTICLES USED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF COTTON, namely, bobbins (warping), forks for looms, healds, heald cords, heald knitting needles, laces, lugs and needles for dobbies, pickers (buffalo and others), picking bands, picking levers, picking sticks (over and under), reed pliers, reeds, shuttles (for power looms), springs for looms, strappings, and weft forks.	...	...	Free.
80	DRAWING-IN-FRAMES imported by the owner of a cotton weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use in the weaving of cotton.	...	...	Free.

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No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		R. A.	
	MACHINERY—*contd.*			
81	MACHINERY and component parts thereof, meaning machines or parts of machines to be worked by manual or animal labour.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	METALS, IRON AND STEEL.			
82	**IRON—**			
	ANGLE—			
	Angle, T, Lowmoor or Swedish and similar qualities.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
	„ other than Lowmoor or Swedish and similar qualities.	ton	250 0	2½ „ „
	„ other than Lowmoor or Swedish and similar qualities, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ „ „
	All other sorts	...	„	2½ „ „
	BAR, ROD AND CHANNEL, INCLUDING CHANNEL FOR CARRIAGES—			
	Bar, Lowmoor and similar qualities . . .	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ „ „
	„ Swedish and similar qualities . . .	ton	320 0	2½ „ „
	„ „ „ „ nail-rod, round-rod, and square under ½ inch in diameter.	„	320 0	2½ „ „
	„ Swedish and charcoal, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ „ „
	„ other kinds	ton	250 0	2½ „ „
	„ „ „ nail-rod, round-rod and square under ½ inch in diameter.	„	260 0	2½ „ „
	„ „ „ if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ „ „
	Channel, including channel for carriages .	...	„	3½ „ „
	All other sorts	...	„	2½ „ „
	PIG	...	„	2½ „ „
	RICE BOWLS	...	„	2½ „ „
83	**IRON OR STEEL—**			
	ANCHORS AND CABLES	..	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
	BEAMS, JOISTS, pillars, girders, screw-piles, bridge work and other such descriptions of iron or steel imported exclusively for building purposes; including also ridging, guttering and continuous roofing.	...	„	2½ „ „
	BOLTS and nuts, including hook bolts and nuts for roofing.	...	„	2½ „ „
	HOOPS AND STRIPS—			
	Hoops, Lowmoor or Swedish and similar qualities	...	„	2½ „ „
	„ other than Lowmoor or Swedish, if galvanised, tinned, or lead coated.	...	„	2½ „ „
	„ other kinds	ton	280 0	2½ „ „
	Strips, Lowmoor or Swedish and similar qualities	...	*Ad valorem*	3½ „ „
	„ if galvanised, tinned, lead coated, aluminium coated, chequered or planished.	...	„	2½ „ „
	„ other kinds	ton	250 0	2½ „ „
	NAILS, RIVETS AND WASHERS, ALL SORTS—			
	Iron nails, rose, wire and flat-headed	cwt.	20 0	2½ „ „
	„ „ other kinds, including galvanized, tinned or lead coated.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ „ „
	Steel „ all sorts	...	„	2½ „ „
	Rivets and Washers, iron or steel	...	„	2½ „ „
	PIPES AND TUBES, and fittings therefor, such as bends, boots, elbows, tees, sockets, flanges and the like.	...	„	2½ „ „
	RAILS, CHAIRS, sleepers, bearing and fish plates, spikes, (commonly known as dog spikes) switches, and crossings, other than those described in No. 94, also lever boxes, clips, and tie-bars.	...	„	2½ „ „

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No.	Names of Articles	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	METALS, IRON AND STEEL—*contd.*		R A	
	IRON OR STEEL—*contd.*			
	SHEETS AND PLATES, all sorts excluding discs and circles which are dutiable under No. 85			
	Sheets and plates, Lowmoor and similar qualities		*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
	" " Swedish and charcoal		"	2½ " "
	" " Swedish and charcoal, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated		"	2½ " "
	Plates, other kinds, above ⅛ inch thick	ton	300 0	2½ " "
	Sheets " " up to ⅛ " "	"	310 0	2½ " "
	Sheets (other than corrugated), and plates, other kinds, if galvanized, tinned, lead coated, aluminium coated, chequered or planished		*Ad valorem*	2½ " "
	Sheets, corrugated, galvanized or black	ton	300 0	2½ " "
	WIRE, including fencing wire and wire rope, but excluding wire-netting (which is dutiable under No 85).		*Ad valorem*	2½ " "
84	STEEL—			
	ANGLE—			
	Angle, T	ton	250 0	2½ " "
	" " if galvanized, tinned or lead coated		*Ad valorem*	2½ " "
	" " all other sorts		"	2½ " "
	BAR, ROD, AND CHANNEL including channel for carriages—			
	Bar (other than cast steel)	ton	250 0	2½ " "
	" Swedish and similar qualities		*Ad valorem*	2½ " "
	" nail-rod, round-rod, and square, other than Swedish or similar qualities under ½ inch in diameter	ton	260 0	2½ " "
	" galvanized, tinned, lead coated, planished or polished		*Ad valorem*	2½ " "
	" all other sorts		"	2½ " "
	Channel including channel for carriages		"	2½ " "
	CAST including spring, blistered and tub steel		"	2½ " "
	INGOTS, BLOOMS, BILLETS AND SLABS		"	2½ " "
85	All sorts of IRON AND STEEL and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specified—			
	Iron or steel cans or drums when imported containing petroleum, which is separately assessed to duty under No. 33, namely :—			
	Iron or steel cans, tinned, other than petrol tins of two gallons capacity	can	0 3½	7½ " "
	Iron or steel cans or drums, not tinned, of two gallons capacity	"	0 2	7½ " "
	Iron or steel drums of four gallons capacity—			
	(*a*) with faucet caps	drum	1 0	7½ " "
	(*b*) ordinary	"	0 8	7½ " "
	Iron or steel, all other sorts, including discs or circles and wire-netting		*Ad valorem*	7½ " "
	METALS, OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL			
86	CURRENT SILVER, NICKEL, BRONZE, AND COPPER COIN of the Government of India		...	Free.
87	GOLD BULLION AND COIN		...	Free
88	LEAD, sheets, for tea-chests		*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
89	SILVER, BULLION OR COIN, not otherwise specified (*See* Nos 86 and 130)	ounce	...	R A. 0 4
90	SILVER PLATE, SILVER THREAD and wire, and SILVER MANUFACTURES, all sorts		*Ad valorem*	15 per cent.
	Provided that where the silver contained in an article can be ascertained, or where an official or recognized certificate of assay, in such form as the Government of India may prescribe, is presented showing the amount of silver contained in an article, the Collector of Customs shall levy duty at the rate of 4 annas per ounce on the amount of silver so determined, and at the rate of 7½ per cent *ad valorem* on the difference between the value of such silver calculated at the market value of silver and the real value of the article.			

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	METALS, OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL—*contd.*			
			R A.	
91	ALL SORTS OF METALS OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL, and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specified—			
	Brass, orsidue and leaves, European	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	" " " China	...	"	7½ "
	" patent or yellow metal, sheets and sheathing, weighing 1 lb. or above per square foot, and braziers, and plates.	cwt.	85 0	7½ "
	" patent or yellow metal (old)	"	40 0	7½ "
	" sheets, flat or in foils, and sheathing, weighing less than 1 lb. per square foot.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ "
	" wire	...	"	7½ "
	" all other sorts	...	"	7½ "
	Copper, bolt and bar, rolled	...	"	7½ "
	" braziers, sheets, plates and sheathing	cwt.	84 0	7½ "
	" nails and composition nails	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ "
	" old	cwt.	60 0	7½ "
	" pigs, tiles, ingots, cakes, bricks, and slabs	"	80 0	7½ "
	" China, white, copperware	lb	2 4	7½ "
	" foil or dankpana, white 10 to 11 in. × 4 to 5 in.	hundred leaves.	5 8	7½ "
	" foil or dankpana, coloured, 10 to 11 in. × 4 to 5 in.	"	6 0	7½ "
	" wire, including phosphor-bronze	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ "
	" all other sorts, unmanufactured and manufactured, except current coin of the Government of India, which is free.	...	"	7½ "
	German silver	...	"	7½ "
	Gold leaf	...	"	7½ "
	Lametta	...	"	7½ "
	Lead, all sorts (except sheets for tea chests)	...	"	7½ "
	Quicksilver	lb.	3 4	7½ "
	Shot, bird	cwt.	34 0	7½ "
	Tin, block	"	140 0	7½ "
	" foil, and other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ "
	Zinc or spelter, nails	...	"	7½ "
	" " tiles or slabs, soft	cwt.	100 0	7½ "
	" " " " hard	"	75 0	7½ "
	" " all other sorts including boiler tiles	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ "
	All other sorts of metals, and manufactures thereof	...	"	7½ "
	PAPER, PASTEBOARD AND STATIONERY.			
92	TRADE CATALOGUES AND ADVERTISING CIRCULARS imported by packet, book, or parcel post.	...	...	Free.
93	PAPER AND ARTICLES MADE OF PAPER AND PAPIER MACHÉ, PASTEBOARD, MILLBOARD, AND CARDBOARD all sorts, and STATIONERY, including ruled or printed forms and account and manuscript books, labels, advertising circulars, sheet or card almanacs and calendars, Christmas, Easter and other cards, including cards in booklet form; including also wastepaper and old newspapers for packing; but excluding trade catalogues and advertising circulars imported by packet, book, or parcel post.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING STOCK.			
94	RAILWAY MATERIAL for permanent-way and rolling-stock, namely, cylinders, girders, and other material for bridges, rails, sleepers, bearing and fish-plates, fish-bolts, chairs, spikes, crossings, sleeper fastenings, switches, interlocking apparatus, brake gear, couplings and springs, signals, turn-tables, weigh-bridges, engines, tenders, carriages, wagons, traversers, trollies, trucks, and component parts thereof; also the following articles when imported by or under the orders of a railway company, namely, cranes, water cranes, water tanks and standards, wire and other materials for fencing.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING STOCK—*contd.*			
	Provided that for the purpose of this entry "railway" means a line of railway subject to the provisions of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, and includes a railway constructed in a Native State under the suzerainty of His Majesty and also such tramways as the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, specifically include therein.			
	Provided also that only such articles shall be admitted as component parts of railway material as are indispensable for the working of railways and are, owing to their shape or to other special quality, not adapted for any other purpose.			
	YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS.			
95	COTTON TWIST AND YARN, and COTTON SEWING OR DARNING THREAD.	...	...	Free.
96	COTTON piece-goods, hosiery, thread other than sewing or darning thread, and all other manufactured cotton goods not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	3½ per cent.
97	SECOND-HAND OR USED GUNNY BAGS made of jute	...	...	Free.
98	YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS, that is to say:—			
	Flax twist and yarn and manufactures of flax	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Haberdashery and Millinery	...	"	7½ "
	Hemp manufactures	...	"	7½ "
	Hosiery, excluding cotton hosiery (*see* No. 96)	...	"	7½ "
	Jute twist and yarn and jute manufactures, excluding second-hand or used gunny bags (*see* No. 97).	...	"	7½ "
	Silk yarn, noils, and warps, silk thread, silk piece-goods and other manufactures of silk.	...	"	7½ "
	Woollen yarn, knitting wool and other manufactures of wool including felt.	...	"	7½ "
	All other sorts of yarns and textile fabrics, not otherwise specified.	...	"	7½ "
	MISCELLANEOUS.			
99	ART, the following works of :—(1) statuary and pictures intended to be put up for the public benefit in a public place, and (2) memorials of a public character intended to be put up in a public place, including the materials used, or to be used in their construction, whether worked or not.	...	...	Free.
100	ART, works of, excluding those specified in No. 99	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
101	BOOKS, printed, including covers for printed books, maps, charts, and plans, proofs, music and manuscripts.	...	...	Free.
102	BRUSHES AND BROOMS	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
103	BUILDING AND ENGINEERING MATERIALS, including asphalt, bricks, cement, chalk and lime, clay, pipes of earthenware, tiles and all other sorts of building and engineering materials not otherwise specified.	...	"	7½ "
104	CANDLES	...	"	7½ "
105	CORDAGE AND ROPE AND TWINE OF VEGETABLE FIBRE	...	"	7½ "
106	FIREWORKS	...	"	7½ "
107	FURNITURE, TACKLE AND APPAREL, not otherwise described, for steam, railway, rowing and other vessels.	...	"	7½ "
108	IVORY, manufactured	...	"	7½ "

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	MISCELLANEOUS—*contd.*		R A	
109	JEWELLERY AND JEWELS, including gold plate and other manufactures of gold, but excluding silver plate and other manufactures of silver (*see* No. 90).	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
110	MATCHES	...	"	7½ "
111	MATS AND MATTING	...	"	7½ "
112	OILCAKES	...	"	7½ "
113	OILCLOTH AND FLOOR CLOTH	...	"	7½ "
114	PACKING—ENGINE AND BOILER—all sorts, excluding packing forming a component part of any article included in No. 77 and No. 94.	...	"	7½ "
115	PERFUMERY, excluding perfumed spirits (*see* No. 10)—			
	Gowla husked and unhusked	cwt.	150 0	7½ "
	Kapurkachri (zedoary)	"	20 0	7½ "
	Patch leaves (patchouli)	"	15 0	7½ "
	Rose-flowers, dried	"	18 0	7½ "
	Rose-water	Imperial gallon.	2 8	7½ "
116	PITCH, TAR AND DAMMER	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ "
117	POLISHES AND COMPOSITIONS	...	"	7½ "
118	PRINTING AND LITHOGRAPHING MATERIAL, namely, presses, type, ink, brass rules, composing sticks, chases, imposing tables, and lithographic stones, stereo-blocks, roller moulds, roller frames and stocks, roller composition, standing screw and hot presses, perforating machines, gold blocking presses, stereotyping apparatus, metal furniture, paper folding machines, and paging and numbering machines, but excluding paper (*see* No. 93).	...	"	2½ "
119	PRINTS, ENGRAVINGS AND PICTURES, including photographs and picture-cards.	...	"	7½ "
120	RACKS for the withering of tea leaf	...	"	2½ "
121	RUBBER tyres for motors and motor cycles, and rubber tubes for tyres, and other manufactures of rubber, not otherwise specified.	...	"	7½ "
122	SHIPS AND OTHER VESSELS for inland and harbour navigation, including steamers, launches, boats and barges, imported entire or in sections.	...	"	2½ "
123	SMOKERS' REQUISITES, excluding tobacco (*see* Nos. 25 to 27.)	...	"	7½ "
124	SOAP	...	"	7½ "
125	STARCH AND FARINA	...	"	7½ "
126	STONE AND MARBLE, and articles made of stone and marble.	...	"	7½ "
127	TEA-CHESTS of metal or wood whether imported entire or in sections, provided that the Collector of Customs is satisfied that they are imported for the purpose of the packing of tea for transport in bulk.	...	"	2½ "
128	TOILET REQUISITES, not otherwise specified	...	"	7½ "
129	TOYS, playing cards and requisites for games and sports.	...	"	7½ "
130	UMBRELLAS, including parasols and sunshades, and fittings therefor.	...	"	7½ "

SCHEDULE.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*concld.*		R A.	
	MISCELLANEOUS—*concld.*			
181	The following ARTICLES, when imported by the owner of a cotton weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be INTENDED FOR USE IN THE WEAVING OF COTTON or the baling of woven cotton goods :—			
	Aniline blue, Bisulphate of soda, China clay, Chloride of magnesium, Chloride of zinc, Dressalin, Epsom salts, Farina, Farinina, Flannel taping, Glauber salts, Glutina, Glycerine substitutes, Heald varnish, Hoop iron, Hoop steel, Rivets for bales, Sewing needles, Sizing paste, Sizing wax, Soda ash, Starch, Velvet pulp.	...	...	Free.
182	ALL OTHER ARTICLES wholly or mainly manufactured, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	IV.—Miscellaneous and unclassified—			
183	ANIMALS, living, all sorts	...	...	Free.
184	CORAL	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
185	FODDER, bran and pollards	...	"	7½ "
186	SPECIMENS illustrative of natural science, including also antique coins and medals.	...	...	Free.
187	ALL OTHER ARTICLES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, including articles imported by post.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.

GENERAL.

The 16th December 1916.

No. 284-G. D.—Mr. E. P. Jones, B.A., Registrar, in this Department has been granted privilege leave for one month and 3 days with effect from the 20th November 1916, and the following arrangements have been made in his place :—

Rai Bahadur A. K. Sirkar, B. A., Secretariat Superintendent, 1st grade (on privilege leave up to the 24th November 1916) to officiate as Registrar;

Rai Sahib B. B. Banerjee, B. A., Secretariat Superintendent, 1st grade, to officiate as Registrar from 20th November 1916 to 24th November 1916 *vice* Rai Bahadur A. K. Sirkar on privilege leave (*vide* Notification No. 9237, dated the 30th September 1916);

Khan Sahib Chowdhury Fateh Din, sub. *pro tem.* Secretariat Superintendent, 2nd grade, to officiate as Secretariat Superintendent, 1st grade, from 20th November 1916 to 24th November 1916;

Mr. S. N. Banerji, B.A., Secretariat Superintendent, 2nd grade, to officiate as Secretariat Superintendent, 1st grade, from 25th November 1916 (in continuation of his officiating appointment *vice* Rai Bahadur A. K. Sirkar);

Mr. D. O'Sullivan, Secretariat Superintendent, 3rd grade, to officiate as Secretariat Superintendent, 2nd grade, with effect from 25th November 1916 (in continuation of the officiating appointment *vice* Rai Bahadur A. K. Sirkar);

Mr J. F. Reid, Secretariat Assistant, 2nd grade, to officiate as Secretariat Superintendent, 3rd grade, from 20th November 1916 to 24th November 1916;

Mr. P. Wood-Collins, sub. *pro. tem.* Secretariat Assistant, 1st grade, to officiate as Secretariat Superintendent, 3rd grade, from 25th November 1916 (in continuation of his officiating appointment *vice* Rai Bahadur A. K. Sirkar).

POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 16th December 1916.

No. 12387-P. & T.—Mr. A. J. Hughes, Superintendent of post offices, 1st grade, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Bombay, with effect from the 23rd November 1916, and until further orders.

TELEGRAPHS.

The 16th December 1916.

No. 12432-P. & T.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6975-137 (Telegraphs), dated the 16th September 1909, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In rule 8 for the words " when several telegrams are handed in together by the same person at an office which is closed, a single fee only will be payable in respect to that office " the following words shall be substituted, namely :—

" When the same sender presents, or causes to be presented, several telegrams together for despatch at an office which is closed, a single fee only is payable in respect of that office, and in addition a single fee is payable for each closed office of destination."

In the same rule for the words " If a telegraphist is called up to send a telegram " the words " If a telegram is accepted " shall be substituted.

CORRIGENDUM.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 16th December 1916.

No. 12408-C.—In the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 181-D., dated the 8th December 1916, *for* " 20th January 1916 ", *read* " 20th January 1917 ".

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

PUBLIC DEBT.

Simla, the 13th December 1916.

No. 880-A.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 7, sub-section (1), of the Indian Securities Act, 1886 (XIII of 1886), the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the sub-section shall apply to the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 13th December 1916.

No. 1365-F. E.—Mr. R. Sundarachari has been posted to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal Railway, with effect from the 2nd December 1916.

No. 1366-F. E.—The privilege leave for one month granted to Mr. R. Srinivasa Ayyar, Deputy Accountant General, Madras, in Notification No. 1242-F. E., dated the 9th November 1916, published on page 1694 of Part I of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 11th November 1916, has been extended by two days.

The 14th December 1916.

No. 1373-F.E.—Mr. F. D. Buxy, a temporary officer in class III of the General List of the Indian Finance Department, has been confirmed in the General List with effect from the 15th October 1916.

H. F. HOWARD,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 15th December 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

No. 1492.—In Army Department Notification No. 1182, dated 6th October 1916, unde the heading "Senior Civil Sub-Assistant Surgeons," *for* "Vashnoo Ram" *read* "Vaishno Ram"

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 1493.—In Army Department Notification No. 1241, dated 19th October 1916, publishing a list of officers, non-commissioned officers and men brought to notice by Lieutenant General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., in connection with the operations of Indian Expeditionary Force "D" from the 19th January to the 30th April 1916, the following amendments are made :—

Under 1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

For "3185 Henly H. T., Q.M.S.", *read* "3158 Henley H. T., Q.M.S."

For "1856 Ramayan Singh, Hav." *read* "185 Ramayan Singh, Hav."

Under 121st Pioneers.

For "Tugwell, W. B. F., Captain (attached 107th Pioneers)" *read* "Tugwell, W. B. P., Captain (attached 107th Pioneers)."

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1494.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Cyril Danby Hearn Collinson. Dated 9th December 1916.

John Edward's Wood Rideout. Dated 12th December 1916.

Infantry Branch.

Clement Fitzpatrick. Dated 20th October 1916.

William Thomas Hughes. Dated 27th October 1916 (but to rank from the 28th October 1915).

Daniel Frederick Bartlett. Dated 27th October 1916.

William Robert Erskine. Dated 1st November 1916.

Frank Burnett Blackie. Dated 11th December 1916.

No. 1495.—Army Department Notification No. 1177, dated the 26th November 1915, so far as it relates to the appointment of Kenneth Eustace Lee Pennell as a Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is cancelled.

No. 1496.—In Army Department Notification No. 1064, dated the 15th September 1916, regarding the grant of the temporary rank of Lieutenant to 2nd Lieutenant M. S. Gregory *for* "8th September 1916" *read* "10th May 1916."

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1497.—The following extract is published for general information:—

Supplement dated the 4th November 1916 to the London Gazette of the 3rd November 1916, page 10721.

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War Office,
4th November 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

MACHINE GUN CORPS (INFANTRY).

The undermentioned to be temporary Majors:—

* * * *

Captain G. Sartorius (Indian Army). 14th July 1916 to 25th September 1916, inclusive.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 1498.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

225th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery.

Second Lieutenant R. W. Y. Matthews, Royal Field Artillery, to be temporary Lieutenant, *vice* Captain E. F. H. King, Royal Field Artillery, promoted. Dated 9th October 1916.

No. 1499.—The following promotions have been approved, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

217th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery.

Captain C. D. Nantes to be temporary Major, *vice* Major the Earl of Suffolk, proceeded on field service. Dated 14th October 1916.

Lieutenant B. C. Blake to be temporary Captain, *vice* Captain T. H. Robinson, proceeded on field service. Dated 16th October 1916.

Second Lieutenant R. F. Woodhouse to be temporary Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant A. G. E. Sanctuary, proceeded on field service. Dated 16th October 1916.

Lieutenant A. B. C. Duke to be temporary Captain, *vice* Captain D. V. Frazer, appointed Adjutant. Dated 13th October 1916.

221st Brigade, Royal Field Artillery.

Lieutenant G. Hepworth to be temporary Captain, *vice* Captain L. C. Stevens, proceeded on field service. Dated 16th September 1916.

Second Lieutenant C. J. S. Jewell to be temporary Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant E. H. Muir-Smith, proceeded on field service. Dated 1 th September 1916.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1500.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

18th February 1916.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Sisley Richard Davidson, Commandant, 47th Sikhs.

(*Army Department Notification No. 418, dated the 21st April 1916, is cancelled.*)

Lieutenants to be Captains.

11th December 1916.

Frank Hailstone Malyon, 21st Punjabis.

Philip Conder, 19th Punjabis.

Henry Fyshe-Palmer Hornsby, 5th Cavalry.
Bertram Lowther Jones, 117th Mahrattas.
Herbert Edward Hosking, 66th Punjabis.
James Augustus Warwick Foottit, 17th Cavalry.
Edward Jerome Semini, 79th Carnatic Infantry.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

16th December 1916.

Charles Reginald Glyn, attached 110th Mahratta Light Infantry.
Gordon West Hodgen, attached 123rd Outram's Rifles.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1501.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

Vivian Douglas Cove. Dated 2nd December 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1502.—The following promotions are made :—

39th King George's Own Central India Horse.

Kot-Dafadar Anokh Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th May 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.

Havildar Maung Po Thaw to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd September 1916; to complete the establishment.

3rd Sappers and Miners.

Jemadar Dhondibarao Barge to be Subadar, with effect from the 26th May 1916, Jemadar Gujar Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Farzand Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.

Havildar Gopal Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1916; to complete the establishment.

13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).

Subadar Ratan Singh to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 31st May 1916; *vice* Agar Singh, transferred to the pension establishment.

Jemadar Naurang Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 13th March 1916; *vice* Parbhudan Singh, *Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment.

Jemadar Dal Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 18th May 1916; *vice* Nihala Singh (4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs) deceased.

Jemadar Bhagwat Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 31st May 1916; to complete the establishment.

Jemadar Bhur Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 31st May 1916; *vice* Khet Singh transferred to the pension establishment.

Colour-Havildar Rukam Singh to be Jemadar with effect from the 13th March 1916, Colour-Havildar Sheoji Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th May 1916 and Havildar Maman Singh and Naik Hukam Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 31st May 1916; to complete the establishment.

23rd Sikh Pioneers.

Jemadar Bhola Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Chanda Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

26th Punjabis.

Havildar Godar Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 2nd November 1916; to complete the establishment.

28th Punjabis.

Subadar Allah Bakhsh to be Subadar-Major and Jemadar Thakar Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 10th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

30th Punjabis.

Jemadar Chhajja Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 19th August 1916; *vice* Indar Singh, transferred to the pension establishment.

Havildar Bahar Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1916, and Havildar Gurdit Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

41st Dogras.

Havildar Nain Singh (Burma Military Police) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1916; to complete the establishment.

45th Rattray's Sikhs.

Havildar Ishar Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 5th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Havildars Badhawa Singh, Nandu and Shera Din to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st October 1916; to complete the establishment.

72nd Punjabis.

Colour-Havildar Imam Shah to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1916; to complete the establishment.

83rd Wallajabad Light Infantry.

Havildar Saidal Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th June 1916; to complete the establishment.

90th Punjabis.

Havildar Santa Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th June 1916, *vice* Arjun Singh, transferred to the pension establishment.

Havildar Major Khiwan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 6th April 1916, Havildar Bishan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 4th July 1916, and Havildars Bagh Singh and Sunder Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 12th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

97th Deccan Infantry.

Havildar Ghulam Jilani Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd October 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 123rd Outram's Rifles.

Colour-Havildar Goru Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st December 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

Subadar Tota Singh to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 1st July 1916; *vice* Karmdad Khan, *Khan Bahadur, Sardar Bahadur,* transferred to the pension establishment.

Jemadar Muhammad Roshan to be Subadar, with effect from the 11th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Colour-Havildar Budhiman Ghale to be Jemadar, with effect from the 2nd November 1916; to complete the establishment.

25th (Railway) Company, Sappers and Miners.

No. 1503.—The following appointment, with the rank of Jemadar, is made in the reserve of the 25th (Railway) Company, Sappers and Miners, to fill an existing vacancy, with effect from the date specified :—

Har Bhagwan Das,—1st July 1913.

76th Punjabis.

No. 1504.—The promotion of Havildar Nandu, referred to in Army Department Notification No. 1259, dated the 20th October 1916, should be to the rank of subadar and not jemadar as stated therein.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

No. 1505.—The following appointments are made in the Supply and Transport Corps Reserve:—

To be Ressaidars.

Hardas Singh, of the Amritsar District.
Lakhi Singh, of the Hissar District.
Sheo Ram, of the Hissar District.
Munshi Ram, of the Hissar District.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1506.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, temporary Lieutenant J. M. Das Gupta is permitted to resign the service, with effect from 2nd December 1916.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1507.—Major James Henry Casserly, Indian Army, Temporary Half-Pay List, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 11th October 1916.

No. 1508.—Major Harry Ernest Browne, 47th Sikhs, has been transferred by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to the Temporary Half-Pay List, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 27th October 1916.

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 1509.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotion in, and admission to, the Order of British India for distinguished conduct in the field:—

For promotion to the 1st Class of the Order.

Subadar Habibullah Khan, *Bahadur*, 1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

For admission to the 2nd Class of the Order.

Risaldar Major Thakur Mul Singh, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.
Subadar Major Alladitta Khan, 109th Infantry.

The above appointments will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment.

Indian Order of Merit.

No. 1510.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admission to the Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit:—

For admission to the 2nd Class of the Order.

Risaldar Zaman Khan, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry, for conspicuous gallantry in the field. This Indian officer recovered the body of a wounded non-commissioned officer under a heavy fire at about 20 yards' range. Throughout the campaign he has shown great coolness and courage under fire on several occasions and has set a splendid example to his men.

Indian Distinguished Service Medal.

No. 1511.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned for gallantry in the field :—

No. 1228 Dafadar Aidan Singh, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.

No. 1226 Lance Dafadar Ramnath Singh, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.

No. 1009 Lance Dafadar Fateh Khan, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.

No. 565 Colour Havildar Jiwa Singh, 1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

No. 2867 Sepoy Dost Muhammad, 109th Infantry.

Indian Order of Merit.

No. 1512.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admissions to the Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit :—

For admission to the 2nd Class of the Order.

No. 2591 Sepoy Pandurang Padav, 108th Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry in volunteering to carry a message back from the firing line to the supports a distance of 150 yards, over quite open ground which was swept by a very hot fire from the enemy who were at very close range and behind walls. He was killed in the attempt.

His widow (if any) is admitted to the pension of the Order with effect from the date of his death.

No. 606 Sepoy Inayat Ali Shah,
No. 573 Sepoy Abdul Karim,
} 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry. In the absence of any non-commissioned officers they advanced of their own accord from the supports to the firing line over a distance of 150 yards under a very hot and close fire from the enemy, thereby setting an example to the rest of the supports.

No. 1513.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admission to the Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit :—

For admission to the 2nd class of the Order.

Jemadar Gul Rakhim, Northern Waziristan Militia, for conspicuous gallantry in an encounter with a gang of raiders on the 24th August 1916. This Indian officer was entirely responsible for the success of the operations which led to the rounding up of the gang.

Jemadar Gul Rakhim was himself wounded at a range of 70 yards from the raiders' sangars but continued to conduct the operations under a hot fire with coolness and skill until final success was achieved.

Indian Distinguished Service Medal.

No. 1514.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned for distinguished service in an encounter with a gang of raiders on the 24th August 1916 :—

No. 167 Havildar Malang Khan, Northern Waziristan Militia.

No. 1515.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned for gallantry :—

Jemadar Tik Khan, Southern Waziristan Militia.

Jemadar Zari Gul, Southern Waziristan Militia.

Jemadar Taus Khan, Khyber Rifles.

No. 1888 Havildar Shamal, Khyber Rifles.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps.

No. 1516.—Second-Lieutenant William Thomas Hamlyn to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 15th October 1916.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 1517.—Alexander O'Brien Webb to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 31st October 1916.

Southern Provinces Mounted Rifles.

No. 1518.—Herbert Neill Colquhoun Campbell to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st November 1916.

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1519.—Samuel Telford Dutton to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st April 1916.

Joshua Henry Fullwood to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st April 1916.

Ian William Knighton Smith to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 22nd April 1916.

William Stuart Rashleigh to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 11th May 1916.

George Ward Marshall to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 11th May 1916.

Frederick Spencer Pearce, to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* R. S. R. Scrivener, promoted. Dated the 10th June 1916.

Rangoon Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1520.—Major James Algernon Stevens to be Lieutenant Colonel, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 26th September 1916.

Captain John Emeris Houldey to be Major, *vice* J. A. Stevens, promoted. Dated the 26th September 1916.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

No. 1521.—The Hon'ble Mr. Henry Venn Cobb, C.S.I., C.I.E., Resident in Mysore and Chief Commissioner, Coorg, to be Honorary Colonel of the Corps.

2nd Battalion, The Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Rifles.

No. 1522.—Major George Herbert Lyle to be Commandant with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, *vice* A. J. Hogg, V.D., resigned. Dated the 1st September 1916.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 1523.—His Excellency the Governor General of India is pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officers :—

Bihar Light Horse.

2nd Lieutenant William Louis Lindsay Reed.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

Major Robert Gollan.

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Major William Jameson Tomes.

1st Battalion, North Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Captain Ernest Bruce Beatson.

2nd Battalion, North Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Honorary Lieutenant and Quartermaster Patrick Ryan.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Captain (Honorary Major) Alfred Ernest Bice.

1st Battalion, Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Rifles.

Honorary Lieutenant and Quartermaster Edward John Smaller.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 15th December 1916.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against his property are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	
Captain G. G. Oliver .	Indian Army .	21st January 1916.	Intestate .	905 4 4	Administrator General, Bombay.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 15th December 1916.

No. 55.—In Marine Department Notification No. 50, dated the 24th November 1916, penultimate line, *for* "Capt. N. J. F. Wilson" *read* "Capt. N. F. J. Wilson."

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 56.—Captain N. F. J. Wilson, R.I.M., Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine, is appointed to officiate as Director, Royal Indian Marine, *vice* Captain Walter Lumsden, C.V.O., C.I.E., R.N., A.D.C., on deputation, with effect from the 21st November 1916.

No. 57.—Commander C. W. Ramsay, R.I.M., Superintendent, Bombay Dockyard, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine, in addition to his own duties, *vice* Captain N. F. J. Wilson, R.I.M., with effect from the 21st November 1916.

RESIGNATION.

No. 58.—Temporary Lieutenant H. D. Lindquist, R.I.M., is permitted to resign his appointment in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 28th June 1916.

REMOVALS.

No. 59.—Temporary Lieutenant J. T. Green, R.I.M., is dismissed the service by sentence of an Indian Marine Court, with effect from the 24th June 1916.

No. 60.—The services of the undermentioned temporary Royal Indian Marine officers are dispensed with, with effect from the dates specified:—

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant S. McMurtry,	R.I.M.,	dated	27th March	1916.
" " B. J. Pinkham,	"	"	7th April	1916.
Temporary Engineer J. H. Brown,	"	"	5th February	1916.
" Lieutenant C. Stancliffe,	"	"	13th October	1916.
" " J. Edwards,	"	"	13th "	1916.
" " H. M. Rogers,	"	"	15th "	1916.
" " G. Bergwitz,	"	"	25th "	1916.
" " H. T. Davies,	"	"	30th "	1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 9th December 1916.

No. 1999 E.-16.—Mr. H. W. Huggins, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, North-Western Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Locomotive Superintendent in class II of that Establishment with effect from the 23rd November 1916 and during the absence of Mr. W. O. Chalk, District Locomotive Superintendent, on privilege leave.

No. 252 R.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 252 R., dated the 9th December 1916, the following permanent promotions are ordered:—

Name.	From	To
Lala Balak Nath	Superintendent, 3rd grade .	Superintendent, 2nd grade.
Mr. W. S. Wood	Officiating Superintendent. 3rd grade.	Superintendent, 3rd grade.

No. 252 R.-16.—Mr. T. B. Heysham, Superintendent, grade II, Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is permitted to retire from the service of Government, with effect from the 5th November 1916.

The 11th December 1916.

No. 192-P.-16.—In continuation of Notification No. 285, dated the 14th October 1915, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Railway Board have sanctioned the following surveys on the metre gauge being carried out by the agency of the Assam-Bengal Railway Company:—

(1) Preliminary survey from Chattak to Ishamati, a distance of about 10 miles.

(2) Preliminary survey for an extension northward from Ishamati to the foot of the hills below the Mawlong Plateau, a distance of about 3 miles.

(3) Preliminary survey for a connection eastward from Ishamati to Therria roughly 6 miles.

No. 819-E-16.—The following permanent promotions in classes II and III of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Traffic Department, are ordered :—

Names.	From	To	With effect from
Green, J. D.	Class II, grade 4	Class II, grade 3	27th November 1916.
Baxter, R. H. N.	Class II, grade 5 (Supernumerary).	Class II, grade 4 (Supernumerary).	22nd November 1916.
Carpenter, H. G.	Class III, grade 3	Class III, grade 2	3rd October 1916.
Jones, R. P.	Class III, grade 3	Class III, grade 2	24th October 1916.
Cruttwell, R. Q.	Class III, grade 3	Class III, grade 2	3rd November 1916.
Sims, E. A.	Class III, grade 3	Class III, grade 2	3rd November 1916.
Rokeby, E. A.	Class III, grade 4	Class III, grade 3	6th October 1916.

No. 1634-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 1324 3-E.-16, dated the 20th September 1916, Mr. H. G. N. White, on return from Military duty, is posted temporarily to the North-Western Railway, as officiating Deputy Locomotive Superintendent in class I of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 21st September 1916.

Mr. White will hold temporary rank in class I, with effect from the 5th November 1916.

No. 1634 2-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notifications No. 1634-E.-16, dated the 11th December 1916, and No. 1324 2-E.-16, dated the 20th September 1916, Mr. K. M. Kirkhope, officiating Deputy Locomotive Superintendent, in class I, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, reverted to his substantive rank of District Locomotive Superintendent, in class II, grade 1, of that Establishment (on special duty) with effect from the 23rd October 1916.

No. 1634 3-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notifications No. 1634, 2-E.-16, dated the 11th December 1916, and No. 1324-E.-16, dated 20th September 1916, Mr. A. H. Joscelyne, officiating Deputy Locomotive Superintendent, North-Western Railway, in class I of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, reverted to his substantive rank of District Locomotive Superintendent, in class II, grade 2, of that Establishment, with effect from the 23rd October 1916.

No. 1634 4-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1705 2-E.-16, dated the 22nd September 1916, Mr. H. W. Huggins, officiating District Locomotive Superintendent, North-Western Railway, in class II of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, reverted to his substantive rank of Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, in class III, grade 2, of that Establishment, with effect from the 26th October 1916.

The 14th December 1916.

No. 1988-E.-16.—The following permanent promotions are ordered in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Carriage and Wagon Department, with effect from the 26th July 1916 :—

Name.	From	To
Mahony, J. S.	Class III, grade 3	Class III, grade 2.
Fletcher, A. E. S.	Class III, grade 3	Class III, grade 2.

CORRIGENDUM.

No. 1658-E.-16.—*For* the designation "Secretary to the Government of India" which appears below the name of Mr. F. A. Hadow, on page 1845 of Part I of "The Gazette of India", dated the 9th December 1916, please *read* "Secretary, Railway Board".

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 14th December 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. Rainfall of importance occurred only in the southeast of Madras. Unsettled conditions were transmitted eastwards from Persia, but they exerted no influence on the Indian weather beyond causing heavy cloud in the northwest. Ordinarily rainfall to the extent of about 1½″ occurs in Persia between the beginning of November and the middle of December, but this year the weather there has been abnormally dry.

2. *Burma.*—Myitkyina had a light fall of rain.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—There was a light fall at Sibsagar.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was no rain.

Northwest India.—Weather was dry throughout.

The Peninsula.—Showers were reported on five days, the largest number occurring on the 8th.

3. The daily falls were all below three-quarters of an inch in amount.

4. The rainfall of the week was normal in Assam, and in defect by 20 per cent or more in all the remaining divisions with the exception of Bihar, Sind, Gujarat, the Central Provinces East, the Konkan and Hyderabad South, where the absence of rainfall is a normal feature at this time of year.

The rainfall from the 1st December to date is more than 20 per cent in excess in Mysore, and is within 20 per cent of the normal in Assam and Madras Southeast. It is 20 per cent or more in defect in the rest of the country except in the following divisions where no rain usually falls during this period of the year: Bihar, Sind, Gujarat, the Central Provinces East, the Konkan and Hyderabad South.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 14th December 1916.			Rainfall data from 1st December to 14th December 1916.			Percentage departure from normal	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	0	1·5	−1·5	0	3·9	−3·9	−100	−100
Lower Burma	0	0·1	−0·1	0·1	0·2	−0·1	−50	0
Upper Burma	0	0·2	−0·2	0·2	0·3	−0·1	−33	+100
Assam	0·1	0·1	0	0·2	0·2	0	0	0
Bengal	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Orissa	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Chota Nagpur	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Bihar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Provinces, East	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
United Provinces, West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Punjab, East and North	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Punjab, South-West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Kashmir	0	0·3	−0·3	0	0·4	−0·4	−100	−100
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Baluchistan	0	0·2	−0·2	0	0·5	−0·5	−100	−100
Sind	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rajputana, West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Rajputana, East	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Central India, West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Central India, East	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Berar	0	0·2	−0·2	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	0
Central Provinces, West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Central Provinces, East	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Konkan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bombay Deccan	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Hyderabad, North	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Hyderabad, South	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mysore	0	0·1	−0·1	0·5	0·3	+0·2	+67	+150
Malabar	0	0·3	−0·3	0·3	0·8	−0·5	−63	−40
Madras, South-East	0·4	0·9	−0·5	2·3	2·2	+0·1	+5	+46
Madras Deccan	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Madras Coast, North	0	0·4	−0·4	0·3	0·9	−0·6	−67	−40

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 14th December 1916.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 9th December 1916.

Burma.—Slight rain fell on the Arakan coast and in five districts of Upper Burma. Reaping of winter rice is progressing in Lower Burma and continues in Upper Burma where harvesting of groundnut and cotton is also progressing. Standing crops are generally in good condition. Cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon is Rs. 111 per hundred baskets and is above normal. The market for white rice is weak.

Assam.—The weather was seasonable. Slight showers of rain fell mostly in upper Assam. Plucking and manufacture of tea and sowing of spring crops are nearly finished. Harvesting of winter rice, pressing of sugarcane and plucking of cotton are in progress. Prospects of tea, mustard and cotton are fair and of pulses moderate. Prevalence of insect pests and cattle disease is reported from two and four districts respectively, and insufficiency of fodder from one. The price of common rice has fallen in five districts. Distribution of seeds and agricultural loans continue in Cachar.

Bengal.—No rain fell during the week except some slight showers in parts of the Darjeeling district. Reaping of winter paddy is in full swing. Sowing of spring crops is fast approaching completion. Sugarcane and other standing crops are doing well. Fodder is insufficient in the flood affected parts of Dacca and Tippera. Cattle disease is reported from three districts only. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by 1·14 per cent. as compared with that of the preceding week.

Bihar and Orissa.—The week was rainless. Harvesting of paddy and weeding of spring crops are in progress, pressing of sugarcane continues and sowing of spring crops is almost completed. Standing crops are doing well. The average price of common rice has fallen appreciably as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from thirteen districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—No rain fell during the week. Harvesting and threshing of late rice, sowing of poppy, irrigation of winter crops and poppy, pressing of sugarcane and picking of cotton are in progress. A rough estimate in annas of outturn of principle late autumn crops is as follows:—Rice rather over 16, *juar* 12 to 14, *bajra* 12 to 14, pulses 13 to 15, cotton about 12. Rice has been uniformly good while cotton has been a disappointing crop. *Juar* suffered from late rains. Germination of winter crops has been good and there is a plentiful supply of water for irrigation purposes in canals and tanks. Standing crops are doing well. Agricultural stock is in good condition and very little cattle disease is reported. Fodder is ample; markets are full and fall in prices is reported from 14 districts mostly in western tracts while 23 districts mostly in Oudh and eastern tracts report a rise.

Punjab.—The weather during the week remained dry. Rain is wanted for spring crops almost everywhere. Picking of cotton and pressing of sugarcane continue. The yield is generally normal to good except that of cotton in parts of the south-east where it is reported to be below normal. The condition of standing sugarcane and cotton and of spring crops is generally good. Irrigated wheat and barley, etc., are being sown in some districts. Area sown is normal or above normal. Germination of crops sown is generally good. Cattle are healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. Prices are generally stationary and range between normal and scarcity rates. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices of wheat:—Lahore 8⅝, Ambala 8⅞, Rawalpindi 9, Lyallpur 9¼ and Ferozepore 9⅜ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—The week was rainless; rain is needed for autumn sowings in the Peshawar district. The weather is cold. The condition of standing irrigated and unirrigated crops is average in the province but some damage has been done by insects in the Bannu district. Sowing of spring and harvesting of autumn crops are proceeding. The outturn of the latter is reported to be average in Bannu and Peshawar and below average in Dera Ismail Khan. The condition of cattle is good and fodder and water are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is not running. Public health is good but malarial fever is still prevalent in Peshawar though decreasing. Prices are high and rising in Peshawar and Bannu but falling in Dera Ismail Khan except in case of *bajra*. Prices of wheat are high and stationary in Peshawar but fluctuating in the south of the province.

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Jammu.—No rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 14 and maize from 14 to 24 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Cattle disease is still prevalent in the Ranbirsinghpura tahsil. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—There was no rainfall during the week; it is badly wanted as spring crops are being sown. Cattle are generally healthy and water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are rising.

Rajputana.—The weather is cool and clear. Standing crops are good. Harvesting of autumn crops is nearing completion in most places with outturn good. Sowings and irrigation of spring crops continue. Prospects are good. Agricultural stock is in a healthy condition except in Kishangarh where cattle disease is reported in some places. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are falling in Mewar, hilly tracts, Kishangarh, Tonk and Karauli, rising in Marwar, Kotah, Jaipur, Bharatpur, Dholpur and Ajmer, and stationary elsewhere.

Central India.—The weather during the week was seasonable and practically rainless. Harvesting of autumn and sowing of spring crops continue. The condition of standing crops is fair to good and prospects are promising. Cattle disease is prevalent to some extent everywhere except Bhopal and Malwa. Fodder is sufficient. Prices are rising in Gwalior, Indore and Bhopal and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been clear; nights and mornings are cool. Picking of cotton and reaping and threshing of autumn crops are well advanced. Sowing of spring crops still continues in places but is approaching completion. The condition of spring seedlings is generally good and prospects are satisfactory. Fodder and water are sufficient and cattle are healthy. The price of *juar* indicates an upward tendency and other fluctuations are unimportant.

Feudatory States:—Prospects of spring crops are favourable.

Bombay.—Standing crops are generally thriving except for slight damage by locusts in one taluka and two mahals of Karachi, and two talukas of Nawabshah and Larkana. Autumn harvesting generally continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh, Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Kathiawar. Spring sowing generally continues. Fodder supply is adequate and agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition and drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation purposes is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains have risen in Sind, Gujarat and the Deccan, fallen in the Karnatak and are generally steady in Konkan.

Hyderabad.—There was practically no rain during the week, the average being one cent. Autumn crops and early rice are being harvested; the latter is suffering from blight in parts of the Medak and Karimnagar districts. Spring crops are being sown. They are generally fair to good and are being weeded. Late rice lands are being prepared throughout and sown in places. Cattle disease is prevalent in fourteen talukas. Prices of food grains are high and almost steady. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 8 seers per rupee in Bidar and the lowest 26¾ seers per rupee in Usmanabad.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good in Mysore and light to *nil* elsewhere. Prices of food grains are steady; markets are well supplied and standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of harvested *ragi*, paddy and sugarcane is fair to normal. The prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy and water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—The condition of rice is good. Picking of cardamom and coffee continues. Prices of food grains are high. Public health is fair. Cattle disease is prevailing in parts. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was heavy in Madras, good in Chingleput, South Arcot, North Arcot, Salem, Tanjore, Pudukkottai and Nilgiris, fair in Chittoor, Coimbatore, Trichinopoly, Madura, Ramnad and Malabar and light or *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are fair to good generally except in parts of three districts where they have been affected by floods or cyclones. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally. The outturn is fair to normal generally. The condition of cattle is generally good. Water supply is insufficient in parts of Kurnool, Anantapur, Chittoor, North Arcot and the southern parts except Tanjore and is sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is sufficient and fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 15th December 1916.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 9th December 1916 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	Delhi City	1	1
		TOTAL	1	1
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City	5	4
		Ahmedabad City	7	7
		Kaira District	9	7
		Surat Town and Port	22	20
		Surat District	16	8
		Thana District	3	1
	Central	Ahmednagar District	1,335*	947*
		West Khandesh District	665	413
		East Khandesh District	50	29
		Poona Town	196	160
		Poona District	607	421
		Nasik District	372	240
		Satara District	407	254
		Sholapur Town	223	182
		Sholapur District	430	310
	Southern	Pen Port	1	1
		Kolaba District	2	1
		Belgaum District	272	160
		Hubli Town	71	67
		Dharwar District	563	295
		Kanara District	6	2
		Bijapur District	342	217
	Political Charges.	Baroda State	50	36
		Mangrol Port	5	5
		Kathiawar Agency	39	25
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country States	459	3.2
		Satara Agency	18	12
		Savanur State	40	37
		Akalkot State	7	5
		Bhor State	16	13
		TOTAL	6,253	4,191

* For two weeks.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Madras Presidency.	...	Madras City	4(a)	2(b)
		Anantapur District		21(c)
		Bellary District	105(c)	75
		Coimbatore District	333	243
		Kistna District	1(c)	1(c)
		Salem Town	17	14
		Salem District	67	42
		North Arcot District	152(d)	68(b)
		Nilgiris District	3	2
		Nellore District	1(c)	...
		Madura District	9(c)	9(c)
		Trichinopoly District	1(c)	...
		TOTAL	706	477
Bengal Presidency.	...	......	...	...
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	Patna City	3	3
		Patna District	36	20
		Shahabad District	39	39
	Tirhut	Saran District	130	93
		Champaran District	15	11
		Muzaffarpur District	6	6
		Darbhanga District	11	13
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	285	228
		Bhagalpur District	52	21
		TOTAL	577	434
United Provinces.	Meerut	Muzaffarnagar District	2	2
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad District	3	2
		Cawnpore City	3	3
		Cawnpore District	11	11
		Fatehpur District	38	36
		Allahabad District	114	114
	Benares	Benares District	65	52
		Jaunpur District	35	33
		Ghazipur District	175	95
	Gorakhpur.	Ballia District	100	61
		Gorakhpur District	302	95
		Basti District	38	30
		Azamgarh District	182	109
	Lucknow	Unao District	35	31
		Rae Bareli District	30	22
		Sitapur District	13	13
		Hardoi District	17	12
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	7	9
		Gonda District	38	32
		Sultanpur District	18	24
		Partabgarh District	29	20
		Bara Banki District	6	6
		TOTAL	1,311	812

(a) Four imported. (b) Two imported. (c) One imported. (d) Six imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District	4	1
	Jullundur	Ludhiana District	9	2
	Lahore	Lahore	1	...
		Gurdaspur District	3	3
	Rawalpindi	Rawalpindi District	13	11
	Native States.	Jind State	3	1
		TOTAL	33	18
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town	6	4
		Tharrawaddy District	18	18
		Pegu District	2	2
		Prome District	35	35
	Irrawaddy	Bassein District	2	2
		Henzada District	1	1
		Maubin District	3	3
	Tenasserim.	Toungoo District	1	1
		Moulmein Town	1	1
	Magwe	Magwe District	7	3
	Meiktila	Kyaukse District	2	2
		TOTAL	78	72
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town	310	307
		Nagpur District	566	408
		Kamptee Cantt.	228	185
		Bhandara Town	12	11
		Bhandara District	4	3
		Wardha Town	1	1
		Wardha District	65	47
		Chanda District	7	6
		Balaghat Town	...	1
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town	29	27
		Jubbulpore District	3	3
		Saugor District	2	1
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	167	153
		Betul District	1	1
		Chindwara District	1	4
	Chhattisgarh.	Bilaspur Town	25	23
		Bilaspur District	3	1
	Berar	Amraoti Town	2	2
		Amraoti District	41	32
		Yeotmal District	27	13
		Akola Town	3	2
		Akola District	135	70
		Buldana Town	1	1
		Buldana District	166	128
		TOTAL	1,802	1,430
ASSAM	...	......	...	...
COORG	...	Coorg	1	...
		TOTAL	1	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	45	39
		Bangalore City	31	23
		Bangalore District	144	121
		Mysore City	22	18
		Mysore District	84	57
		Hassan District	10	5
		Kadur District	12	9
		Shimoga District	50	30
		Chitaldroog District	45	22
		Tumkur District	6	5
		Kolar Gold Fields	22	20
		Kolar District	67	46
		TOTAL	538	390
HYDERABAD STATE.	...	Aurangabad District	148	111
		Bir District	109	82
		Parbhani District	87	76
		Nander District	105	125
		Gulbarga District	77	56
		Raichur District	13	1
		Usmanabad District	44	41
		Atrafibaldah Sarf-i-Khas District	43	41
		Bidar District	2	2
		Medak District	43	34
		Nalgonda District	14	13
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	422	315
		TOTAL	1,107 (a)	897 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Indore City	95	80
		Indore Residency Bazars	15	8
		Indore State	20	12
		Bagli State	6	6
		Dhar State	4	4
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	14	16
		TOTAL	154 (b)	126 (b)
RAJPUTANA.	...	Ajmer District	10	9
		TOTAL	10	9
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN.	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	12,471	8,857

(a) From the 27th November to the 3rd December 1916.
(b) For the week ending 2nd December 1916.

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APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

December 4.

2827. B. Athimurti. *Silk wrappers.*

2828. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co., Ld. *Improvements in frequency multipliers.*

2829. E. Lemaire. *A new or improved safety cartridge for mines.*

2830. E. R Sutcliffe. *Improvements relating to presses.*

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December 5.

2832. L. Sett. *Improvements in or relating to the construction of expanding bracelets.*

2833. R. E. Fletcher and A. Birch. *Improvements in fastenings for bale ties or bands*

December 6.

2834. M. J. Gunn. *Improvements in lenses for telescopes, photographic cameras and other purposes.*

2835. A. W. Knight. *Improvements in the manufacture of horse-shoe nails.*

2836. A. Somasundaram. *Use of mercury cups in the construction of resistance boxes, potentiometers, Wheatstone's bridge, contact keys, etc., for inserting and cutting out resistances.*

December 7.

2837. E. Roscoe. *An improved stopping place indicator for tramcars and the like.*

December 8.

2838. M. A. Bhisey. *The process of mixing and grinding the ingredients for manufacturing mortar.*

December 9.

2839. T. E. Haywood, A. G. Kershaw, Saxby & Farmer, Ld., and Saxby & Farmer (India), Ld. *Improvements in railway signalling and interlocking apparatus.*

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2790. V. A. Haddick. *Portable field cooker and carrier for same.*

2809. O. Valeri. *Improvements in longitudinal sleepers for railway and tramway tracks.*

2811. H. Rottenburg. *Improvements in puttees.*

2812. Acetylene Illuminating Co., Ld. *Improvements in or relating to the storing of gases under pressure.*

2813. W. Scott. *Improvements in or relating to means for filling sacks and the like.*

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1914. A. Vacarezza. *Improvements in wrenches.*

2642. H. W. Johns-Manville Co. *Fire extinguisher.*

2688. Mills Equipment Co., Ld., and A. A. Lethern. *Improvements in or relating to military equipments.*

2737. J. M. Marum. *Mosquito preventer and general disinfector.*

2761. H. E. Hooper. *Improvements in or relating to the extraction of tungstic oxide from Wolfram ores.*

2762. J. M. Draper. *Improvements in apparatus for separating substances of different specific gravities, such as fine coal or ores and the like.*

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2575. Fulton.
2637. Wilson.
2644. Dickson.
2661. Clifford.
2682. Grenon.
2689. Warren.

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2390. Barry and Smith
2656. Fils de Peugeot Freres and Gobiet.
2668. Kapadia.
2670. Biddle.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

184 of 1903. Wilson. (To 8 December 1917.)
224 of 1905. Soc. Gen. de Soie, Artificielle, procede Viscose. (To 4 December 1917.)
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1910.

185, (Shelley). 296, (Hurrey).

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468, (Ford). 471, (Turnbull). 472, (Hargreaves). 473, (Marino). 474, (Laufer). 475, (Mrs. Hart). 476, (Asary & ors.). 477, (Shephard & anr.). 480, (Nickels). 481, (Tekchand).

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M. S. Khursad Ali . . . . Mohalla Kaziwara, Hapur District, Meerut.

JHELUM.

M. Thakur Das Pahwa . . . . Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JULLUNDUR.

M. Karam Chand . . . . C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

KARACHI.

M. Mukhtar Ahmad . . . . Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.

KASAULI.

M. Anand Sarup . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

KULTI.

M. S. M. Shahabuddin . . . . Kulti, E. I. Railway.

LAHORE CANTONMENT.

M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani . . . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

LEBONG.

M. Farhat Ali Suhail . . . . Hill Sanitarium, Lebong.

LUCKNOW.

M. Abdul Alim . . . . Near the Police Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil) . . . Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
M. Abdul Karim . . . . C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Lucknow.

MURREE HILLS.

M. S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragali P. O., Murree Hills.

MUSSOORIE.

M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey . . . . Islamia School, Mussoorie.

NAINI TAL.

M. Faqir Ulla . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

M. Muhammad Din . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).

PATNA.

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

M. Ahmed B[illegible] . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.
M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.
M. S. Karim Bukhsh . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
M. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.
M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh Gyani (Munshi Fazil) . Officers' Munshi, Ahata Sultan, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

In addition to the above, the following, who were examined in Urdu previous to the institution of the examination mentioned in the above India Army Order, are also, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, qualified to teach:—

M. Mohd. Arif	Camp Bareilly.
M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	14, Karaya Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Badru-z-Zaman	212/1, Linton Street, Calcutta.
M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 34, Collin Street, Calcutta.
M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	25, Tiljalah 1st Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nur Ali's Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Shuaib	Arabic Teacher, Zilla School, Mozufferpore.

N B.—It is requested that Munshis who have passed this examination, and whose names do not appear above, should communicate their present addresses to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, so that their names may be published also.

Whenever any munshi changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. Post system*, and are obtainable from The Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1916 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	R
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	21-8 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	22-8 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4, and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb. Weg. 3 lbs. Postage	Re.	0	10	0
,, ,, 3 ,, ,, 6 ,, ,,	Re.	1	0	0
,, ,, 2 ,, ,, 9 ,, ,,	Re.	1	8	0

N.B.—Postage stamps will not be accepted as revenue.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 9th December 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 7th December 1916.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE.										REMARKS.
				COIN AND BULLION.							SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).		TOTAL.	
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R (a)	R (b) (c)	R	
Calcutta	75,60,000	26,51,80,820	27,27,40,820	3,56,15,600	1,45,50,060	49,09,608	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	24,65,35,120	53,10,60,334	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R25,80,51,571. (c) Includes treasury bills purchased under Section 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R16,15,35,120.
Cawnpore	...	2,47,91,810	2,47,91,810	1,44,82,988	1,82,17,275	...	...	...		...	...	...	3,27,00,263	
Lahore	...	5,81,25,025	5,81,25,025	1,41,13,005	2,10,89,700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,52,02,705	
Bombay	58,49,260	21,57,23,280	22,15,72,540	3,92,73,488	4,54,57,095	1,17,59,797	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,64,90,380	
Karachi	...	2,74,97,245	2,74,97,245	72,78,132	36,96,045	...		...	...		...	...	1,09,69,177	
Madras	17,19,830	10,60,02,220	10,77,22,050	1,43,59,658	1,13,29,042	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,56,88,700	
Rangoon	...	5,65,61,900	5,65,61,900	3,68,17,516	98,95,230	...	...		...	...		...	4,67,12,746	
	1,51,29,090	75,38,82,300	76,90,11,390	16,21,35,387	12,42,31,447	1,66,69,405	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	24,65,35,120	76,83,24,305	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			12,17,085	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									10,30,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			76,77,94,305									TOTAL RESERVE R	76,77,94,305	

Gold worth £30,000 (R4,50,000) was transferred to the Paper Currency Reserve from the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 7th December 1916.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 7th December 1916 to 11 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Controller of Currency.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1ST TO 7TH DECEMBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins. — Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.					Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	(a) 26	...	...	26	30	...	30	5	(b) 62	22	2	91	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	10	...	...	10	36	...	36	...	(c) 139	2	1	142	8	8	...	...	...	...

(a) Includes 2 received from Bombay Mint.
(b) Exclusive of 15 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(c) Exclusive of 30 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 11th December 1916.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 12th December 1916.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up		2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities . .	6,51,80,682	12	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,08,00,000 A. 0 P. 0					Other authorized Investments .	1,11,08,145	0	0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* .	50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .	2,90,96,810	8	7
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments		50,00,000	0	0	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	5,57,56,204	11	1
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 95,41,866 A. 1 P. 1; Public Deposits at Branches 1,19,78,273 6 9		2,15,20,139	7	10	Bills discounted and purchased	3,21,67,136	10	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . . .		20,33,99,888	14	3	Balances with other Banks .	31,47,123	11	0
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .		13,80,621	2	4	Bullion	......		
Sundries		18,79,546	5	10	Dead Stock	29,70,851	12	1
					Stamps	11,209	10	1
					Sundries	3,69,592	5	2
						19,98,07,757	0	4
					Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 3,00,09,348 A. 13 P. 9; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† 3,91,63,090 0 2	6,91,72,438	13	11
RUPEES .		26,89,80,195	14	3	RUPEES .	26,89,80,195	14	3

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs. value Rs. 3,51,555 0 0

† Do. do. do. „ 8,70,825 0 0

Rs. 12,22,380 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL; H. MITCHELL, N. H. Y. WARREN,

Calcutta, 14th December 1916. Chief Accountant. Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 8 per cent.

Percentage 30·31

BANK OF BENGAL.

NOTICE.

Calcutta, 13th December 1916.

The Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's European Establishment:—

Mr. J. R. G. Allen to act as Agent at Patna Branch as from 11th December 1916 *vice* Mr. E. Bent transferred to Head Office.

Mr. S. B. W. Futcher to act as Agent at Jalpaiguri Branch as from 3rd December 1916, *vice* Mr. J. R. G. Allen transferred.

By order of the Directors,

N. H. Y. WARREN,

Secretary & Treasurer.

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THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7 Men trained in—
    (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
    (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

NOTICE.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Manager's Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners.

DHANBAD;
20th October 1916.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 14th October 1916.

No. 6892-*C. & I.*—The following draft amendment, which it is proposed to make in the rules made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, which were issued in Punjab Government Notification No. 90, dated 15th February 1909, is published for criticism. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 30th of November 1916, together with any remarks or suggestions received on or before that date :—

Draft amendment.

In rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II of the said rules, *for* the figure "500" *substitute* "2000."

Delhi, the 6th December 1916.

No. 8110-*Financial.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 38 of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886), as amended by the Income-tax Amendment Act, 1916 (V of 1916), such powers having been delegated by the Government of India in their Notification in the Finance Department, No. 723-F., dated the 16th May 1916, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to make the following rules prescribing the procedure to be followed on applications for refund of the tax chargeable under the said Act, namely :—

INCOME-TAX REFUND RULES.

I.—*Promissory notes, debentures, stocks or other securities of the Government of India.*

1. In the case of a promissory note, debenture, stock or other security of the Government of India, the owner of the security claiming a refund shall present to the Collector—

(*a*) an application in the form A, declaring truly therein his income from all sources including agriculture in the income-tax year last preceding that in which the interest is to be drawn, with the declaration below the form duly signed before the Collector or attested by a Justice of the Peace or a Magistrate, and

(*b*) a statement in the form B showing the details of the securities of the Government of India held by him.

2. On receipt of the application and the statement the Collector may, after making such enquiries as he may deem necessary as to the total income of the applicant, issue a certificate of refund in the form C, if he is satisfied that the applicant is liable to tax at less than one anna in the rupee.

3. If the applicant hands over the certificate of refund to the person empowered to pay the interest on the security of the Government of India, that person shall deduct from the interest due on such security only such sum as is the difference between the amount of tax chargeable at one anna in the rupee and the refund payable in accordance with the certificate of refund, and shall pay to the applicant the balance.

4. (1) If no certificate of refund is presented at the time the interest on the security of the Government of India is claimed, income-tax at one anna in the rupee shall be deducted from the interest due and the balance paid.

(2) If a claim for refund is made within one year from the end of the year to which the claim relates, the person empowered to pay the interest shall, on production of the certificate of refund, pay or authorise payment in cash of such refund as may be due.

II.—*Debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.*

5. In the case of a debenture or other security for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company, the owner of the security claiming a refund shall present to the Collector an application in the form A and a statement in the form B, and the Collector may issue a certificate of refund in the form C, in accordance, so far as may be, with rules 1 and 2.

6. (1) If a local authority or company is empowered in this behalf by the Collector and the applicant hands over the certificate of refund to the principal officer of such local authority or company, the principal officer shall deduct from the interest due on such security only such sum as is the difference between the amount of tax chargeable at one anna in the rupee and the refund payable in accordance with the certificate of refund and shall pay to the applicant the balance.

(2) In sending to the Collector the said sum of income-tax due from the applicant the principal officer shall forward the certificate of refund and the statement referred to in rule

12 of the rules published by the Government of India in their notification in the Department of Finance and Commerce, No. 2763, dated the 6th June 1890, and in addition to the particulars mentioned in such statement, the amount of refund allowed in each case shall be stated.

7. If refund has not been allowed in accordance with sub-rule (1) of rule 6 and if a claim for refund is made within one year from the end of the year to which the claim relates, and a certificate in the form D signed by the principal officer of the local authority or company is produced, the Collector shall on production of the certificate of refund pay or authorize payment in cash of such refund as may be due.

III.—*Dividends paid out of the profits of companies taxable under Part II.*

8. A person claiming a refund on a dividend payable or paid to him out of the profits of a company shall present to the Collector an application in the form A and shall forward the counterpart of the dividend warrant or other proof showing the number of shares he holds in the company and the total amount of dividend payable or paid to him. The Collector may, after making such enquiries as to the total income of the applicant, issue a certificate of refund in the form E, if he is satisfied that the applicant is liable to tax at less than one anna in the rupee.

9. (1) If a company is empowered in this behalf by the Collector and the applicant at the time of claiming the dividend hands over the certificate of refund to the principal officer of such company, the principal officer may pay a refund to the applicant of income-tax to the amount stated in the certificate and shall thereupon endorse on the certificate the amount of the refund so paid.

(2) At the time of payment of the tax on its profits the company shall be entitled to a deduction on account of refunds so paid provided that all such certificates with the endorsements thereon are handed over to the Collector.

10. If refund has not been paid by the company in accordance with sub-rule (1) of rule 9, and, provided that the company has paid the tax due on its profits, if a claim for refund is made within one year from the end of the year to which the claim relates, the Collector shall, on receipt of an application in the form A and of the counterpart of the dividend warrant or other proof of the income which the applicant derives from the company, pay or authorise payment in cash of such refund as may be due.

11. (1) No refund shall be admissible on dividends not paid out of the taxable profits of a company.

(2) Refunds can be remitted by post at the cost of the applicants.

IV.—*General rules applicable to all refunds.*

12. (1) A refund shall not be paid except at the place where the tax in respect of which the refund is claimed has been received.

(2) If the person claiming the refund is not a resident of the place where the tax has been received he may send a declaration in the form A accompanied with a statement in the form B to the Collector of the place where he resides or carries on his business and apply for a certificate in the form F for submission to the officer empowered to grant the refund, and on receipt of such certificate the officer shall proceed as laid down in the above rules.

13. When a declaration of income in the form A has been received, the Collector may issue certificates in forms C, E or F at any time during the financial year in which such declaration has been received without insisting on fresh declarations of income.

14. The Collector of Income-tax shall keep on record applications in the form A and statements in the Form B received by him and copies of certificates of refund in the forms C and F issued by him for a period of five years from the end of the financial year in which such applications have been received.

FORM A.

(See rules 1 (*a*), 5, 8, 10 and 12.)

Application by shareholders of companies and owners of securities for refund of tax payable or paid under Parts II and III respectively of the Second Schedule to the Indian Income-tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886).

I, do hereby state that my income from all sources during the year ending 31st March 19 , as shown below, amounted to Rs. .

2. I accordingly hereby claim a refund of Rs. at $\frac{\text{one anna}}{\text{pies}}$ in the rupee on income of Rs. under Part II and a refund of Rs. on income of Rs. , under Part III.

3. The counterpart of dividend warrants and certificates for payment of Income-tax under Part III are herewith attached.

Source.	Amount of income.	REMARKS.
PART I.		
Salary, annuity, pension or gratuity received during the year ending 31st March 19 :—		
(NOTE.—Payments received outside British India on account of services rendered in British India to be declared under Part IV-G below.)		
PART II.		
Dividends from companies during the year ending 31st March 19 . .		
PART III.		
Interest on securities during the year ending 31st March 19 . .		
[NOTE.—Securities include— (a) Promissory notes, debenture, stock or other securities of the Government of India, and (b) Debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.]		
PART IV.		
Income received under the following heads during the year ending 31st March 19 :—		
A. Trade or Profession . . . . Rs.		
B. Profits accrued in partnership with others . . . „		
C. Interest on mortgages, fixed deposits, current accounts, sums lent to traders* and loans to others, club debentures, etc. „		
D. House property and land (including agricultural) . „		
E. Director's fees, survey fees, University and other Examination fees, etc. „		
F. Income received from outside British India including pensions, dividends and income from agricultural land not paying land revenue to the British Government. „		
G. All other income not specified, *e.g.*, rewards honoraria, lottery prizes, etc. „		
Total Part IV . „		
GRAND TOTAL .		

I hereby declare that my income from all sources as stated above includes my share in the joint family income and is the only income that actually accrued to me, and that I had no other income from any other source accruing, arising or received in British India during the year in question.

Address in full—

Post office at which payment is desired.

(Signed)

(Designation)

Before me:

Collector of Income Tax
Justice of the Peace
Magistrate

Dated 19 .

*House property Income.—Proprietors of houses residing on their own premises are exempted from tax on 1-6th of the rental value of such portion self-occupied; 5-6th of the rental valuation should be declared as income.

Penalty.—By section 177, Indian Penal Code (Act XLV of 1860), it is provided that whoever, being legally bound to furnish information on any subject to any public servant, as such, furnishes, as true, information on the subject which he knows or has reason to believe to be false, shall be punished with simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

FORM B.

(*See* rules 1 (*b*), 5 and 12.)

For the year ending 31st March 19 .

I hereby state that the following are the details of the securities* held by me:—

Description of Securities.	Number.	Date.	Amount.

Dated this the day of 19 .

(Signed)

*NOTE.—Securities include:—

(*a*) promissory notes, debentures, stock or other securities of the Government of India, and
(*b*) debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.

FORM C.

(*See* rules 2, 5 and 13.)

CERTIFICATE OF REFUND UNDER PART III.

For the year ending 31st March 19 .

I, , Collector of Income-tax, do hereby certify that the income of the owner of the securities specified below is liable to taxation at 12 pies in the rupee in respect of such securities* but his income from all sources including the interrst on such securities being more than Rs. , and less than Rs. , he is entitled to a refund calculated at the rate of pies in the rupee. The net amount of income-tax to be deducted on the interest is to be at the rate of pies in the rupee.

Description of Securities.	Number.	Date.	Amount.

Dated this the day of 19 .

Collector of Income-tax.

* NOTE.—Securities include—

(*a*) promissory notes, debentures, stock or other securities of the Government of India, and
(*b*) debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.

FORM D.

(*See* rule 7.)

CERTIFICATE BY THE PRINCIPAL OFFICER OF A LOCAL AUTHORITY OR COMPANY.

Certified that income-tax of Rs. was deducted on the day of 19 , from the interest of Rs. paid for the period from to on securities held by

Dated

Principal Officer of

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FORM E.

(*See* rules 8 and 13.)

CERTIFICATE OF REFUND UNDER PART II.

For the year ending 31st March 19 .

I, , Collector of Income-tax, do hereby certify that the owner of shares of the face value of Rs. each is entitled to have a refund of income-tax to the amount of Rs. at pies in the rupee on the dividend of Rs. payable to him on the above shares.

This certificate is valid up to 31st March 19 only.

Dated

Collector of Income-tax.

Certified that the above refund of Rs. was paid to the above party on the day of 19 .

Principal Officer of

† Co.

FORM F.

(*See* rules 12 and 13.)

I, , Collector of Income-tax, do hereby certify that the income from all sources of amounts to Rs. for the year ending 31st March 19 .

Collector of Income-tax.

* Here state the name and address of the local authority or company.
† Here state the name and address of the Company.

The 7th December 1916.

No. 8136-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths registered at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 2nd December 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi	235,471	114	124	238	58	66	119	...	...	1	45	10	40	2	21	...	15	23	38	51·89	27·44
	Notified Area	3,673	2	5	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	.	99·10	...
	Total	239,144	116	120	245	58	66	119	...	...	1	45	10	40	2	21	...	15	23	38	55·59	2 ·00

The 8th December 1916.

No. 8183-*C. & I.*—The following draft amendment, which it is proposed to make in the rules made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, which were issued in Punjab Government Notification No. 90, dated 15th February 1909, is published for criticism. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th January 1917, together with any remarks or suggestions received on or before that date :—

Draft amendment.

In rule I, Part I, of the said rules, add :—

"(b) 'District Magistrate' includes in cases where the Local Government so directs 'Additional District Magistrate' in respect of such areas as it may so order."

The 9th December 1916.

No. 8204-*C. & I.*—The following Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry is published for general information :—

"GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

Delhi, the 2nd December 1916.

(EXPLOSIVES.)

No. 92-*C.*—In accordance with the provisions of section 18 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884) and of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 1964, dated the 2nd September 1887, the Governor General in Council is pleased to publish, for general information the following amendment which His Excellency in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the said Act, proposes to make in the Indian Explosives Rules, 1914, published with the Notification in this Department No. 4013—33, dated the 6th June 1914.

The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor General in Council on the expiration of two months from the date of publication of this Notification in the *Gazette of India*.

Draft amendments.

1. In rule 4 of the said rules, after clause (6), the following shall be inserted as clause 6(*a*) :—

"'District Magistrate' includes, in cases where the Local Government so directs, the Additional District Magistrate in respect of such area as such Local Government may so order."

A. H. LEY,

Secretary to the Government of India."

No. 8207-*Home.*—On retirement from the service Khan Bahadur Sheikh Abdullah, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Criminal Investigation Department Branch, Delhi, relinquished charge of his duties with effect from the forenoon of the 1st December 1916.

The 12th December 1916.

No. 8271-*Home.*—Under section 24 of the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887, and section 102 of the Punjab Tenancy Act, 1887, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi Province directs that :—

(1) Revenue Courts shall observe the same local and general holidays during the year 1917 as are prescribed for Civil Courts by the Chief Court, Punjab, during the same year.

(2) Revenue Offices shall observe every Sunday as a holiday and, in addition, the following days :—

Day.	Name of holidays.	Number of days.	REMARKS.
1st January	Proclamation Day	1	
7th „	Bara Wafat	...	Sunday.
27th „	Basant Panchmi	1	
20th February	Sheoratri	1	
8th and 9th March	Holi and Dulandhi	2	
13th April	Baisakhi	1	

Day.	Name of holidays.	Number of days.	REMARKS.
6th, 7th and 9th April . . .	Easter Holidays	3	4 days including Sunday.
	King Emperor's Birthday .	1	
5th June	Shabrat	1	
20th or 21st July . . .	Idulfitar	1	Subject to the appearance of the moon.
3rd August	Solono	1	
10th August	Janam Ashtmi	1	
22nd—25th October . . .	Dussehra	4	
26th or 27th September . .	Id-ul-Zuha	1	Ditto.
13th November	Diwali	1	
26th or 27th November . . .	Muharram	2	Ditto.
24th—31st December . . .	Christmas Vacation . .	7	8 days including Sunday.

NOTE.—The date fixed for the celebration of the King-Emperor's birthday will be notified separately hereafter.

Revenue Offices shall also observe the same local holidays during the year 1917 as are prescribed for Civil Courts by the Chief Court during the same year.

The last Saturday in every month may also be observed as a holiday, provided the state of work in Revenue offices admits of this.

No. 8281-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending 30th November 1916, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14			15
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.			Remarks.
			Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
P. S. Alipur	41	45	...	...	...	29	...	14	...	...	2	...	11	8	19	
Nangloi	41	50	...	...	...	28	2	20	...	...	...	...	12	10	22	
Najafgarh	46	34	.	...	...	21	...	13	...	..	...	...	6	4	10	
Subzimundi	12	4	...	.	...	4	...	...	...	...	.	.	1	1	2	
Paharganj	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	..	
Mehrauli	44	50	...	...	...	27	...	20	.	...	3	...	11	7	18	
Raisina	1	8	...	...	.	8	...	...	...	...	...	.	2	2	4	
Shahdara	10	15	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	...	1	...	6	..	6	
New Cantonment . . .	10	20	...	...	...	13	...	6	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	
Total of the District .	205	226	...	...	...	144	2	73	...	...	7	..	50	33	83	

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Delhi, the 13th December 1916.

No. 8223-*Home*.—In continuation of Notification No. 8087-Home, dated the 5th December 1916, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is hereby pleased to notify that the 28th December 1917 shall be observed as a public holiday on account of Bara Wafat within the meaning of section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, in all the public offices in the Province of Delhi.

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Dated Abu, the 5th December 1916.

No. 3718—1093.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment in the Ajmer-Merwara Petroleum Rules issued in this office Notification No. 1530—1093, dated the 14th October 1909:—

In Rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II, of the said rules for the figure "500" the figure "2000" shall be substituted.

Dated Rajputana Agency Camp, the 7th December 1916.

No. 1277-*C*—1147.—Privilege leave for one month granted to Munshi Shankerlal, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Ajmer, in this office Notification No. 1072-C—1147, dated the 27th October 1916, is hereby extended by 15 days.

Munshi Bhagwatilal, Munshi Durga Prasad and Munshi Madan Gopal will continue to officiate as Extra Assistant Commissioner, Ajmer, Treasury Officer, Ajmer, and Subordinate Judge, Beawar, respectively, during Munshi Shankerlal's absence on extended leave or until further orders.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated Indore, the 8th December 1916.

No. 3116-*D*.—The Reverend R. C. B. Clarke assumed charge of the office of the 2nd Chaplain of Mhow on the forenoon of the 14th October 1916.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

IMPERIAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IN INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated the 10th December 1916.

No. 320-*C*.—Mr. Deoki Nandan, M.R.A.C. (Cirencester), is appointed as Assistant to the Imperial Agriculturist, with effect from 1st December 1916.

J. MACKENNA,

Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 7th December 1916.

No. 15.—Mr. L. C. Simpson, Assistant Store-Keeper, passed the Higher Standard Examination in Hindustani held on the 4th December 1916.

E. A. S. BELL,
Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 6th December 1916.

No. 42.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name.

Temporary Engineer D. E. Ross, R.I. M., 3 months and 11 days, from 20th October 1916.

Bombay, the 7th December 1916.

No. 43.—The undermentioned officers are granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the dates and for the periods specified against their names:—

Temporary Engineer W. J. Inman, 3 months, 4 days, from 15th October 1916.

" " F. D. Sherriff-Mitchell, 2 months, 20 days, from 11th November 1916.

F. J. WILSON,
Offg. Director, Royal Indian Marine.

TREASURE TROVE.

It is hereby notified, under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act VI of 1878 that on or about the 16th day of July 1916, the treasure described below was found in a brass *Bharini* (case) partly hidden in the Zamindari path land of Puppala Narasimhulu in the village of Gollagudem, Bhadrachelam Taluk, Godavari District by one Chennomsetti Pichodu of the same village while grazing his cattle close by :—

	Description.	Weight Tolas	Chinnams.	Estimated value. Rs.	A.	P.
1.	8 Carat gold broken necklace (Red) 2 pieces	3	2	46	0	0
2.	12 Carat gold ear ring with 7 gold balls	1$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	42	9	0
3.	.... round piece having the shape of a sovereign.	$\frac{5}{8}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	15	6	0
4.	Silver anklet	1$\frac{3}{4}$	0	1	6	0
			Total	105	5	0

All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector, Godavari at his office at Cocanada on 30th April 1917 with a view to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

Illegible,
for Collector.

GODAVARI COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, COCANADA,
30th November 1916.

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd Battalion, The King's (Liverpool) Regiment, dated at Peshawar, this 6th day of December 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—42475, Private, W McGregor.
Age—31 years 5 months.
Height—5 feet 6¾ inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, black; eyes, hazel.
Trade—Groom.
Date of enlistment—26th January 1916.
Place of enlistment—Uttoxeter.
Parish and County in which born—Not known.
Date of desertion or absence—Reveille 2nd December 1916.
Place of desertion or absence—Peshawar.
Marks—F. Coy. tattoed on right forearm; horseshoe and head on back of hand.
Absence without leave.
Under 1 year's service.

F. G. HARDEN, Capt. for Major,
Commanding 2nd Battalion, The King's Regiment.

ANNUAL CONTRACTS.

Contractors are informed that sealed Tenders for the supply of Iron Cast pig, Timber; Cordage, Liquid Fuel, and other miscellaneous stores from 1st April 1917 to 31st March 1918, will be received by the Superintendent, Ammunition Factory, Dum-Dum, up to 5th January 1917, for consideration and orders of the Director of Ordnance Factories who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

2. Forms of "Tender" and "Schedule" of the stores for which tenders are invited, are obtainable on payment of Re 1 (one) per set on application in writing. Samples and specifications of the articles can be inspected at the Factory. Interpretation of the clauses of the forms and such other information required will be furnished by the Superintendent on any working day of the Factory.

3. Tenders from recognised firms only will be considered. New tenders should be prepared to quote references as to standing, financial position, etc., if called upon to do so. A deposit of earnest money at 2 per cent. on the value of stores tendered for, must accompany all tenders in Bank of Bengal Receipt or Government Promissory Notes—the latter standing in the name of tenderer. Cash will not be accepted.

AMMUNITION FACTORY OFFICE,
Dum-Dum, the 8th December 1916.

E. PARBURY, Major, R.A.,
Superintendent.

DEPUTY DIRECTOR, CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE.

Delhi, the 9th December 1916.

No. 1726.—The privilege leave granted to Lala Bhagwan Dass, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Criminal Intelligence Department, in Notification No. 1726, dated the 22nd November 1916, has effect from the 13th November 1916 and not as therein noted.

The 12th December 1916.

No. 1726.—In exercise of the power delegated to the Director of Criminal Intelligence by the Government of India, Mr. Sant Singh, Sub-Inspector of Police, 2nd grade, in the Criminal Intelligence Department, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Superintendent of Police under the Director of Criminal Intelligence, with effect from the 13th November 1916 and during the absence on privilege leave of Lala Bhagwan Dass.

No. 1729.—In exercise of the powers delegated by the Government of India to the Director of Criminal Intelligence, Mr. Satish Chandra Banarji is confirmed in his appointment of Deputy Superintendent of Police of the 4th grade in the Criminal Intelligence Department, with effect from the 7th December 1916.

H. V. B. HARE SCOTT,
Deputy Director, Criminal Intelligence.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Separate Revenue.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 11th December 1916.

No. 2561-*S. R.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 6 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. D. George, the Superintendent of Customs at the Port of Maungdaw in Burma, to be Superintendent of Customs at the Port of Nilla in the district of Chittagong, in the Presidency of Bengal, *vice* Mr. A. Moultrie, and authorizes him to exercise the powers conferred, and to perform the duties imposed, by the said Act on such officers.

J. DONALD,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

SURVEY OF INDIA—NORTHERN CIRCLE.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated Mussoorie, the 13th December 1916.

No. 7.—Mr. F. B. Powell, Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 1 month, with effect from 15th December 1916, or the subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

C. L. ROBERTSON, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,

Offg. Superintendent, Northern Circle.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 9th December 1916.

No. 219-*G-Camp*.—In Military Accounts Department Gazette Notification No. 91-G-Camp, dated the 27th November 1916, published in Part II of the Gazette of India dated 2nd December 1916, *for* "Lieutenant H. G. W. Chandler, I.A., *read* "Lieutenant-Colonel H. G. W. Chandler, I.A."

The 13th December 1916.

No. 252-*G-Camp*.—Lieutenant A. H. S. Hinchiffe, who has been appointed by the Secretary of State for India to the Military Accounts Department, is posted to the 8th (Lucknow) Division for duty as a probationer under the orders of the Controller of Military Accounts of that division.

No. 253-*G-Camp*.—Mr. Shaikh Ahmed Sahib, Superintendent (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 6th (Poona) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, from the 1st to the 17th September 1916.

No. 254-*G-Camp*.—Mr. A. P. Cody, Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, Burma Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office with effect from the 12th November 1916.

No. 255-*G-Camp*.—Mr. S. Venugopal Chetty, officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 9th (Secunderabad) Division, reverts to his own grade with effect from the 25th November 1916.

No. 256-*G-Camp*.—Mr. S. Vengugopal Chetty, Accountant, 1st grade (provisional), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 9th (Secunderabad) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 27th November 1916.

No. 257-G-Camp.—Mr. Ardeshir Framji, Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 4th (Quetta) Division, is appointed as a temporary Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 29th November 1916.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant General.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 102 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1916.

In the matter of Mahomed Salay Nakwara, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition presented by Moosa Hoosain of Rangoon, a creditor of Mahomed Salay Nakwara, of No. 66, Prome Road, Rangoon, on the 13th day of June 1916 an order of adjudication of Insolvency pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, against the said Mahomed Salay Nakwara was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 15th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 141 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 28th November 1916.

In the matter of Abdul Rahiman, of No. 93, Fraser Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Abdul Rahiman, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 27th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 168 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 28th November 1916.

In the matter of V. Vaithilingam, of No. 15, Judha Ezekeil Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said V. Vaithilingam, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 27th day of November 1916.

CASE No. 202 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 24th November 1916.

In the matter of Frederick Gaughan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Frederick Gaughan, Telegraphist of Elephant Point, Rangoon, on the 24th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Frederick Gaughan.

CASE No. 203 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 27th November 1916.

In the matter of Nagalingam Naidu, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Nagalingam Naidu, No. 21, 38th Street, Rangoon, on the 25th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Nagalingam Naidu.

CASE No. 204 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 29th November 1916.

In the matter of Mahomed Kunju Kaka, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mahomed Kunju Kaka, of No. 285, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 29th day of November 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mahomed Kunju Kaka.

CASE No. 126 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 5th December 1916.

In the matter of Peena Shaik Rowther, Trader of No. 76, 36th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Peena Shaik Rowther, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 5th day of December 1916.

CASE No. 205 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 6th December 1916.

In the matter of V. Lokiah Naidoo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by V. Lokiah Naidoo of No. 48, Dhoby Lines, Rangoon, on the 5th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said V. Lokiah Naidoo.

(*Illegible*),

Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 161 OF 1916.

Dated the 7th December 1916.

Re Alfred Baptist Rorey, residing at No. 16, Suri Lane, Calcutta, yard foreman on the E. B. Railway, Sealdah.

Debtor—In person.

On the 18th day of September 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 186 OF 1916.

Dated the 7th December 1916.

Re Subodh Chander Dutta, residing at No. 65, Manicktolla Street, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on business as Photographers, dealers in Photogoods and Picture Framers under the name and style of Hopsing & Co., at No. 4, Chowringhee in Calcutta aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor. Chatterjee & Co.—Attorneys for the Insolvent.

On the 4th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 188 OF 1916.

Dated the 11th December 1916.

Re Kali Charan Dey Mullick, residing at No. 34/1B, Badur Bagan 2nd Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately a service holder but at present without employment.

Ex parte the debtor. Brojo Lal Mukherjee—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 4th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 189 OF 1916.

Dated the 9th December 1916.

Re Karim Ahmed, residing at No. 33, Phear Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business as Stationer under the name and style of Karim Bux Mahammed Siddiq, No. 72, Canning Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, but at present without employment.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 4th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 190 OF 1916.

Dated the 8th December 1916.

Re Mathura Shah, residing at No. 97, Ahiritollah Street, Kamalpara, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as a petty grocer at the aforesaid place under the name and style of Mathura Shah, but now without any employment.

Ex parte the debtor. K. M. Rakshit & Co.—Attorneys, for the Insolvent.

On the 5th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 191 OF 1916.

Dated the 7th December 1916.

Re Kissenlal and Issurilal, both residing at No. 25, Shib Thakur's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as dealers and traders of spices at No. 71, Burtola Street in Calcutta aforesaid, under the name and style of Ramlal Pearylal, and at present out of employment.

Ex parte the debtor. Dey and Kshatriya—Attorneys for the Insolvents.

On the 6th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as Insolvents.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 192 OF 1916.

Dated the 9th December 1916.

Re Florence Beatrice Rehling, Boarding House-keeper, residing at No. 22, Moonshi Dedar Bux Lane, in the town of Calcutta.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 8th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

SUIT No. 67 OF 1916.

Dated the 1st December 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Mohamed Hussain, son of Mohamed Khan, and Mahmud Khan, son of Mohamed Hussain, Caste Pathan, Delhi, Mori Darwaza, Debtors.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Mohamed Hussain and Mahmud Khan to be adjudicated insolvents has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 19th December 1916.

SUIT No. 68 OF 1916.

Dated the 7th December 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Jagan Nath, son of Sobha Singh, Caste Rajput, of Amritsar present at Delhi, Lakrimandi outside of Ajmaire Gate, Debtor.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Jagan Nath to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 6th January 1917.

SUIT No. 69 OF 1916.

Dated the 8th December 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Behari, son of Kishan Dass, Caste Mali, of Pahari Gali Khari Kui, Delhi, Debtor.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Behari to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 5th January 1917.

SUIT No. 70 OF 1916.

Dated the 8th December 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Shibba, son of Gootan, Caste Kahar Halwae, of Delhi, Mahalla Tokriwalan, Debtor.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Shibba to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 3rd January 1917.

SUIT No. 71 OF 1916.

Dated the 8th December 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Sanwalia, son of Udmi Khan, Caste Mewati, Farashkhana Gali, Chahi Shirin, Delhi, Debtor.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Sanwalia to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 10th January 1917.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

SECTION 44.

Dated the 5th December 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Mohamad Usman, son of Mohamad Ishaq, of Delhi, Debtor.

To

The Creditors.

Take notice that the above named insolvent has applied to the Court for his discharge and that the Court has fixed the 21st day of December 1916 at 10 o'clock for hearing the application.

RAHIM BAKHSH,

Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
691—1916	Bhikhaji Gangaji *alias* Baboo Ganoo Masurkar.	Hindu	Dadar	Temporary Jobber in the Spring Mills	5th	December	1916	5th	December	1916.
692—1916	Laxmibai, widow of Vishram Ramchandra Shetay.	„	Poibowdi Parel	Tobacco License holder	„	„	„	„	„	„
693—1916	Heralal Chaturbhuj Bhandari	„	3rd Bhoiwada	Cotton Broker	6th	„	„	6th	„	„
694—1916	Chhajoolal Sukdeo Bhinda	„	Vithalwadi	Broker in Silver	7th	„	„	7th	„	„
695—1916	Shivram Ramji Gadekar	„	Parel	Lately Jobber in the Swan Mills and now gardener in the service of Motlabai.	„	„	„	„	„	„
696—1916	Wasudeo Ramchandra Kabre	„	Chawl No. 18, Nanaswadi	Clerk in the Bombay Electric Supply and Tramway Co., Ltd.	„	„	„	„	„	„
697—1916	Maganlal Khushalbhai Desai	„	Mugbhat Cross Lane	Mehta in the employ of Messrs. Kilachand Dewchand.	8th	„	„	8th	„	„
698—1916	Narayen Shivram Kotewal	„	Parel	Carpenter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway	„	„	„	„	„	„
699—1916	Manuel Salvador Salema	Portuguese	Bapty Road	Lately Typist in the General Department, Bombay Secretariat, and now unemployed.	9th	„	„	9th	„	„
700—1916	Ramchandra Nana Bhut *alias* Joshi.	Hindu	Parel	Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway	11th	„	„	11th	„	„

702—1916	Krishnarao Laxuman Sir Naik	Hindu	Fanaswadi	Clerk in the employ of Messrs. Whiteaway, Laidlaw and Co., Ltd.	"	"	"	"	"	"
701—1916	Tekchand Dwarkadas Bhatia	"	Jambli Molla No. 242	Lately doing business as dealer and broker in pearl, cloth, grain, etc., at Babrein (Persian Gulf) and now broker in pearls at Bombay.	"	"	"	"	"	"
703—1916	Shaik Ahmed Noormahamed Surti	Mahomedan	Imamwada Nal Bazar	Servant in the employ of Hasan Nathu, Cap Merchant.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT
Bombay, this 11th day of December 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.
In Insolvency.

No. 594 OF 1915.

Dated the 6th December 1916.

Re Madhowji Kheraj Joshi, of Bombay, Hindoo Inhabitant, residing at New Hanman Lane, lately a dealer in cloth and now a servant in the employ of Soonderji Oodhowji Sarma, an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 20th day of September 1915, against the said Insolvent, has been this day annulled.

No. 434 OF 1916.

Dated the 6th December 1916.

Re Dattatraya Waman Lohagaokar, of Bombay, Hindoo Inhabitant, residing at Mugbhat, formerly a Cotton Merchant at Karanja and Akola under the name of Ramchandra Laxumon on his own account and subsequently in partnership with Sawatram Ramprasad under the name of Sawatram Ramprasad at Akola, and lately a Speculator in Cotton, etc., and now a Clerk in the employ of Mulji Jetha & Co., an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 5th day of August 1916 against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

No. 690 OF 1916.

Dated the 6th December 1916.

Re Hyderally Abdul Kayum, of Bombay, Bora Mahomedan, till lately a Chunam merchant but now unemployed, residing at Mazagon outside the Fort of Bombay, an adjudged insolvent.

Ex parte Framji Shapurji Patuck and Ors : the Petitioning creditors.

Whereas the abovenamed Hyderally Abdul Kayum has been this day duly adjudged to have committed an act of Insolvency under Section IX of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909). It is ordered that all the estate and effects of the said Insolvent do vest in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, and it is further ordered that the said Insolvent do, immediately after the service of the order of adjudication upon him, attend the Office of the said Official Assignee.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE COURT OF THE SENIOR SUBORDINATE JUDGE, 1ST CLASS, DELHI.

CIVIL SUIT No. 104 OF 1917.

Mata Din, son of Pt. Janki Pershad
Bhagirat Mal, son of Jai Shankar of Delhi } Plaintiffs,

vrs.

1. Duli Chand, son of Ganeshi Lal
2. Jaggan Nath
3. Baij Nath of Delhi } Defendants.

Claim for rendition of accounts and dissolution of partnership.

It is to be notified for all concerned that the partnership between the Plaintiffs and the Defendants in the firm of Ganeshi Lal Duni Chand and Baij Nath Duni Chand has been dissolved from the 31st day of May 1916.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 12th day of December 1916.

MURARI LAL,
Senior Subordinate Judge, 1st class, Delhi.

IN THE COURT OF BABU AGHORE NATH MUKARJI, JUDGE, SMALL CAUSE COURT, BAREILLY.

SUIT No. 1080 OF 1916.

L. Shiam Sundar Lal, son of L. Ram Dass, Agarwal by caste, of Bareilly Mohalla Bazaria Moti Lal, Plaintiff,

versus

Khushhal Singh Thakur, Naik by caste, father of Mt. Sarsuti, prostitute, City Delhi, Bazar Chawri, Defendant.

To Khushhal Singh, dwelling at City Delhi, Bazar Chawri.

Whereas the plaintiff has instituted a suit against you for Rs. 52-3-9, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some person able to answer all such questions on the 22nd day of December 1916, at 10-30 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the claim; and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce on that day all the witnesses upon whose evidence and all the documents upon which you intend to reply in support of your defence.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 9th day of December 1916.

AGHORE NATH MUKARJI,
Judge of Small Cause Court, City Bareilly.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 6th December 1916.

No. 4335s-Ap.—The following appointments are made *vice* Mr. G. W. Love, Postmaster, Lahore, pay Rs. 600—800, appointed as Presidency Postmaster, Bombay, from the 15th September 1916, and *vice* Mr. J. S. Buckner, Postmaster, Delhi, pay Rs. 500—600, on field service from the 11th September 1916:—

Mr. N. W. Vaughan, Postmaster, Lucknow, pay Rs. 500-600, to be Postmaster, Lahore, pay Rs. 600—800, from the 16th September 1916.

Mr. E. W. Hawkins, Deputy Postmaster, Lahore, pay Rs. 300—400, to hold charge of the current duties of the office of Postmaster, Lahore, in addition to his own, from the 9th September 1916, to 15th September 1916 inclusive.

Mr. H. M. Richardson, Postmaster, Poona, pay Rs. 400—500, to be Postmaster, Lucknow, from the 7th October 1916, and to act as Postmaster, Delhi, on his own pay, from that date and until further orders.

Mr. Bhagirath Lal, Postmaster, Saharanpur, pay Rs. 150—200, and officiating Deputy Postmaster, Lucknow, pay Rs. 200—300, to act as Postmaster, Lucknow, from the 7th September 1916 to 26th September 1916 inclusive.

Mr. T. G. Chiodetti, Postmaster, Agra, pay Rs. 400—500, to act as Postmaster, Lucknow, from the 27th September 1916 and until further orders.

Mr. C. E. White, Postmaster, Meerut, pay Rs. 300—400, to be Postmaster, Ahmedabad, pay Rs. 400—500, from the 7th October 1916 and to act as Postmaster, Agra, on his own pay, from that date and until further orders. He acted as Postmaster, Agra, from the 22nd September 1916 to 6th October 1916 inclusive.

Mr. G. S. Kottawar, Deputy Postmaster, Delhi, pay Rs. 200—300, to act as Postmaster, Delhi, from the 11th September 1916 to 6th October 1916 inclusive.

Mr. N. H. Secretary, Deputy Postmaster, Ahmedabad, pay Rs. 150—200, to act as Postmaster, Ahmedabad, from the 28th September 1916 to 23rd October 1916 inclusive.

Mr. R. R. Peters, Postmaster, Madura, pay Rs. 300-400, to act as Postmaster, Ahmedabad, from the 24th October 1916 and until further orders.

Pundit Rudra Prasad Trivede, Inspector of Post-offices, Meerut Sub-Division, to hold charge of the current duties of the office of Postmaster, Meerut, in addition to his own, from the 21st September 1916 to 29th September 1916, inclusive.

Mr. Walyet Hosain, Postmaster, Gorakhpur, pay Rs. 200-300, to act as Postmaster, Meerut, from the 30th September 1916 to 6th October 1916, inclusive; and to be Postmaster, Meerut, from the 7th October 1916.

Mr. S. Sambasiva Iyer, Deputy Postmaster, Madura, pay Rs. 100-150, to hold charge of the current duties of the office of Postmaster, Madura, in addition to his own, from the 13th October 1916 to 18th October 1916, inclusive; and to act as Postmaster, Madura, from the 19th October 1916 to 8th November 1916, inclusive.

Mr. Mahir Singh, Postmaster, Hyderabad (Sind), pay Rs. 200-300, to act as Postmaster, Madura, from the 9th November 1916 and until further orders.

No. 4342-*s-Ap*.—The following appointments are made for the period noted against each :—

Mr. J. Hogan, Deputy Postmaster-Generel, 3rd grade, to be sub *pro-tem* in the 2nd grade, from the 20th August 1916 and until further orders.

Babu Kali Prasanna Sen, Superintendent of Post-offices, 1st grade, and officiating Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, to be sub *pro-tem* Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Bengal and Assam (Calcutta), from the 1st October 1916 and until further orders.

Simla, the 7th December 1916.

No. 4347-*s-Ap*.—This office Notification No. 4032-s-Ap., dated the 21st November 1916, is cancelled.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 9th December 1916.

No. 2970-*s-E-E*.—Mr. P. N. Biswas, Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, is granted privilege leave for fifteen days, with effect from the 8th November 1916.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 12th December 1916.

No. 6198-*T*.—Mr. W. J. Blackwell, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class, is granted leave on medical certificate for three months with effect from the 28th November 1916, in combination with the privilege leave sanctioned in Notification No. 5699-T., dated the 18th November 1916.

Calcutta, the 13th December 1916.

No 6222-*T*.—Mr. W. J. Benson, Telegraph Master, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, with effect from the 22nd November 1916, vice Mr. H. Marley, officiating Superintendent of Post-offices, Traffic.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 14th December 1916.

No. 6268-*T*.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 30th November 1916 to 13th December 1916.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
		Government Telegraph Office.	
Kalasa . . .	Madras	20th November 1916 . .	Opened.
		Railway Telegraph Offices.	
Anaparthy . . .	Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway.	4th November 1916 . .	Opened.
Asan	East Indian Railway . .	1st November 1916 . .	"
Budha Khera . .	Ditto . .	Ditto . .	"
Jojwa . . .	Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway.	20th November 1916 . .	"
Madlaudha . . .	East Indian Railway .	1st November 1916 . .	"
Pandu Pindara . .	Ditto .	Ditto . .	"
Pilu Khera . . .	Ditto . .	Ditto . .	"
Safidon . . .	Ditto . .	Ditto . .	"
Sewaha . . .	Ditto . .	Ditto . .	"
Thanesor City . .	Ditto . .	1st September 1916 . .	Closed.

The following alteration in the name of a Government Telegraph Office is notified :—
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The following alterations in the names of Railway Telegraph Offices are notified :—

On the Bengal Nagpur Railway—
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On the North Western Railway—
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R. MEREDITH,

Deputy Director-General of Telegraph Traffic.

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Minor, by his mother Guardian SUSHILA BALA DAS GUPTA,
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1, Girish Mukerjee Road, Bhawanipur, Calcutta.

LOST.

The Government Promissory Notes Nos. M018648 for Rs. 5,000 and M023256 for Rs. 500 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 originally standing in the name of the Administrator-General of Madras and the Official Trustee, Madras, respectively and last endorsed to Gladys E. M. Syme, the proprietor by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned securities.

Name of proprietor—GLADYS EILEEN MARGARET SYME,
Residence—16-18, Menads Lane, Purasawalkam.

Abstract statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st January 1916, being the third quarter of the year 1915-16, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1914-15.

PARTICULARS.	For the quarter ending 31st January 1916.			For the quarter ending 31st January 1915.			Increase.			Decrease.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,43,29,018	10	11	1,45,54,573	0	7	......			2,25,554	5	8
ADD INCOME—												
Subscriptions from 1st November to 31st January in the Widows' Fund	73,447	8	6	77,344	5	0	......			3,896	12	6
Subscriptions from 1st November to 31st January in the Children's Fund	27,803	1	0	30,440	0	0	......			2,636	15	0
Fees and stamps	12	0	0	2	0	0	10	0	0	......		
Income and outlay on office buildings and grounds	512	2	0	1,308	15	0	......			796	13	0
Amount at credit of subscribers under Rule 55 transferred to divisible surplus	576	12	0	......			576	12	0	......		
Amount of fine imposed on subscriptions in arrears	3	6	2	0	15	5	2	6	9	......		
Amount of interest charged on subscriptions in arrears	0	9	0	....			0	9	0	......		
Total Income	1,02,355	6	8	1,09,096	3	5	589	11	9	7,330	8	6
GRAND TOTAL	1,44,31,374	1	7	1,46,63,669	4	0	589	11	9	A 2,32,884	14	2
DEDUCT EXPENDITURE—												
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund	1,91,030	13	7	1,96,160	8	2	......			5,129	10	7
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund	94,686	1	9	95,116	5	0	......			430	3	3
Establishment and contingencies (including law charges*)	7,198	9	5*	6,241	1	6	957	7	11	......		
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	11,316	0	9	11,010	3	1	305	13	8	......		
Commission paid for money orders	627	4	6	648	9	0	......			21	4	6
Commission to Messrs. Coutts & Co.	2,683	1	4	2,654	10	0	28	7	4	......		
Total Expenditure	3,07,541	15	4	3,11,831	4	9	1,291	12	1	B 5,581	2	4
Balance in favour of the Fund	1,41,23,832	2	3	1,43,51,837	15	3	—702	1	2	C 2,27,303	11	10
GRAND TOTAL	1,44,31,374	1	7	1,46,63,669	4	0	589	11	9	2,32,884	14	2
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	75,057	9	0	88,278	12	0	......			13,221	3	0

	1916 Widows' Fund.	1916 Children's Fund.	1915 Widows' Fund.	1915 Children's Fund.	Increase Widows' Fund.	Increase Children's Fund.	Decrease Widows' Fund.	Decrease Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers (on 31st January)	706	365	749	388	...	...	43	23
Number of incumbents (on 31st January)	740	809	760	822	...	...	20	13
Number of subscribers sharing abatement (on 1st May)	737	372	777	402	...	...	40	30

	Rs.	A.	P.
A.—Net decrease in grand total of income	2,32,295	2	5
B.—Net decrease in total expenditure	4,289	5	5
C.—Net decrease in balance	2,28,005	13	0

N. HAMILTON, C.A. (Offg.)
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S. B. THOMSON, *Accountant.*

Published by order of the Directors,

J. M. MENDES, *Secretary.*

U. S. F. P. Fund Office, Calcutta, the 14th December 1916.

NOTICE.

The Government Promissory Note No. 081722 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900 for Rs. 100 (interest payable in Calcutta) originally standing in the name of Srikrishna Chakravarty and last endorsed to Srikrishna Chakravarty of Sydabad, District Murshidabad, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Calcutta Treasury where it is enfaced and that application is about to be made for the issue of a duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

SRIKRISHNA CHAKRAVARTY,

of Sydabad, P. O. Khagra, (Murshidabad).

REGISTERED No. C. 696.



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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

Return showing the Wholesale and Retail Prices of Cereals, Pulses, Oilseeds, Sugar (Raw), Salt, etc., in India by Districts for the fortnight ending 15th November 1916

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December 19, 1916 *Director of Statistics*

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SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending the 15th November 1916 as compared with the corresponding period of 1915.

Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 15th November of

Province.	Rice (Common)		Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Burma	100	75	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	86	100	94	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	98
Assam	100	82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	110	100	87	100	123
Bengal	100	89	100	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	86	100	86	100	104	100	100	100	118
Bihar and Orissa	100	82	100	76	100	64	100	66	100	83	100	88	100	70	100	114	100	100	100	116
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	93	100	81	100	78	100	75	100	71	100	86	100	70	100	111	100	86	100	111
Delhi	100	83	100	85	100	84	100	79	100	83	100	94	100	81	100	104	100	58	100	111
Punjab	100	89	100	91	100	93	100	77	100	85	100	97	100	79	100	121	100	77	100	213
North-West Frontier Province	100	90	100	91	100	84	100	75	100	93	100	98	100	78	100	104	100	81	100	148
Sind and Baluchistan	100	98	100	111	100	90	100	91	100	93	100	91	100	91	100	112	100	69	...	...
Bombay	100	94	100	79	100	80	100	92	...	...	100	85	100	85	100	113	100	72	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	91	100	80	...	...	100	92	...	...	100	93	100	77	100	130	...	...	100	126
Madras	100	106	...	...	...	...	100	99	...	...	100	96	100	75	100	108	100	64	100	109
India	100	89	100	88	100	82	100	83	100	85	100	92	100	81	100	111	100	79	100	127

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 15th November 1916 as compared with the previous fortnight.

Index number of prices during the fortnight ending

Province.	Rice (common).		Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	31st Oct 1916	15th Nov. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	31st Oct. 1916	15th Nov. 1916
Burma	100	99	100	103	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	107	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100
Assam	100	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	102	100	100	100	106
Bengal	100	101	100	92	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	102	100	98	100	96
Bihar and Orissa	100	86	100	106	100	105	100	100	100	93	100	100	100	101	100	100	100	96	100	105
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	98	100	102	100	96	100	102	100	93	100	101	100	100	100	101	100	113	100	101
Delhi	100	100	100	102	100	100	100	122	100	113	100	103	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Punjab	100	100	100	103	100	100	100	95	100	99	100	104	100	105	100	108	100	97	100	116
North-West Frontier Province.	100	107	100	101	100	207	100	100	100	106	100	102	100	100	100	115	100	80	100	120
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	88	100	104	100	99	100	109	100	93	100	102	100	112	100	108	100	123	...	...
Bombay	100	105	100	95	100	113	100	94	...	...	100	107	100	100	100	99	100	102	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	106	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	109
Madras	100	106	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	108
India	100	98	100	100	100	117	100	103	100	100	100	102	100	102	100	102	100	101	100	[illegible]

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅐ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the fortnight ending 15th November of the years 1914, 1915 and 1916.

Marts.	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)			Rice (common)			Jawar (*Andropogon sorghum*)			Bajra (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Calcutta	4 5 0	5 0 0	5 10 0	6 3 0	7 8 0	6 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 12
Bombay	4 15 7	6 2 2	...	4 12 8	5 0 6	4 12 2	2 12 0	3 2 0	...	3 7 10	4 2 0	3 7 0	3 7 10	4 0 4	...
Karachi	4 10 0	4 1 4	4 6 0	5 2 6	5 4 0	5 5 0	3 0 0	3 4 6	3 1 0	3 4 0	3 9 9	3 9 0	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	5 10 1	5 4 10	5 10 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 4	4 13 5	5 0
Rangoon	4 14 2	...	4 15 5	3 8 3	4 7 7	3 9 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 14 1	3 14 10	4 12
Dacca	...	...	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 13 0	5 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna	3 7 6	5 0 0	4 6 0	3 12 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	2 5 0	3 8 0	2 12 0	3 5 0	...	...	3 1 0	3 8 0	3 13
Ranchi	4 8 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 14
Cuttack	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 4 0	3 15 4	3 15 4	4 8 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 11	4 5 8	3 15
Benares	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 9 10	5 1 6	6 0 7	5 11 7	...	3 10 8	3 7 10	...	3 14 11	3 3 1	3 1 7	4 0 1	4 3
Cawnpore	4 2 0	4 14 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	2 9 0	2 10 0	3 8 0	2 11 0	3 1 0	3 5 0	4 4
Meerut	4 0 0	4 11 3	4 13 6	5 8 3	5 11 0	5 8 3	2 10 6	...	...	2 13 0	...	3 3 3	3 2 3	3 3 0	3 13
Agra	4 7 1	5 5 4	5 5 6	6 6 4	6 10 8	5 11 5	2 8 0	...	2 9 3	2 9 3	3 11 6	2 13 8	3 5 4	3 5 4	4 3
Lucknow	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 1	2 6 9	3 10 2	2 12 2	2 8 0	3 10 2	2 12 2	2 10 8	3 8 10	4 3
Ferozepur	3 13 0	4 5 3	4 11 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 0 0	...	3 7 9	...	2 13 9	...	3 8 0	3 0 3	3 4 3	3 13
Lahore	4 1 6	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 2 6	5 14 9	3 1 3	3 1 3	...	3 7 6	4 13 6	3 10 3	3 3 3	3 3 3	4 0
Amritsar	3 9 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 13 6	5 8 0	5 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 4 3	4 0
Rawalpindi	3 15 0	4 9 0	4 3 0	5 2 9	5 14 0	5 10 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 5 3	3 7 0	3 11
Lyallpur	3 15 6	4 4 0	4 9 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 14
Ambala	3 15 0	4 9 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	2 13 0	3 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 1 0	2 15 0	3 13
Delhi	4 1 6	4 13 0	5 6 0	5 8 0	6 10 0	6 7 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 12 0	3 13 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 4 0	4 1
Peshawar	3 12 7	4 6 2	3 15 7	5 9 5	6 2 5	5 9 0	2 [illegible] 8	3 9 10	1 12 11	3 3 9	3 11 6	3 9 10	3 5 10	3 8 0	3 8
Quetta	4 13 0	4 13 3	4 5 6	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 4 6	2 13 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poona	...	5 6 8	...	5 12 4	6 7 4	5 6 7	...	2 13 7	3 0 3	3 9 9	3 9 9	3 5 4	3 12 8	4 3 4	5 6
Ahmednagar	3 8 1	4 5 7	...	...	5 6 5	...	2 0 0	2 7 3	2 1 0	2 13 7	2 12 8	2 8 1	3 6 4	4 1 4	4 12
Ahmedabad	4 5 0	5 1 2	5 2 0	6 12 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	2 4 0	3 5 4	2 14 0	2 14 0	4 0 0	3 6 0	3 8 0	3 11 6	4 4
Nagpur	3 11 7	4 10 5	4 11 4	4 2 1	4 3 8	4 3 8	2 5 0	2 6 5	3 0 8	...	...	...	3 7 6	3 14 0	5 0
Jubbulpur	4 0 10	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 3 4	5 0 0	4 7 1	...	...	3 1 2	...	...	...	3 10 2	4 1 7	4 7
Godavari	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malabar	...	...	...	5 2 11	5 1 0	5 3 1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Burma*—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	37·43	5[illegible]·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy		...	38·55	32·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	..	...	32·93	49·23	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	35·16	44·76	48·35	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	35·16	4[illegible]·07	82·05	88·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	34·41	49·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	..	...	35·75	41·29	68·08	68·08	...	..	...	...	...	...		..	...
Toungoo	...	...	34·41	46·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	..	32·99	46·72	50·39	51·61	...	...	...	...	19·69	...	...	...	...
Pakókku	...	...	35·75	51·61	...	71·91	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	.	42·11	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*—															
Surma—															
Sylhet (Balaganj)	20	30	45	55	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	22·5	30	42·5	50	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	26·25	22,5	49·69	55	...	...	...	...	..		...	...	...	...	...
Bengal*—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	...	...	52·5	52·5	...		...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Dacca	30	37·5	60	67 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	32·5	37·5	61·87	75	43·12	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	32·5	36·25	42·19	52·5	46·25	56·25	...	..	-	...	...		.	...	...
Midnapore	26·25	25	52·5	55	55	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Northern—															
Pabna	26·87	31·25	54·37	61·25	38·12	47·5	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...
Rangpur	30	22·5	57·5	70	55	52·5	...	...		.	...	...	...	..	...
Bihar and Orissa*—															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpur	.	...	45	49·06	50	53·12	...	...	40	45	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	61·56	66·56	38·12	53·12	...	...	25	31·87	...	...		...	...
Bihár, south—															
Patna	...	...	37·5	53·75	31·69	50	...	...	26·25	40·94	23·12	35	33·12	...	...
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	39·58	·58	40·73	50·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
(a) Agra—															
Eastern—															
Benares	27·13	28·23	50·94	60·86	39·32	48·91	47·13	58·07	27·86	37·97	...	36·67	...	39·32	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	22·5	26·25	51·25	52·5	41·25	48·75	48·12	55	29·37	36·25	22·5	30	26·25	35	...
Jhánsi	...	...	51·41	...	41·41	48·91	..	...	26·09	34·53	20·47	28·59	28·28	34·37	...
Western—															
Meerut	28·59	...	55·16	53·16	40	...	44·37	...	31·41	[illegible]	26 56	...	26·12	...	...
Agra	...	61·51	63·96	66·67	44·43	58·33	52·45	61·51	30·73	35·52	25	...	25·78	37·19	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	20·94	25	34·37	46·25	39·06	49·37	44·37	51·56	27·5	33·44	22·5	...	26·25	34·06	...
(b) Oudh—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	40	50	40	50	48·44	58·96	25·78	...	24·22	36·35	25	36·35	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	23·28	30·62	54·06	61·41	39·06	51·98	...	...	...	40	...	...	..	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	Mergui
...	...	...	61·54	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	..	...	65·98	59·26	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	38·79	39·26	57·14	64·65	49·61	62·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	60·95	68·82	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	47·06	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	18·71	21·24	35·96	40·76	64·65	68·82	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	34·41	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	72·73	57·14	...	72·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	62·5	...	...	Sylhet (Balaganj)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	47·5	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43·75	52·5	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	50	55	70	70	...	...	...	...	100	80	65	65	Chittagong
..	...	...	...	...	60	70	...	..	...	...	70	100	65	70	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	36·25	38·75	52·5	65	...	...	...	...	62·5	55	50	57·5	Calcutta
															Western—
.	...	...	38·75	45	55	60	...	...	...	...	70	55	52·5 to 60	50	Burdwan
...	...	..	38·75 to 41·25	46·25	52·5 to 65	75	...	.	..	...	55	52·5	57·5 to 62·5	75	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	67·5	86·25	...	...	...	...	56·25	46·25	60	62·5	Pabna
...	...	...	76·25	70	75	67·5	...	...	...	...	...	.	55	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa
															Bihar, north—
...	25	28·75	40	42·5	42·5	78·12	30	42·5	...		60	52·5	50 and 52·5	50 and 52·5	Bhágalpur
...	25	30	32·66	38·12	50	66·56	25	42·03	...	..	...	...	...	..	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
30	24·69	31·25	30·62	35	44·06	59·37	23·12	45		...	69·37	55	49·37	52·5	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	38·07	43·54	55·62	68·07	33·85	43·54	...	.	...	...	61·04	75	Cuttack
															United Provinces
															(a) Agra—
															Eastern—
..	26·25	31·15	30·99	40·05	42·4	62·97	...	...	...	...	50·05	48·38	51·2	47·92	Benares
															Central—
...	22·5	30	30·62	38·12	44·37	53·12	42·5	52·5	22·5	28·75	75	50	50	46·25	Cawnpore
...	19·74	27·10	30·16	30·57	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	...	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	28·59	...	31·41	...	45·62	...	...	...	...	...	53·12	...	42·19	...	Meerut
...	23·40	...	33·33	33·33	57·13	68·96	...	...	24·22	25	59·22	50	48·44	53·33	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	...	26·87	28·59	35·16	40	56·87	...	...	28·75	22·5	66·56	46·87	44·69	48·75	Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
															Southern—
...	21·09	31·98	26·67	35·52	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	45·1	50	...	Lucknow
															Northern—
..	22·19	31·25	26·72	38·75	43·12	61·56		...	..	...	...	...	...	...	Fyzabad

TABLE No. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER—*continued.*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915
Burma—														
Tenasserim—														
Mergui	...	...	581·82	640	...	...	27·47	21·26	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25·7	25·7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457·14	457·14	...	...	24·62	32	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—														
Rangoon	...	...	581·82	581·82	...	...	32·47	28·19	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	492·31	492·31	...	...	40	53·78	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·71	32	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—														
Henzada	...	...	533·33	492·31	...	...	35·75	50	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·16	45·07	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—														
Mandalay	...	...	640	640	...	...	39·02	36·57	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakókku	...	...	581·82	581·82	...	...	45·39	46·72	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—														
Akyab	...	...	711·11	581·82	...	...	30·77	36·36	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—														
Surma—														
Sylhet (Balaganj)	...	...	525	500	70	110	36·25	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—														
Goálpára	...	...	550	500	85	82·5	33·75	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	...	...	570	500	78·75	90	33·75	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—														
Eastern—														
Chittagong	...	...	540	580	85	90	28·75	23·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	560	590	105	120	31·25	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—														
Calcutta	...	...	530	490	72·5	85	23·75	22·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—														
Burdwan	...	...	500	450	60 to 85	61·25	25·62	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	550 to 600	520	85	85	31·25	26·56	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—														
Pabna	...	...	580	550	...	113·12	30	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	560	540	100	70	40	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—														
Bihar, north—														
Bhágalpur	82·5	80	600	480	70	70	30	23·75	140	120	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	533·12	457·5	50	40	26·56	25	160	266·56	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—														
Patna	49·37	50	470	410	55	72·5	30	23·75	15	20	...	...	5	...
Orissa—														
Cuttack	65·62	75	533·33	495·21	68·59	53·31	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	5·62
United Provinces—														
(a) Agra—														
Eastern—														
Benares	52·4	48·91	510·26	510·26	62·97	102·5	29·32	24·48	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—														
Cawnpore	75	57·5	490	440	75	80	21·87	17·5	112·5	102·5	140	65	...	...
Jhánsi	46·56	47·03	492·5	400	61·56	84·16	22·19	20·47	...	...	...	...	2·5	5
Western—														
Meerut	...	...	501·87	...	56·87	...	20·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	69·53	61·51	492·29	426·67	80	84·17	20	17·34	120	160	150	115	7·5	10
Submontane, west—														
Shahjahanpur	47·08	57·19	450	480	72·5	48·75	17·5	19·37	180	170	120 and 140	80 and 90	...	...
(b) Oudh—														
Southern—														
Lucknow	...	...	490	470	...	...	24·22	20	...	...	...	90	...	...
Northern—														
Fyzabad	...	...	480	440	50	...	25	20·78	...	...	...	...	3·12	...

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw		Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
														Burma—
														Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	18·29	26·78	...	...	...	...	2·62	2·81	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9	...	...	...	...	2·56	2·25	Moulmein and Amherst
														Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	32·99	32·99	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·43	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·67	Bassein
														Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
														Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·83	28·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·06	Pakókku
														Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·44	Akyab
														Assam—
														Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·95	1·92	Sylhet (Balaganj)
														Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 37	2·69	Goálpara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·03	2·19	Gauhati
														Bengal—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·81	1·81	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·81	2·28	Dacca
														Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·59	2·17	Calcutta
														Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·78	2·28	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·16	Midnapur
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·81	2·19	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 87	2·5	Rangpur
														Bihar and Orissa—
														Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	...	...	25	35	...	...	...	...	2·87	1·98	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	...	10	10	25	30·78	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·05	Muzaffarpur
														Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	11·25	11·25	18·12	22·5	...	...	...	...	2·03	2	Patna
														Orissa—
5·62	5·62	...	...	...	...	7·5	7·5	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·22	Cuttack
														United Provinces—
														(a) Agra—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	24·27	28·59	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·5	Benares
														Central—
...	...	...	...	10	7·19	25	28·75	65	55	...	...	2·97	2·41	Cawnpore
5	2·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·12	2·22	Jhánsi
														Western—
...	...	...	...	10	...	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	Meerut
12·5	12·5	...	...	6·67	10	30·78	30·16	...	...	160	80	3·06	2·69	Agra
														Submontane, west—
...	...	...	...	10	10	33·12	40	40 and 70	60 and 70	50 and 80	50 and 80	3·12	2·55	Shahjahánpur
														(b) Oudh—
														Southern—
...	...	...	...	7·34	10	22·5	24·37	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·47	Lucknow
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	11·87	11·25	...	...	...	...	50	5	3	2·44	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER—*continued*

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1916	1915	1916	1915*	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Rajputana—															
Eastern—															
Ajmer (a)	...	26·67	...	...	...	54·48	...	...	...	40·94	...	34·01	...	43·12	...
Delhi—															
Delhi	..	...	55	66·25	40·94	48·12	46·87	52·5	30·62	36·82	27·5	35	27·5	38·12	...
Punjab—															
Southern—															
Ferozepur	25·78	30·75	50	157·19	38·12	43·28	40	47·03	30·78	32·03	...	34·84	28·59	...	...
Central—															
Lahore	25	30·78	47·03	51·56	40·94	44·37	44·37	50	29·69	29·69	30·78	30·78	31·69	48·44	...
Submontane—															
Amritsar	26·25	30	48·44	55	35·62	43·13	42·61	45·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Rawalpindi	...	...	51·72	58·75	39·37	45·62	44·37	50	26·25	31·87	25	32·5	30	40	...
Western—															
Lyallpur	...	...	52·5	55	39·69	42·5	44·06	46·25	28·75	31·87	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	27·5	28·75	45·62	48·75	39·06	43·28	43·12	46·87	31·25	34·69	25	33·59	27·19	36·41	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshâwar	...	...	55·88	61·51	37·86	48·85	48·28	44·74	23·44	29·74	21·67	36·15	32·34	37·19	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	63·44	71·09	43·49	45·73	49·22	49·22	31·41	35·47	26·25	27·97	28·44	34·22	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karâchi	...	...	51·56	52·5	46·25	40·83	...	...	...	...	30	32·81	32·5	36·09	...
Shikârpur	28·12	29·58	70·94	...	42·81	41·56	...	...	35·94	41·87	27·5	33·75	30	37·5	...
Quetta (a)	...	...	...	...	46·25 to 50	47·34 to 49·22	70 to 75	78·75 to 85	34·69	36·25	33·75	32·81	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan—															
Bombay	37·19	29·74	47·92	50·31	49·74	61·35	...	...	33·85	43·34	27·5	31·25	34·9	41·25	...
Deccan and Karnâtak—															
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	36·56	39·32	...	...	...	...	23·8	22·86	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	50·62	49·06	35·58	46·2	...	...	...	...	21·51	21·04	23·38	29·06	...
Poona	..	...	57·71	64·58	...	54·17	...	...	41·67	45·36	...	28·49	36·09	36·09	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—															
Ahmednagar	...	..	...	51·01	35·05	48·49	...	...	...	...	30	24·58	28·49	27·92	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	38·59	43·33	...	...	...	...	...	28·65	31·77	31·77	...
Gujarat—															
Surat	...	...	...	...	...	52·6	...	...	...	...	...	36·77	...	41·09	...
Ahmedabad	..	...	67·5	65	43·12	50·78	...	...	26·12	33·12	22·5	33·33	28·75	40	...
Central Provinces—															
Western—															
Nagpur	...	...	41·31	42·31	37·25	46·5	50	66·69	...	...	23·12	24	...	...	...
Central—															
Jubbulpore	...	...	42·06	50	40·5	51·62	51·62	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern—															
Raipur	35	37	40	39	36	44	44	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	42·56	46·37	38·87	46·62	...	...	...	...	19·62	23·31	...	...	...
Amrâoti	...	...	42·19	49·69	40·44	48·56	...	...	...	...	22·19	25·31	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central—															
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31·1	31·9	...	34·1	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·9
Central—															
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23·9	23·1	...	...	...
Cuddapah	39·6	39·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	28	30·5	25·9	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—															
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·5
East Coast, south—															
Madras	30·4	31·1	56·3	58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	35·6	...	47·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26·8
Southern—															
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·3	35	40·4	35·1	...
Mysore (a)—															
Mysore	22	25	56	62	50	56	60	60	...	...	24	24	...	...	25
Bangalore	23	24	60	56	54	56	67·76	67·76	...	...	28	28	...	...	28

* The figures under "Rices, husked," represent the price of cleaned rice

(a) Figures have not so far been reported

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dal		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Rajputana—
															Eastern—
...	...	35·57	...	37·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94·06	...	...	Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	27·5	33·12	30·62	32·5	42·5	52·5	...	...	25	25	60	52·5	47·5	50	Delhi
															Punjab—
															Southern—
...	25·78	30·78	30·16	32·66	66·72	80	...	...	28·59	29·69	66·72	66·72	...	...	Ferozpur
															Central—
...	28·59	33·28	32·03	32·03	48·44	61·56	34·69	48·44	33·28	29·69	55·16	55·16	45·78	53·28	Lahore
															Submontane—
...	...	...	31·25	32·66	...	...	...	...	27·19	27·5	45	...	51·25	...	Amritsar
															Northern—
...	28·75	33·75	33·28	34·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	62·5	47·5	40	45	Rāwalpindi
															Western—
...	21·25	...	31·25	31·25	...	...	...	...	25·62	27·5	..	...	52·5	46·25	Lyallpur
...	23·75	29·53	31·25	31·25	60	76·25	33·12	36·67	26·87	27·66	55	50	47·5	52·5	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	27·97	30·05	33·65	35	43·07	58·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	41·56	47·4	Peshāwar
...	31·41	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·13	25·47	...	...	...	...	Karāchi
...	...	...	32·5	35·62	56·25	65	...	...	29·37	26·25	...	...	35·62	...	Shikarpur
...	34·37 to 38·75	39·22	...	...	65 to 78·75	67·5 to 77·5	...	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
															Konkan—
...	...	...	34·9	40·21	55·31	62·5	37·5	50	26·51	23·49	76·77	58·91	...	...	Bombay
															Deccan and Karnātak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·45	...	...	...	...	...	Dharwar
...	...	...	31·85	41·56	47·76	64·79	...	...	25	16·67	68·8	47·19	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	37·94	42·08	50·73	...	36·46	...	...	22·81	...	...	...	...	Poona
															Khandesh and N.-E Deccan—
...	...	..	33·96	40·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54·48	...	...	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	41·04	41·04	...	...	...	...	...	18·38	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
															Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	35	37·19	65	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
															Western—
...	...	...	34·69	38·75	48·94	53·06	...	...	21·25	18·12	60·62	57·5	...	...	Nagpur
															Central—
..	...	...	36·37	41	45·69	59·25	44·44	44·44	28·56	21·06	69·56	48·5	...	...	Jubbulpore
															Eastern—
...	...	...	32	34·75	41	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Raipur
															Berar—
...	...	...	32·19	34·12	39·62	54·19	...	...	19·06	14·06	67·56	...	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	36·12	37·25	40·44	52	...	...	20	16·44	79·69	...	...	...	Amráoti
															Madras—
															South, central—
...	...	...	55·8	60·7	...	...	...	...	36	32	...	...	...	...	Coimbatore
29·9	...	...	...	...	40·4	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
															Central—
...	...	...	46·3	46·3	35·8	46·3	...	...	28·8	28·8	...	...	...	...	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddāpah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
															East Coast, central—
24·5	...	...	...	...	30·6	47·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nellore
															East Coast, south—
...	...	...	42·1	48·4	...	...	58·3	61·7	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
26·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
															Southern—
...	...	...	...	...	35	37·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madura
															Mysore—
25	...	...	21·5	34	60	80	70	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
24	...	...	30	32	56	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER—*concluded*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915
Rajputana—														
Eastern—														
Ajmer(*a*)	...	61·56	...	549·11	...	100	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	18·07
Delhi—														
Delhi	52·5	70	540	520	56·87	97·5	19·37	17·5	80	80	180	115	10	10
Punjab—														
Southern—														
Ferozpur	...	66·72	533·28	474·06	* 66·72	106·72	30·78	20	123·12	133·28	122·97	94·06	...	...
Central—														
Lahore	59·22	66·72	640	533·28	72·66	76·25	35·41	15·94	114·22	114·22	152·84	114·22	10	10
Submontane—														
Amritsar	60	65	600	500	62·5	80	35	14·69	...	...	155	80	...	...
Northern—														
Rávalpindi	...	...	600	452·5	56·87	90	31·87	13·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—														
Lyallpur	...	...	560	487·5	50	75	31·87	15	...	...	...	...	...	10
Multan	55	60	525	446·25	57·5	72·66	33·91	16·72	110	110	190	137·5	10	8·12
N.-W. Frontier Province—														
Peshávar	...	...	483·02	492·29	81·51	82·03	20·21	15·36	110·36	136·15	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	624·37	569·06	49·22	80	26·04	15·94	...	...	...	...	...	12·5
Sind and Baluchistan—														
Karáchi	...	...	...	480	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	586·25	510	62·5	90	...	...	...	58·75	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	550 to 570	480 to 550	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—														
Konkan—														
Bombay	65·73	65·73	592·85	517·86	97·97	125·16	...	...	...	...	157·81	91·15	9·63	19·22
Deccan and Karnátak—														
Dharwar	...	...	...	...	62·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	450	433·85	85·68	127·34	...	...	133·59	...	158·59	...	...	...
Poona	63·91	...	...	470·16	82·45	117·55	...	...	210·52	203·49	129·84	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—														
Ahmednagar	58·54	53·33	450	458·33	88·33	91·67	...	...	...	...	150	94·17	...	...
Dhulia	...	54·58	...	410	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat—														
Surat	...	...	...	454·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	560	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—														
Western—														
Nagpur	64·44	...	533·31	466·69	...	...	27·5	21·87	93·31	..	125	95	...	...
Central—														
Jubbulpore	51·62	47·06	460	410	...	...	28·5	22·19	80	80	177·75	88·87	4·44	...
Eastern—														
Raipur	..	...	470	420	...	...	29	26·25	160	140	90	66	...	...
Berar—														
Akola	54·75	52·37	533·31	400	.	...	26·62	18·27	100	95·25	...	...	...	...
Amráoti	61·5	61·56	560	400	...	...	25	20	142·19	124·44	...	...	...	...
Madras—														
South, central—														
Coimbatore	72·4	77·5	503·1	487·8	70·4	105·6	17·5	19·5	...	...	192	96	...	...
Salem	...	...	483	488	...	...	...	...	171·3	171·3	85·7	91·4	...	...
Central—														
Bellary	62	77·3	537·2	507·9	67·5	111·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	526·3	427·7	...	...	...	..	...	...	143·3	80·7	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82·3	164·5	140·1	75·2	...	...
East Coast, central—														
Nellore	...	...	466·7	450	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—														
Madras	...	70·8	559·6	559·6	64·2	98·8	15·2	14·1	136·6	131·7	118·5	74·1	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	466·7	...	...	23·4	17·3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	540·5	574·3	...	...	20·6	17·5	123·4	123·4	...	...	...	...
Southern—														
Madura	66·7	84·2	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	..
Mysore—														
Mysore	72	72	480	493·7	102·86	111·41	...	...	214·27	205·68	137·13	77·13	5·1	4·79
Bangalore	64	60	548·54	582·86	77·13	120	...	...	240	274·27	86·2	102·86	8·8	8·8

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 103 per 10 maunds.

(*a*) Figures have not so far been reported

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw 1916	Straw 1915	Jawar stalks 1916	Jawar stalks 1915	Bhusa (white) 1916	Bhusa (white) 1915	Bran 1916	Bran 1915	Sheep, per score 1916	Sheep, per score 1915	Plough bullocks, per pair 1916	Plough bullocks, per pair 1915	Kerosene oil, per tin 1916	Kerosene oil, per tin 1915	Districts
														Rajputana— *Eastern—*
...	8·59	...	14·53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80 to 90	...	2·56	Ajmer
														Delhi—
...	...	5	15·62	11·25	8·75	22·5	25	80	50	200	150	2·28	2·19	Delhi
														Punjab— *Southern—*
...	...	...	...	7·97	8·91	25	23·44	142	112·5	225	175	3·19	2·59	Ferozepur
														Central—
...	...	...	...	11·41	8·91	28·59	27·5	150	150	170	170	3·16	2·62	Lahore
														Submontane—
...	...	...	...	11·25	9·37	22·5	25	120	120	...	110	3·26	2·75	Amritsar
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	12·5	10*	...	...	90	90	120	120	3·41	2·44	Ráwalpindi
														Western—
...	...	...	...	10	7·97	23·12	27·5	112	100	140	140	3·22	2·81	Lyallpur
...	...	5	3·28	10	6·41	23·44	25	110	100	...	...	3·12	2·67	Multan
														N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	...	...	...	5·78	6·77	23·23	26·77	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·44	2·92	Peshâwar
...	...	...	...	14·37	11·41	27·97	36·78	...	...	...	...	3·62	2·87	Dera Ismael Khan
														Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·72	2·22	Karáchi
...	...	...	...	9·37	6·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·51	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	11·87	7·55	29·06	29·06	120 to 220	100 to 200	...	...	2·97	2·5	Quetta
														Bombay— *Konkan—*
...	...	...	...	...	...	20·52	26·77	...	...	...	...	2·84	2·28	Bombay
														Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	2·94	2·37	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·09	2·09	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·59	...	...	...	...	2·8	2·3	Poona
														Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34·27	...	...	...	...	2·08	2·06	Ahmadnagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·89	2·41	Dhulia
														Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	...	26·25	22·5	...	...	...	...	3·25	2·5	Ahmedabad
														Central Provinces— *Western—*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55 to 75	...	130 to 195	...	2·55	2·19	Nagpur
														Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30·75	60	60	70	70	2·10	1·87	Jubbulpore
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·25	2·25	Raipur
														Berar—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97	88	60	56	2·31	2·19	Akola
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	50	70	50	2·31	2·19	Amráoti
														Madras— *South, Central—*
7·7	7·7	4	4	...	...	90·4*	90·4*	...	...	60	60	2·08	2·25	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	...	2·73	2·14	Salem
														Central—
...	...	10·3	10·3	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	140	140	3	2·83	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·84	2·24	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·31	2·75	Karnul
														East Coast, Central—
5·7	5·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	1·79	Nellore
														East Coast, south—
...	...	...	...	...	...	27·9	31·6	195†	195†	...	...	2·03	1·78	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	13·6	5·3	170†	90†	...	...	2·71	2·23	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	...	38·2	41·1	...	...	...	...	3·1	2·52	Trichinopoly
														Southern—
15	15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	60	60	2·69	2·06	Madura
														Mysore—
5·1	5·1	4·43	4·43	...	...	40	40	50 to 100	100	50 to 100	100	3·5	2·78	Mysore
8·8	8·8	4·27	...	...	...	33·8	33·8	160	160	120 to 150	120 to 150	2·62	2·62	Bangalore

* Superior quality † Sheep or goat

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half month of report	Previous half month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	10 1	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 1	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Maubin	4 10	4 10	..	...	9 12	9 2	11 3	10 7	...	...	...	...
Bassein	..	.	..	...	11 3	9 11	11 8	10 6	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharrawadi	...	..	...	...	8 10	8 10	11 7	11 7	...	...	...	...
Henzada	5 9	5 9	...	..	10 —	10 —	10 12	10 12	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	11 3	11 8	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 8	11 3	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	..	...	9 12	9 2	10 9	10 —	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	7 8	7 12	...	...	8 9	8 9	11 8	11 8	17 14	17 14	...	...
Bhamo	...	..	...	..	9 2	8 9	9 12	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	...	..	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 7	14 —	14 —	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	9 2	9 2	12 12	12 12	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu	3 8	3 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	..	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	8 —	...	...	...	...	...
Cachar	4 —	4 —	...	...	5 4	5 —	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 8	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	6 8	{ 6 — to 8 12 }	...	...	...	...
Manipur	15 —	14 —	...	...	20 —	16 —	22 —	17 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	8 8	8 —	...	...	4 4	4 8	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati)	7 —	7 —	...	...	5 12	5 10	7 12	7 14	...	...	...	...
Darrang	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	..	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 6	7 8	...	...	...	...
Backergunj	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 14	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	6 8	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 14	5 14	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	..	...	6 11	6 10	...	...	...	...
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay or Bunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	...	...	4 15	4 15	10 2	10 2	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	6 4	7 —	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 15	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 9	9 9	Tharrawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Henzada
...	...	...	...	9 1	9 11	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	9 8	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	4 13	4 13	8 5	8 5	Thayetmyo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	10 11	11 2	18 5	18 5	5 14	5 14	8 9	8 9	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakôkku
...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	42 12	42 12	15 10	15 10	9 6	9 6	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 4	11 6	11 6	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	...	...	...	...	10 —	11 —	Akyab
												Assam—
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	..	6 8	6 8	10 8	10 8	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	5 12	5 8	11 —	11 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	8 14	8 14	6 4	6 4	9 12	9 12	Khási and Jáintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	19 —	19 —	4 8	4 —	9 —	8 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	11 —	11 —	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	9 —	8 —	..	...	7 —	6 8	10 8	11 —	Kámrúp (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	9 —	9 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	7 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 —	9 —	10 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	6 —	5 8	10 —	10 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 4	5 —	9 —	9 —	Lakhimpur
												Bengal—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 8	10 8	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 8	12 8	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 12	11 12	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...		...	...	...	...	6 4	6 —	12 —	12 —	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 8	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	11 8	11 8	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 1	7 1	11 —	11 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	12 8	12 8	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 4	13 —	13 8	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 8	10 8	12 —	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 11	8 6	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur	8 —	9 6	10 —	12 12	...	...	...	7 6	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	9 14	9 14	14 4	14 4	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	10 —	10 —	15 8	15 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Sáran	10 —	9 8	14 —	13 —	...	...	9 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Champáran	11 —	9 8	19 —	18 —	...	...	9 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas	7 4	7 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	11 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Gaya	9 8	9 8	12 —	12 8	...	...	9 —	8 8	13 —	13 —	...	...
Patna	11 8	11 8	15 —	15 8	...	...	10 8	10 —	16 8	16 8	12 —	12 —
Shahabad	9 8	9 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Manbhum	9 8	10 —	10 8	11 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	10 —
Ranchi	9 8	9 12	12 —	10 —	...	...	8 6	8 6	...	...	10 —	10 —
Palámau	9 13½	10 2	12 6	12 15	...	...	8 7	8 7	...	...	...	...
Hazaribágh	8 —	8 8	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	7 12	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	8 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	9 10	9 8	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	...	...	8 14	...	...	...	...
Balasore	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...	11 —	10 2	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	9 8	9 —	12 —	12 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	15 —	15 —	12 —	12 —
Benares	9 12	9 10	13 13	13 9	5 9	5 7	7 7	7 5	...	...	...	...
Ghazipur	9 8	9 8	11 14	11 14	5 4	5 4	8 3	8 1	15 11	14 4	13 12	11 12
Jaunpur	9 14	9 14	13 14	13 6	3 12	3 12	7 6	7 —	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	9 12	9 8	13 8	12 8	4 8	4 8	8 4	8 2	15 8	15 —	13 4	13 8
Central—												
Bánda	9 10	10 4	12 12	12 6	5 —	5 —	8 10	8 8	17 8	17 8	15 8	15 8
Fatehpur	10 4	10 —	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	15 —	...
Hamirpur	9 2	9 2	10 2	10 2	4 12	4 12	6 12	6 12	15 8	15 8	13 14	13 14
Jalaun	12 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	7 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	14 8	...
Cawnpore	9 4	9 8	13 —	13 4	...	...	7 —	6 13	16 12	16 12	14 —	14 8
Jhansi	9 6½	10 1	15 1¼	16 —	4 13½	4 13	7 8½	7 12	19 4½	18 15	16 15	16 9
Etáwah	9 11	9 4	13 10	12 14	3 —	3 —	9 —	8 —	14 10	15 —	14 —	14 —
Farrukhabad	9 14	9 14	13 10	13 5	4 1	4 1	8 14	8 8	...	...	13 10	14 5
Mainpuri	9 4	9 8	12 4	12 8	4 —	5 —	9 —	8 8	14 —	15 —	14 —	14 —
Etah	10 —	9 8	12 8	12 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	13 8	13 8
Western—												
Meerut	9 12	10 8	12 8	13 —	3 —	3 —	7 4	7 4	14 8	16 8	14 —	15 —
Agra	8 12	9 —	12 8	...	6 —	5 8	...	...	16 —	16 8	15 —	15 8
Muttra	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 12	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	16 —	16 —	17 —	17 —
Aligarh	9 8	9 12	12 —	12 8	3 8	3 8	5 —	5 —	15 —	14 —	14 —	14 —
Bulandshahr	9 4	10 —	12 4	12 —	3 —	3 —	5 7	5 —	15 8	14 8	12 —	14 8
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	9 10	10 6	15 10	13 —	5 13	5 3	8 7	8 7	13 —	13 10	12 5	10 6
Azamgarh	9 8	9 8	14 8	13 —	6 —	6 —	9 4	9 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	11 2	11 6	14 —	14 8	7 4	7 10	10 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Basti	11 —	11 4	15 8	15 —	6 8	6 8	11 4	11 —	...	...	...	...

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	6 8	6 —	11 12	13 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	7 —	...	13 4	13 —	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	7 —	7 —	13 12	12 12	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 8	10 8	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 12	9 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 —	10 8	12 —	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...		...	...	...	6 10	6 10	12 —	11 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	9 8	9 8	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12	4 8	8 —	8 8	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	20 —	16 —	6 8	6 8	12 —	11 —	Purnea
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 5	16 —	14 9	9 4	10 10	13 1	14 8	Bhágalpur
13 3	13 3	...	..	12 1	13 3	15 6	15 6	7 11 to 8 4	7 11 to 8 4	12 1	12 1	Darbhanga
...		...	...	12 —	12 —	15 8	14 8	7 8	7 —	14 8	14 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	14 —	18 —	17 —	14 —	12 —	10 —	13 —	12 —	Sáran
...	16 —	...	..	11 —	12 4	19 8	18 —	7 —	6 12	11 —	12 —	Champáran
												Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	20 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	12 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 8	14 —	16 —	10 —	10 8	12 4	12 4	Monghyr
20 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12	17 —	15 —	8 8	9 —	12 4	13 12	Gaya
...	...	11 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	16 —	16 —	9 —	9 12	12 8	13 —	Patna
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	13 —	12 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	13 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	11 —	11 —	Singbhum
..	..	...	..	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	9 —	8 —	11 —	12 —	Mánbhum
17 —	20 —	...	...	9 12	10 —	13 —	13 —	6 4	6 4	11 —	11 —	Ranchi
...	..	.	...	13 8	13 8	20 4	18 —	9 8	10 2	...	12 6	Palámau
18 —	18 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	17 —	17 —	7 8	7 8	11 —	12 —	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	..	9 3	10 2	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	...	...	5 8	5 8	13 —	12 8	Balasore
...	...	..	.	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 — to 8 —	7 — to 8 —	14 8	14 8	Sambalpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	16 —	16 —	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	Mirzapur
...	...	10 5	10 5	12 11	12 11	14 10	14 1½	8 1½	8 1½	13 8	13 8	Benares
...	...	...	...	12 3	11 4	15 11	14 4	8 6	8 6	14 7	11 7	Ghazipur
...	...	..	...	12 13	12 8	16 12	15 8	9 12	9 10	15 14	14 6	Jaunpur
...	..	...	...	13 12	12 12	...	...	10 4	10 8	17 —	17 8	Allahabad
												Central—
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 4	...	..	8 4	8 4	16 8	16 4	Banda
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	...	15 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	13 10	13 10	...	...	8 4	8 4	14 12	14 12	Hamirpur
...	...	..	...	14 8	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	..	Jalaun
...	...	12 8	13 —	12 13	13 5	17 12	18 —	8 12	9 —	17 8	17 8	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 13	19 15½	20 3	7 2½	7 1	17 8	17 8	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 4	15 —	17 —	9 4	9 12	16 —	15 8	Etáwah
...	...	...	...	13 10	13 10	16 6	17 1	8 14	9 9	18 7	18 7	Farrukhabad
...	18 —	...	...	12 —	11 8	...	14 8	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	15 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	18 —	18 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 —	13 —	13 8	15 8	8 8	9 —	19 8	19 8	Meerut
...	..	...	...	11 12	11 12	16 8	17 —	7 —	7 4	19 —	19 —	Agra
...	...	...	...	13 8	12 8	20 12	21 —	11 —	9 8	18 —	18 —	Muttra
...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 8	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 4	14 —	14 —	7 8	8 —	17 —	17 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	12 5	13 —	16 14	14 15	8 7	9 2	16 14	16 14	Ballia
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	..	12 4	12 8	...	...	8 12	8 8	13 8	14 —	Gorakhpur
...	..	...	...	13 —	12 8	16 —	16 —	9 8	9 6	16 —	16 —	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces— *continued*												
(*a*) Agra—*continued*												
Submontane, post—												
Shahjahánpur	...	10 12	14 8	...	3 —	3 —	10 8	10 8	17 —	16 —	...	16 —
Budaun	9 7	9 10	11 14	11 14	3 8	4 6	7 6	7 —	15 8	14 8	13 10	12 9
Pilibit	10 2	10 4	14 —	14 —	4 8	4 8	11 —	10 —	...	...	12 8	...
Bareli	10 1	10 1	13 10	14 —	3 12	3 12	9 10	9 1	15 —	14 12	13 12	...
Moradabad	9 15	9 12	12 8	12 2	4 4	4 4	9 8	9 4	14 4	14 4	13 —	13 4
Bijnor	9 8	10 4	13 8	14 —	3 4	3 4	6 8	6 8	...	...	12 4	14 —
Muzaffarnagar	10 —	10 12	13 2	13 2	7 10	7 10	9 —	9 —	13 2	12 5	13 2	15 5
Saharanpur	9 13	10 2	11 11	12 12	3 7	3 7	7 7	7 7	...	...	13 13	11 11
Dehra Dun	9 —	9 13	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	10 —	11 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal	7 —	7 —	9 8	9 8	3 —	2 12	6 —	6 8	8 —	...	8 —	8 —
Almora	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	3 —	3 —	6 8	6 4	...	...	...	...
Garhwál	5 6	5 8	9 —	8 4	3 —	3 —	4 8	4 8	...	...	...	...
(*b*) Oudh—												
Southern—												
Partabgarh	9 8	9 8	13 8	13 —	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 —	16 —	16 —	12 —	12 —
Sultanpur	10 8	10 8	14 8	14 8	5 —	5 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Rae Bareli	10 —	10 8	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	9 12	9 12	17 —	16 —	17 —	16 —
Unao	9 12	10 2	13 12	13 12	4 6	5 —	9 —	9 —	15 —	...	14 12	...
Lucknow	9 14	10 —	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	15 8	16 —
Hardoi	10 4	10 12	14 8	14 4	4 —	3 8	8 —	7 8	17 8	...	15 8	...
Northern—												
Fyzabad	10 —	10 —	14 4	14 —	...	...	6 14	6 12	15 —	15 —	10 12	10 8
Barabanki	10 13	10 15	15 8	14 8	4 10	4 8	9 14	10 4	15 —	11 10	13 —	10 2
Gonda	10 8	11 —	15 —	15 —	4 8	4 8	9 4	9 8	15 —	15 —	15 —	15 —
Bahraich	10 8	11 4	17 —	18 —	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 8	...	...	17 8	17 —
Sitapur	10 —	11 —	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	9 8	16 —	14 —	16 8	13 —
Kheri	11 —	10 12	15 —	18 —	3 —	4 —	10 —	10 8	18 —	19 —	18 —	18 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	8 7	8 6	10 7	10 5	4 14	4 12	5 10	5 7	18 13	19 2	9 10	8 14
Ajmer*	...	8 8	...	11 —	...	4 8	...	6 —	...	16 —	...	16 8
Kishangarh	8 —	9 —	11 4	11 4	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	17 —	17 —	15 —	15 —
Tonk	8 6	8 4	11 14	11 8	4 5	4 6	5 7	5 8	17 4	19 11	16 8	19 11
Jaipur	9 2	9 7	12 —	12 9	4 12	5 —	5 4	5 4	19 6	19 5	14 10	14 11
Karauli	8 7	8 12	15 10	13 12	7 8	6 14	8 12	8 2	23 12	21 4	18 12	21 4
Dholpur	9 7	9 8	14 3½	14 1	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	18 3½	18 6½	16 14	18 14½
Bharatpur*	...	9 —	...	13 10	...	4 5	...	4 14	...	16 8	...	16 8
Alwar*	...	10 5	...	13 13	...	4 10	...	5 14	...	16 14	...	13 5
Nasirabad	8 8	9 —	..	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	18 —	18 —	14 —	14 —
Western—												
Bikaner	9 —	9 8	13 —	13 —	4 8	5 —	6 8	7 —	14 —	16 —	10 8	13 8
Jaisalmer	7 7	7 8	...	...	4 4	4 5	5 5	5 6	12 12	11 14	10 10	10 12
Jodhpur	7 4 and 8 8	7 2 and 8 6	...	12 —	5 —	5 —	6 4	6 4	23 —	20 1	12 12 and 14 12	12 2 and 13 —
Central India—												
Indore	10 4	10 8	11 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	23 —	25 —	14 —	16 —
Neemuch	10 8	11 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	22 —	22 —	14 —	11 —
Gwalior	9 8	10 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 8	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	14 —	17 —	14 —	14 8
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	10 8	11 —	14 8	15 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	18 —	18 —	16 —	15 8
Ferozepur	10 4	10 8	12 8	13 4	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	13 8	17 —
Central—												
Lahore	9 8	9 12	13 4	13 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 12	12 12	11 —	11 —
Gujranwala	10 4	11 —	15 —	16 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	19 —	...	11 12
Gujrat	10 8	11 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	7 8	7 —	...	...	15 —	16 —
Jhelam	10 8	10 12	14 —	14 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	15 —	14 —	13 8	12 —

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or bagi (*Eleusine coracana*) — Half-month of report	Marua — Previous half-month	Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*) — Half-month of report	Kangni — Previous half-month	Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or hunaga (*Cicer arietinum*) — Half-month of report	Gram — Previous half-month	Maize (*Zea Mays*) — Half-month of report	Maize — Previous half-month	Arhar dal (*Cajanus Indicus*) — Half-month of report	Arhar dal — Previous half-month	Salt — Half-month of report	Salt — Previous half-month	Districts
												United Provinces— *continued*
												(a) Agra—*continued*
												Submontane, west—
15 —	...	...	15 —	13 —	13 —	...	16 —	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	Shahjahánpur
...	...	14 12	16 —	11 3	11 2	16 6	16 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Budaun
...	...	...	...	11 8	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	16 12	16 14	8 10	9 4	17 15	18 —	Bareli
...	...	...	13 —	11 14	12 2	16 12	16 12	8 12	8 12	18 4	17 12	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	16 —	16 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	12 1	13 2	14 4	15 5	5 8	5 8	17 8	17 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	12 4	11 11	16 8	15 6	8 8	9 —	17 8	17 8	Sahåranpur
12 —	12 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	15 —	16 —	10 —	10 —	10 8	12 —	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	10 —	...	6 —	5 8	10 —	10 —	Naini Tal
9 8	9 8	...	...	7 12	7 12	...	...	5 8	5 4	10 —	8 8	Almora
...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 4	Garhwál
												(b) Oudh—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	Partábgarh
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 —	14 —	Sultanpur
20 —	20 —	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 8	14 —	14 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	12 —	Rae-Bareli
...	...	...	15 4	13 12	14 4	19 8	19 —	8 8	8 8	16 8	16 8	Unao
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	18 —	18 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Lucknow
...	...	19 —	19 —	15 —	15 —	19 8	19 8	10 8	9 —	16 —	14 8	Hardoi
												Northern—
...	...	12 8	11 8	14 6	13 8	17 4	17 8	8 6	8 4	15 8	15 8	Fyzabad
20 —	17 8	17 —	15 5	15 1	16 6	18 —	17 6	9 10	9 7	16 2	16 —	Barabanki
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	20 —	19 —	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	Gonda
...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	21 —	21 —	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	Bahraich
...	...	18 —	18 —	16 8	16 —	19 —	19 —	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	Sitapur
20 —	20 —	8 —	24 —	14 —	14 —	18 —	18 —	9 —	9 —	18 —	18 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	9 10	9 15	10 7	9 15	19 8	13 8	6 15	6 13	14 9	14 6	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	...	5 —	...	12 —	...	17 —	...	...	...	16 —	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 —	16 —	17 —	...	...	20 8	21 —	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	9 12	10 6	18 4	19 11	...	...	23 12	19 11	Tonk
...	...	11 —	18 1	11 12 and 13 2	12 5 and 14 2	19 6	19 5	9 14	10 —	19 14	20 —	Jaipur
...	...	20 —	20 —	10 4	11 4	22 8	21 4	...	...	18 2	17 8	Karauli
...	...	8 8	9 —	12 3	11 9¼	...	...	7 12	7 9¼	18 8	18 3¼	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	...	11 10	...	18 8	...	7 4	...	18 8	Bharatpur
...	...	...	9 8	...	13 4	...	17 5	...	14 —	...	21 4	Alwar
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	21 —	21 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 —	14 4	...	...	6 8	6 8	17 —	17 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	8 6	8 10	...	...	...	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 9 to 12 5	...	...	6 4	6 4	17 —	17 —	Jodhpur
												Central India—
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	23 —	25 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Indore
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Neemuch
...	...	14 —	15 —	13 8	13 —	...	...	9 6	9 10	17 —	17 —	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	...	12 8	13 —	14 —	16 —	9 —	9 —	20 —	20 —	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 8	15 —	...	...	...	...	19 —	19 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 12	15 —	...	5 8	6 8	12 —	14 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	10 8	10 8	12 4	12 8	13 8	13 8	8 —	8 —	10 8	12 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	12 12	13 —	...	...	...	...	13 8	15 —	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 8	14 8	16 —	...	...	14 —	14 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	14 —	14 —	6 —	5 12	13 —	15 —	Jhelam

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Punjab—*continued*												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	9 4	9 12	13 —	13 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	15 —	14 8	16 —	16 —
Rohtak	9 8	11 —	13 —	13 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	18 —	16 —	16 —	17 —
Karnál	9 8	10 8	13 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	18 —	11 8	...
Submontane—												
Ambala	10 —	10 4	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 12	7 4	14 —	12 12	10 12	10 8
Ludhiana	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	15 —	14 —	11 —	10 —
Jullundur	10 8	10 12	13 —	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	11 —	11 —
Hoshiárpur	10 12	11 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	14 —	14 —	9 8	9 8
Gurdáspur	11 —	12 —	13 —	13 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	15 —	15 —	...	...
Amritsar	10 12	10 9	13 14	14 13	...	...	7 12	7 12	21 4	21 4	...	...
Siálkot	10 8	11 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Simla	8 4	8 12	10 12	10 12	...	...	6 8	6 4	10 —	9 —	9 4	9 4
Kángra	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 8	...	...	9 —	8 12	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	9 11	10 10	14 8	15 8	...	...	7 8	7 —	15 8	15 8	13 —	13 —
Attock	10 8	11 —	16 —	17 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	14 —	12 —
Western—												
Sháhpur	10 4	10 4	15 8	15 4	...	...	6 4	6 —	...	...	14 —	13 12
Jhang	10 —	10 —	13 4	13 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	18 —	18 —	12 —	12 8
Lyallpur	10 —	10 —	13 —	14 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Multan	10 —	10 4	12 4	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	15 8	14 8	14 —	13 4
Montgomery	9 6	10 6	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	7 8	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —
Muzaffargarh	10 —	10 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	10 —	9 9	13 9	13 8	...	...	9 8	6 9	15 —	18 —	15 8	14 —
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	10 2	9 12	15 —	14 2	3 9	3 9	8 8	8 —	...	...	9 8	8 8
Peshámar	10 7	10 14	16 15	17 —	4 9	4 9	6 13	6 13	18 4	18 4	12 —	12 12
Kohát	9 13	10 5	14 10	15 2	3 14	3 14	8 15	9 9	15 5	15 5	14 13	14 5
Bannu	11 9	11 9	15 10	16 4	4 3	4 3	8 12	7 13	20 —	20 —	15 —	15 —
Dera Ismael Khan	9 1	9 —	12 8	...	3 6	3 12	6 4	6 4	15 —	15 —	13 12	13 12
Tochi	12 —	12 —	25 8	24 —	...	...	9 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Kurram	11 —	11 —	19 8	19 8	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	11 —	11 —	18 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	8 12	8 5	10 12	11 —	3 3	3 1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	8 —	8 —		...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	10 8	10 6
Hyderabad	9 —	9 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	13 —	12 8
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	9 —	9 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	16 —	16 —	12 8	13 —
Shikárpur	9 —	9 —	...	...	5 —	5 4	5 8	5 12	14 —	14 —	13 —	15 —
Upper Sind Frontier	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 4	6 4	6 12	6 12	12 —	12 —	16 —	16 —
Quetta	8 — to 8 3	...	10 15	10 11	3 2	3 2	6 8	6 8	11 3½	11 10	11 7	11 7
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 13	6 13	...	..	5 5	5 5	6 12	7 4	12 8	12 8	11 —	11 —
Ratnagiri	6 3	6 3	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 3	7 3	12 9	10 8	10 14	10 2
Alibág	6 5	6 5	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 3	7 3	...	...	8 5	8 5
Bombay	*7 10	*7 10	...	...	4 8	4 13	6 6	7 —	12 4	11 10	8 5	8 15
Thanna	8 13	8 13	...	...	6 6	6 6	6 15	6 15	14 3	13 3	12 12	11 14
Deccan and Karnatak—												
Dharwar	..	11 3	...	...	7 12	7 12	8 10	8 10	...	16 1	12 8	12 3
Belgaum	9 5	10 10	...	...	6 13	6 13	7 8	8 1	13 —	15 1	13 13	15 15
Satara	9 11	9 6	...	...	4 13	4 13	5 14	5 14	14 —	15 6	12 13	13 14
Sholapur	11 2	..	..	...	6 15	6 15	7 9	7 9	16 5	19 15	14 6	16 3
Bijapur	11 2	12 —	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 13	7 13	18 1	22 6	15 6	17 3
Poona	8 6	8 6	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 11	6 11	16 13	15 10	10 13	10 13
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	10 5	10 5	...	..	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	17 4	16 8	12 10	12 10
Násik	10 5	10 5	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	..	11 10	11 10
Dhulia	10 3	10 3	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	13 13	13 13	...	12 15
Jalgaon	8 7	8 14	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	16 10	17 8	14 —	14 —
Gujarat—												
Surat	6 15	7 6	...	...	5 5	5 9	6 15	7 6	13 14	13 7	12 —	12 —
Broach	8 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	18 —	16 —	11 8	13 —
Kaira	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	13 8	13 —
Baroda	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —
Ahmedabad	8 8	8 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	16 —	15 8	13 —	13 —
Godhra	8 —	8 —	...	...	4 8	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	13 —	15 —
Disa	9 4	9 4	...	...	4 12	4 12	5 4	5 4	20 —	20 —	12 —	14 8
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	10 —	10 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 8	5 8	15 —	15 —	10 8	10 8
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	9 9	10 2	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	18 9	23 11	...	...
Hoshangabad	9 11	10 4	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	15 3	17 6	...	...
Betul	10 2	10 12	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 5	8 5	19 11	19 11	...	...
Chhindwara	10 —	11 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 12	8 12	19 —	19 —	...	...
Nagpur	10 3	10 3	...	...	5 3	5 3	9 2	9 2	15 7	15 7	...	...
Wardha	10 —	10 10	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 15	8 15	18 —	19 3	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	14 —	14 —	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Gurgáon
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	13 —	14 —	15 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	13 —	Karnál
												Submontane—
15 8	15 8	9 12	9 12	12 12	12 12	15 4	15 —	7 12	7 12	10 8	12 —	Ambala
...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	16 8	17 8	6 —	5 —	11 8	14 8	Ludhiána
...	...	9 —	8 8	13 —	13 —	16 8	16 —	...	...	11 8	12 —	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	12 8	13 —	17 4	17 8	...	...	10 —	12 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	16 —	16 8	...	...	11 —	14 —	Gurdáspur
...	...	...	...	12 8	13 —	15 —	14 12	8 —	8 —	10 8	14 12	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	14 8	14 8	...	...	11 —	14 —	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	12 8	12 8	5 8	5 12	7 —	10 —	Simla
...	...	...	...	9 4	9 —	18 —	16 —	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 8	Kángra
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	11 12	12 8	13 8	14 —	6 8	7 —	12 —	14 —	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 8	15 —	14 8	3 —	6 —	13 —	14 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	16 —	16 —	6 4	7 —	11 —	15 —	Sháhpur
13 —	13 —	11 8	11 8	12 4	12 8	17 —	17 —	...	...	10 —	12 —	Jhang
...	...	...	...	12 8	13 —	18 —	18 12	7 —	7 —	12 —	13 —	Lyallpur
...	...	11 8	11 8	12 4	13 —	16 4	16 —	6 8	6 8	11 4	13 4	Multan
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 8	12 8	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	5 —	5 —	4 6	4 5	12 —	12 8	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	15 8	16 —			11 4	11 12	Hazára
...	...	10 7	10 6	11 11	12 4	14 3	15 —	9 2	9 2	19 8	20 8	Peshâwar
...	...	10 —	10 —	10 15	11 13	15 8	14 13	...	...	21 —	21 11	Kohát
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 5	17 8	18 12	...	...	20 5	21 6	Bannu
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	12 8	12 8	...	...	15 —	20 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	20 —	...	...	18 —	13 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	14 —	14 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	10 8	13 —	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Karáchi
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 —	...	...	6 8	6 4	16 —	16 —	Hyderabad
												Thar and Parkár
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	(Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	10 10½	11 8	9 11½ to 10 14	9 2 to 11 7	5 — to 5 12	6 2 to 6 10	11 8	15 7	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
14 7	14 7	...	...	9 10	9 10	...	...	6 12	6 12	14 10	16 7	Karwar
10 2	10 2	...	...	9 7	9 7	...	...	6 12	6 12	18 3	18 3	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 5	6 5	17 9	17 9	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	...	9 5	9 10	...	...	6 14	6 14	15 10	15 10	Bombay
10 12	10 12	...	...	9 6	9 6		...	5 15	5 15	17 14	17 14	Thanna
												Deccan and Karnáták—
...	...	...	...	10 5	10 5	...	...	7 15	7 15	12 3	12 3	Dharwar
16 13	16 13	...	...	9 11	10 4	...	...	7 5	7 5	14 1	17 13	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 11	...	...	9 —	9 9	14 11	15 4	Satara
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 14	...	...	7 9	8 6	16 8	16 8	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	11 2	12 —	...	...	7 14	7 14	17 11	17 11	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 1	10 1	...	...	6 14	6 14	15 15	15 15	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 5	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 12	13 12	Ahmednagar
14 15	16 2	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	7 4	7 4	15 7	15 7	Násik
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	7 9	7 9	14 —	14 —	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 15	...	...	8 5	7 14	14 7	15 15	Jalgáon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	5 12	5 12	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	21 5	21 5	Broach
15 —	15 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	24 —	24 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 12	6 12	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	22 8	22 —	Ahmedabad
20 —	20 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	80 —	80 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	10 10	11 11	...	...	7 15	8 8	15 12	15 12	Nimar
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 12	...	...	9 2	9 2	16 —	16 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 15	7 15	14 —	14 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 15	7 15	13 —	13 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	9 13	10 6	...	...	9 6	9 6	17 —	17 —	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916—*concluded*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Central Provinces—*continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	9 9	9 9	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 13	6 13	16 —	16 —	...	...
Saugor	9 13	10 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 4	8 8	17 8	17 —	...	...
Damoh	10 2	11 1	...	...	6 11	6 11	8 2	8 —	18 5	20 12	...	...
Jubbulpore	9 10	10 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Mandla	11 —	12 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	9 8	10 12	...	...	7 —	7 4	10 8	11 —	...	...	...	...
Bálághát	9 15	10 10	...	...	5 7	5 7	9 10	9 10	...	...	...	...
Bhandára	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	...	8 15	8 15	20 3	20 3	...	...
Chánda	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	16 10	17 13	...	...
Eastern—												
Biláspur	10 11	11 11	...	...	8 9	9 2	10 11	11 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	11 —	11 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Drug	10 8	11 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 6	6 6	21 10	21 10	...	...
Akola	9 11	9 11	...	...	3 10	3 10	7 14	7 14	18 15	21 —	...	...
Amráoti	9 12	9 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	18 —	18 8	...	...
Yeotmal	9 15	9 15	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 10	8 10	20 —	21 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	7 7	7 9	9 —	9 —	4 1	4 1	9 5	9 1	14 —	14 —	15 1	15 1
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	12 15	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 5	13 5	10 4	10 4
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	17 3	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	16 10	16 10	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	15 4	16 8	10 8	...
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godávari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	22 —	22 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 6	11 6	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	8 4	10 7	13 1	10 —	11 8
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	12 8	12 8	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 15	6 12	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...		...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 11	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	13 —	13 —
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	12 5	12 5
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 —	12 15	12 5	12 5
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	8 4	13 5	13 5	11 10	11 10
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 —	11 —	...	...
Mysore—												
Mysore	8 —	8 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Bangalore	7 —	7 —	8 6	8 6	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	5 4	5 4	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Aden	5 1	5 1	...	...	4 7	4 4	4 13	4 10	9 5	9 5	8 —	8 —

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces —*continued*
												Central—
..	...	...	...	12 15	12·15	...	...	7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 12	6 12	15 —	14 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	11 11	13 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 —	14 —	Damoh
...	...	...	.8	10 8	11 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	15 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 1	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 —	14 —	Seoni
...	...	.	...	10 14	11 8	...	...	7 13	7 13	10 13	10 13	Bálághát
...	..	...	...	9 10	10 3	...	...	7 4	7 9	10 4	10 11	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	8 15	9 8	...	...	8 12	8 12	13 13	13 13	Chánda
												Eastern—
..	...	...	...	10 11	11 11	...	...	10 11	9 14	10 11	10 11	Biláspur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	13 —	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	16 —	13 9	...	...	7 11	7 11	14 5	14 5	Buldána
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 6	8 6	11 6	11 6	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	9 12	9 12	16 —	16 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 1	9 1	14 13	15 11	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad—
18 4	18 4	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 7	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 10	17 11	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 11	15 11	S. Canara
												South, central—
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 5	16 7	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	Nilgiris
...	15 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 12	15 5	Salem
												Central—
16 13	16 13	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 14	16 14	Bellary
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 3	18 3	Anantapur
15 14	16 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 3	14 3	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 5	15 4	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
15 15	15 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 —	17 5	Ganjam
14 13	14 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Vizagapatam
14 14	14 14	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 2	20 2	Guntur
12 14	12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	18 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 14	12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 11	22 14	Madras
13 11	12 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 6	22 6	Chingleput
16 4	16 4	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	18 11	18 —	N. Arcot
12 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 1	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
13 5	14 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 6	18 6	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
14 13	15 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 11	19 8	Tinnevelly
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 6	19 6	Madura
												Mysore—
16—	16 —	...	..	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Mysore
15—	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	..	...	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
16 8	17 8	...	...	17 —	17 —	...	..	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	Coorg.
...	...	...	...	7 9	7 11	...	...	6 1	6 1	32 —	32 —	**Aden**—

WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916.

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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5
	Aligarh	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5
	Index Numbers (*a*).	100	100	102	103	104	105

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(*a*) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India, per maund of 82 2/7 lbs.

FORTNIGHT ENDING										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0
3 12 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0
4 13 6	5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4
4 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5
5 5 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5
3 11 6	3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915.			30th April 1915.			15th May 1915.			31st May 1915.			15th June 1915.			30th June 1915.			15th July 1915.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Port	Karachi (White)*	5	4	3	4	12	3	4	7	9	4	9	3	4	5	3	4	4	3	4	6	3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy).	4	15	2	4	11	1	4	12	7	4	15	2	4	9	10		...			...	
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5	3	6	4	13	0	4	6	0	4	9	0	4	6	6	4	8	0	4	12	0
Punjab	Lahore	4	13	6	4	3	3	3	7	6	3	13	0	3	11	6	3	11	6	4	0	0
	Ferozepur	5	0	0	4	0	0	3	10	0	3	14	3	3	13	0	3	13	0	4	0	0
	Lyallpur	4	10	0	4	1	0	3	11	0	3	14	6	3	9	0	3	12	0	4	0	0
	Amritsar	5	0	0	4	8	0	3	7	9	3	12	3	3	12	0	3	12	0	3	14	0
	Multan	4	6	0	3	13	0	3	7	6	3	14	0	3	11	6	3	10	0	3	13	0
	Rawalpindi	4	8	0	4	6	6	3	10	0	3	13	6	3	13	6	3	14	0	4	6	0
	Ambala	5	4	0	3	12	0	3	14	0	3	15	6	3	15	6	3	15	6	4	5	0
Delhi	Delhi	5	0	0	4	7	1	4	1	6	4	3	0	4	3	0	4	3	0	4	9	0
United Provinces	Benares	4	15	3	4	13	11	4	8	8	4	7	6	4	5	0	4	6	5	4	6	5
	Aligarh	4	8	8	4	3	6	4	0	2	3	14	1	3	14	5	4	3	5	4	9	4
	Cawnpore	4	9	0	4	5	0	4	4	0	4	5	0	4	5	0	4	7	0	4	9	0
	Meerut	4	8	6	4	0	0	3	14	6	3	14	6	3	13	0	3	13	0	4	3	6
	Shahjahanpur	4	5	0	4	2	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	2	0
	Agra	4	11	3	4	7	1	3	12	11	4	5	2	4	4	8	4	9	1	4	7	1
	Fyzabad	4	9	2	4	5	6	4	5	0	4	7	0	4	9	0	4	9	0	4	9	6
	Lucknow	4	5	3	4	5	3	4	2	6	4	4	3	4	7	1	4	7	1	4	7	1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4	5	0	4	5	0	4	1	11	4	3	5	4	3	6	4	5	0	4	5	10
	Jubbulpore	4	8	2	4	8	2	4	3	7	4	5	2	4	5	2	4	8	2	4	8	2
	Raipur	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	4	10	4	4	10	4	7	2
	Akola	4	6	0	4	9	0	4	8	10	4	2	10	4	2	10	3	15	7	3	15	7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4	8	7	4	8	7	3	11	6	3	4	6	3	8	10	3	8	10	3	13	4
Baluchistan	Quetta	5	2	0	4	15	6	4	13	6	4	11	2	4	10	0	4	7	3	4	0	5
Bombay	Poona	5	7	10	5	6	2	5	10	6	5	6	2	5	1	11	5	1	4	5	4	1
	Ahmednagar	4	[illegible]	1		...		4	11	11	4	10	1	4	8	4	4	10	1	4	13	9
	Ahmedabad	4	14	0	4	14	0	4	14	0	4	14	0	4	10	0	4	12	0	4	12	0
	Dharwar	3	3	5	3	7	0	3	10	6	3	8	1	3	7	0	3	11	9	3	8	1
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4	6	0	4	9	0	4	7	0	4	6	0	4	6	0	4	6	0	4	8	0
	Bhagalpur	4	8	0	4	8	0	4	7	0	4	8	0	4	10	0	4	8	0	4	8	0
	Muzaffarpur	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	4	7	0	4	7	0	4	7	0	4	10	9
	Ranchi	4	12	0	4	14	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	4	0	5	8	0	5	8	0
	Cuttack	4	11	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	4	11	3	4	11	3
Bengal	Rangpur	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5
	Mandalay	4	12	5	4	12	5	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7
	(Median Average)	4	11	3	4	8	0	4	4	0	4	5	2	4	5	0	4	6	2	4	7	1
	Index Numbers (a)	114			109			103			104			104			106			107		

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*contd.*

FORTNIGHT ENDING											
31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9
...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11
4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0
4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 13 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0
4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 6 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3
4 7 5	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7
4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0
4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6
4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8
4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10
4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10
4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5
3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2
4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8
3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1
5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1
4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6
3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4
4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7
4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7
108	114	111	114	116	115	117	118	117	117	118	117

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6
Punjab	Lahore	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3
	Ferozepur	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3
	Lyallpur	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0
	Amritsar	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3
	Multan	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0
	Ambala	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0
Delhi	Delhi	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11
	Aligarh	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1
	Cawnpore	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0
	Meerut	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6
	Agra	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4
	Fyzabad	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3
	Lucknow	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10
	Jubbulpore	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2
	Raipur	...	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2
	Akola	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1
Bombay	Poona	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11
	Ahmednagar	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2
	Amedabad	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
	Dharwar	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0
	Bhagalpur	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Ranchi	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0
	Cuttack	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4
Bengal	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 12 7
	(Median Average)	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1
	Index Numbers (b)	117	114	113	101	95	92	92	92	92

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

(a) Prices at ports after 15th November 1916.

Ports	Rate per	On 24th November 1916.	On 1st December 1916.	On 8th December 1916.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 11 9	4 13 3	4 13 9
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy.)	"	4 14 7	4 14 10	4 15 0
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	4 13 0	5 3 6	5 1 6

(b) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*concld.*

Fortnight ending											Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th November 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 916.	On 15th October 1916	On 31st October 1916.	On 15th November 1916.	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 3	+3
4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 3	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	+4
4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0	+8
3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	+2
3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	*Nil*
3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	+2
3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	−5
3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	+2
3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	+7
3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	+2
3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	+2
3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	−1
4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	*Nil*
4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	+3
3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	+8
3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	+8
4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	+3
3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	*Nil*
3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	+2
3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	*Nil*
3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	+9
3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	*Nil*
3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	*Nil*
3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	3 12 7	+4
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	−3
4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7	...	...
3 9 10	3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 1	−1
4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	+3
2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	+4
3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	*Nil*
3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	+21
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	*Nil*
4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	+9
4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	*Nil*
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	*Nil*
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	+2
3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	+2[illegible]
92	90	93	92	94	97	97	95	94	94	97	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th November as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915:—

	1916.			1915.		
	31st October.	15th November.	Increase or Decrease.	31st October.	15th November.	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	102	+2	100	101	+1
Punjab . .	100	103	+3	100	100	*Nil*
United Provinces .	100	101	+1	100	102	+2
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	100	*Nil*	100	100	*Nil*

—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Index Numbers (a).	100	103	103	106	106	109

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING

31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8
7 8	6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	..	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12
9 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12
10 0	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12
10 4	9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0
9 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4
9 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12
9 12	7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0
8 8	8 6	8 1¼	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4
8 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0
8 8	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0
8 12	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14
9 8	8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4
9 8	8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2
8 4	8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15
8 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4
9 8	8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0
7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2
9 13	9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2¼	7 4¾	7 1	7 8¼
6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2
7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0
10 0	9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8
9 0	8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8
8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0
7 14	7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9
7 8	7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12
112	120	121	128	127	137	137	150	147	135	123

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 0	9 0	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12
	Ferozepur *	8 0	9 8	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12
	Amritsar	7 14	8 8	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0
	Rawalpindi	8 12	8 14	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12
	Lyallpur	8 8	9 8	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12
	Multan	9 0	10 4	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4
	Ambala	7 8	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6
Delhi	Delhi	7 12	9 0	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0
United Provinces.	Benares	7 13	7 13	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8
	Cawnpore	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Meerut	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8
	Agra	8 0	8 8	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Lucknow	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	8 2	8 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4
	Shahjahanpur	8 12	9 10	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14
	Fyzabad	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 15	8 15	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Akola	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	7 13	8 1	8 4	8 8	8 11½	9 0	10 0
Bombay	Poona	6 13	7 2	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8
	Bhagalpur	8 12	8 14	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	8 14
	Muzaffarpur	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0
	Cuttack	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5
	(Median Average)	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers (*a*)	116	112	106	106	108	109	112

(*a*) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* **[The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.]**

FORTNIGHT ENDING

31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8
10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 13	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12
8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0
8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4
8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4
9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0
8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14
8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6
9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11
10 2	9 13¾	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8	9 0¾	8 4¾	8 4½	8 6	8 9½
7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3
7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14
8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0
10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0
8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4
7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14
8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
112	116	116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0
	Bombay*	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10
	Calcutta	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8
	Ferozepore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Amritsar	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12
	Rawalpindi	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0
	Lyallpur	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0
	Multan	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4
	Ambala	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8
Delhi	Delhi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0
United Provinces	Benares	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8	8 15
	Cawnpore	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	9 8	10 0	10 8
	Meerut	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0
	Agra	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4
	Lucknow	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0
	Aligarh	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Shahjahanpur	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12
	Fyzabad	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11
	Jubbulpore	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4
	Raipur	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4
	Akola	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1
Bombay	Poona	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0
	Muzaffarpur	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0
	Ranchi	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0
	Cuttack	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3	9 3	9 13
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12
	(Median Average)	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 0½	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Index Numbers (a)	120	120	118	116	106	96	96	96

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* **[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]**

Fortnight ending: 15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	On 31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th November 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	*Nil*
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	*Nil*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0	9 12	9 8	+3
11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 8	10 4	+2
12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12	10 9	10 12	—2
10 12	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6	10 10	9 14	+8
12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 0	+2
11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4	10 4	10 0	+2
10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
...	9 12	9 12	...	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10	9 10	9 12	—1
10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	+3
11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 12	+8
9 4	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	[illegible]	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	+3
11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14	+1
11 0	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	+3
12 8	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	10 12	10 6	+4
11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	*Nil*
11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 8	9 10	+9
11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	*Nil*
10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	*Nil*
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14	10 7	+4
9 1	9 0¾	9 0	9 0	9 2⅓	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6	8 8	8 1½	8 1[illegible]	*Nil*
8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	*Nil*
9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5	10 5	10 5	*Nil*
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	*Nil*
10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	*Nil*
10 0	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5	9 6	8 0	+17
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	+3
9 13	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	*Nil*
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 8	+3
10 6	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	+3
92	96	96	92	94	96	96	98	97	96	96	96	98	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th November as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915 :—

	1916.			1915.		
	31st October	15th November	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	31st October.	15th November.	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	103	+3	100	100	*Nil*
Punjab . .	100	102	+2	100	100	*Nil*
United Provinces .	100	101	+1	100	100	*Nil*
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	104	+4	100	102	+2

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lb.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	Karachi. White (5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red). Price.	Karachi. White. Index Numbers.	Karachi. Red (5% barley, 3% dirt and 92% red). Price.	Karachi. Red. Index Numbers.	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissy). Price.	Bombay. Index Numbers.	Calcutta (Club No. 2). Price.	Calcutta. Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9½	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8¾	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	...	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 29th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 9th " "	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	32 11	95
" 16th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8	94
" 23rd " "	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 2	92
" 30th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
" 21st " "	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8	94
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96
" 4th August "	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 18th " "	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 25th " "	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " "	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	96
" 8th September "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
" 15th " "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½	98
" 22nd " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 29th " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 5th October "	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...	...
" 13th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 20th " "	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
" 27th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
" 3rd November "	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 10th " "	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 17th " "	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	112	36 10	106
" 24th " "	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10	109
" 1st December "	38 6	122	37 6	120	39 3	120	41 1	118
" 8th " "	38 9	123	37 1½	119	39 4	120	40 7	117

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are market and not F. O. B. prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

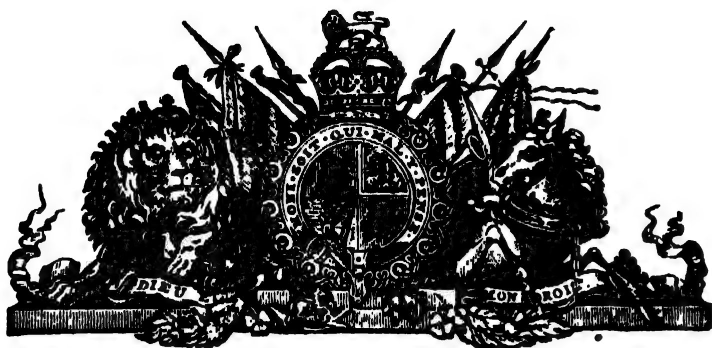
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[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grade taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi.		Red Karachi.		Delhi.		Choice White Bombay.		Club No. 1.		Club No. 2.	
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-August.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
1st August "	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October "	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November "	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December "	50 6	128	50 0	100	.	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
16th " "	Nominal	...	...	..	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	..	.	50 6 April-May sellers.	10
30th " "	51 6 May-June.	130	58 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	10
8th January 1915	52 3 May-June.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	10
4th February "	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th " "	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	1[illegible]
4th March "	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	11
8th April "	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	1[illegible]
6th May "	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	1[illegible]
12th " "	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do	127	66 0	100	67 0	100	...	..
4th June "	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	1[illegible]
2nd July "	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	1[illegible]
23rd " "	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	1[illegible]
6th August "	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	1[illegible]
27th " "	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	1[illegible]
3rd September "	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	..	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	..
From 24th September 1915 to 18th April 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
2nd and 9th June "	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	.
17th " "	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
23rd " "	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
27th " "	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
From 29th June to 7th July '16.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
14th July 1916	58 6 July-August.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
22nd " "	59 0 July-August.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
28th " "	61 3 July-Aug. sellers	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
4th August "	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
11th " "	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
18th " "	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	.
25th " "	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
31st " "	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
8th September "	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	.
15th " "	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
22nd " "	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	.
28th " "	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
5th October "	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
14th " "	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	.
21st " "	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	..	...		...	...	...	...	
27th " "	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	
3rd November "	79 0 paid	200	Do.	...	79 6 sellers.	157	...	...	...	...	...	
10th " "	80 0 passage.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Nominal.	157	..	...	...	...	...	
17th " "	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	.	...	...	
24th " "	81 0 paid	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	
1st December "	82 0 buyers.	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	
8th " "	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	

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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6803 Mis.—The 20th December 1916.—Under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that Friday, the 22nd December 1916, shall be a public holiday on account of the arrival of His Excellency the Viceroy in Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 23rd December 1916.

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The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in and appointments to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, for services rendered in connection with military operations in the Field :

To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Honourable Order.

Major-General HENRY D'URBAN KEARY, C.B., D.S.O., Indian Army.

Major-General RALEIGH GILBERT EGERTON, C.B., Indian Army.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) HARRY TRISCOTT BROOKING, C.B., Indian Army.

Major-General (temporary Lieutenant-General) FREDERICK STANLEY MAUDE, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.

To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order.

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Colonel ROBERT CAMPBELL STEPHEN.

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Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) ARCHIBALD PHILIP DOUGLAS.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel HARRY LEITH TOMKINS, D.S.O., Indian Army.

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The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for services rendered in connection with military operations in the Field:

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Major JOHN GEORGE FOSTER, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Major HAROLD SCOTT ERSKINE FRANKLIN, D.S.O., Indian Army.

Major NORMAN MEREDITH GEOGHEGAN, Indian Army.

Major CECIL MAURICE GOODBODY, D.S.O., Indian Medical Service.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) WILLIAM WELCH BARROWS GOVER, The Cheshire Regiment.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) CHARLES BASIL LEES GREENSTREET, Royal Engineers.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) WILLIAM ALLARDICE HAMILTON, The Connaught Rangers.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) RICHARD NEWMAN HARDCASTLE, D.S.O., The Manchester Regiment.

Major James HENRY HORTON, D.S.O., Indian Medical Service.

Major GERARD EVELYN LEACHMAN, C.I.E., The Royal Sussex Regiment.

Major WALTER STEWART LESLIE, Indian Army.

Major FREDERICK LEWIS, D.S.O., The Leicestershire Regiment

Major ARTHUR LYSTER LONGHURST, Indian Army.

Major REGINALD KIRKPATRICK LYNCH-STAUNTON, D.S.O., Royal Artillery.

Major CECIL DELARUE MEARS, M.V.O., Indian Army.

Major HUGH STEPHENSON MOBERLY, Indian Army.

Major CHARLES WALTER ROBINSON, Indian Army.

Major MICHAEL GEORGE DOBBIE ROWLANDSON, Indian Army.

Major FRANCIS HARRY STAPLETON, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) RICHARD STUKELEY ST. JOHN, Indian Army.

Major GRAHAM WALTON, Indian Army.

Major SPENCER BURTON WATSON, Indian Army.

Major WILLIAM ALBERT WOOD, Army Veterinary Corps.

To be Brevet Majors.

Captain (temporary Major) RICHARD LOWIS BIGNELL, Indian Army.

Captain EDWARD BRADNEY, Royal Engineers.

Captain FRANCIS THOMAS DOWLING, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Captain GEORGE GILBERT CRESWICK MACLEAN, Indian Army.

Captain (temporary Major) JOHN CECIL MACRAE, D.S.O., Indian Army.

Captain THOMAS JOHN MITCHELL, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Captain SHOLTO PEMBERTON, Royal Engineers.

Te be Honorary Captains.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant JAMES ANDERSON, The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant PATRICK O'BRIEN, The Manchester Regiment.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant NORMAN REID, The Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's).

To be granted the next higher rate of pay under Article 241, Royal Warrant.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant HARRY CAMPBELL BRODIE, The Leicestershire Regiment.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant JOHN ARTHUR MELLSOP, The South Wales Borderers.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

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A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

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No. 487-C.—The services of Mr. C. A. Souter, of the Indian Civil Service (Madras establishment), officiating Commissioner of Coorg, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras, with effect from the 12th December 1916.

MEDICAL.

The 21st December 1916.

No. 526-C.—Major G. Tate, M.B., I.M.S., is appointed temporarily to be Civil Surgeon, Simla (East), with effect from the 1st October 1916, until further orders.

The 22nd December 1916.

No. 550-C.—Senior Assistant Surgeon Pandit Balkishan Kaul, Rai Bahadur, is appointed to be Professor of Materia Medica in the Medical College, Lahore, as a temporary measure, with effect from the 11th March 1916, and until further orders.

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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Delhi, the 15th December 1916.

No. 454.—The Reverend William Deans is appointed to be a temporary chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment, Church of Scotland, with effect from the 1st December 1916. His services are placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces.

The 21st December 1916.

No. 467.—The Reverend C. J. G. Saunders has been appointed to be a chaplain on probation on the Bengal (Lucknow) Ecclesiastical Establishment to fill an existing vacancy.

The 22nd December 1916.

No. 473.—The Reverend Alexander Silver, M. A., of Arkonam, Southern India, is appointed to be a temporary chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment, Church of Scotland. His services are placed at the disposal of the Army Department.

SANITARY.

The 22nd December 1916.

No. 570.—Major G. Tate, M.B., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Simla East, is appointed, until further orders, to be in charge of the current duties of Health Officer, Simla, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the forenoon of the 21st October 1916.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

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CIVIL VETERINARY ADMINISTRATION.

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No. 64-C.—The services of Dr. G. H. K. Macalister, M. A., B. C., M. D., D. P. H., M. R. C. S., L. R. C. P., Pathologist, Imperial Bacteriological Laboratory, Muktesar, are placed at the disposal of the Army Department with retrospective effect from 17th November 1916 and until further orders.

LAND SURVEYS.

The 22nd December 1916.

No. 63-C.—The services of the following officers having been replaced at the disposal of this Department by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, they are posted to the Survey of India with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Captain F. J. M. King, R. E., Assistant Superintendent, 7th November 1916.
Captain C. G. Lewis, R. E., Assistant Superintendent, 30th October 1916.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 18th December 1916.

No. 609-D.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General has been pleased to sanction the institution of a new honorary title of "Taing kyo Pyi kyo Saung" the meaning of which is "one who has promoted the welfare of his country". The title will be conferred on Burmese gentlemen, who, though holding no official position, have shown public spirit or generosity, or have worked in the interests of education, agriculture or other public objects, and each recipient will be entitled to place after his name the letters "T. P. S."

2. The badge of the title will be a gold medal.

The 19th December 1916.

No. 621-D.—Mr. S. A. Blaker, Secretariat Superintendent, 1st grade, is granted three months' privilege leave with effect from the 18th December 1916.

No. 622-D.—The following acting promotions are made in the Foreign and Political Department Secretariat with effect from the 18th December 1916, consequent on the grant of three months' privilege leave to Mr. S. A. Blaker.

Mr. C. O'H. Teeling, Superintendent, 3rd grade (Officiating 2nd grade), to officiate as Superintendent, 1st grade.

Mr. J. W. Inglis, Secretariat Assistant (Officiating Superintendent, 3rd grade), to officiate as Superintendent, 2nd grade.

Mr. R. C. Albert, Secretariat Assistant, to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd grade.

The 20th December 1916.

No. 641-D.—Sub-Assistant Surgeon Chunni Lal Hira Lal held charge of the current duties of the office of Residency Surgeon, Western Rajputana States, in addition to his own duties, for the period from the 20th September to the 19th October 1916, during the absence on privilege leave of Lieutenant-Colonel W. E. Scott-Moncrieff, Indian Medical Service (retired).

No. 645-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 35 of the Court Fees Act, 1870 (VII of 1870), as applied to Berar, the Governor General in Council is pleased to remit the fees chargeable under the said Act, on applications for the grant of licenses issued in accordance with the provisions of any rule made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), as applied to Berar, for the possession of dangerous petroleum for use on motor vehicles and for its transport thereon for the purpose of use therein.

The 21st December 1916.

No. 662-D.—Captain J. S. Crosthwaite, of the Political Department, on return from leave, is posted as Assistant Commissioner and Sub-Divisional Officer, Tank, with effect from the 28th November 1916.

The 22nd December 1916.

No. 690-D.—ERRATUM.—In the notification by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department No. 227-D. dated the 23rd November 1916, appointing Captain H. N. G. Geary, R. E., to officiate as Inspecting Officer, Imperial Service Sappers, *for* the words "2nd Sappers and Miners" *read* "1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners."

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Delhi, the 18th December 1916.

No. 1382-F. E.—Mr. J. J. Latta has been posted as Assistant Accountant General and Currency Officer, Rangoon, with effect from the 28th November 1916.

No. 1383-F. E.—Mr. K. V. Ayyar has been posted to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway, with effect from the 11th December 1916.

No. 1384-F. E.—Mr. H. Hardingham, an Accountant in the office of the Accountant General, Burma, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, class II, in that office with effect from the 1st December 1916 and until further orders.

No. 1385-F. E.—Mr. M. Butler, an officer in the General List of the Indian Finance Department, attached to the office of the Examiner of Accounts, Military Works Services, has been granted combined leave for 9 months, namely, privilege leave for 3 months and in continuation furlough on medical certificate for the remaining period, with effect from the 27th November 1916.

No. 1386-F. E.—Mr A. C. Anthony has been posted as Deputy Accountant General, Burma, with effect from the 8th December 1916.

No. 1387-F. E.—Mr. R. G. Vernon has been attached to the office of the Examiner of Accounts, Military Works Services, with effect from the 7th December 1916.

No. 1388-F. E.—Mr A. B. Cockburn, Assistant Accountant General and Currency Officer, Punjab, has been granted privilege leave for 6 weeks, with effect from the 4th December 1916.

Mr. Tajuddin Malak, Assistant Accountant General, Punjab, has been posted as Currency Officer, Punjab, with effect from the 4th December 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. Cockburn.

L. Lahauri Lal, an Accountant, in the office of the Accountant General, Punjab, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, class II, in that office with effect from the 4th December 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. Cockburn.

No. 1389-F. E.—Mr. W. H. J. Lett, Chief Accountant, office of the Accountant General, Punjab, has been granted privilege leave for one month and two days, with effect from the 21st November 1916.

L. Chaman Lal, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Punjab, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 6th December 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. Lett.

The 21st December 1916.

No. 1405-F. E.—Mr. P. Raghavendra Rao has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Bombay, with effect from the 24th November 1916.

No. 1406-F. E.—Mr. Rang Bihari Lal, Assistant Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Delhi, has been granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 14th December 1916.

Mr. Hira Lal Mukherjee, a Superintendent in the office of the Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Delhi, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 14th December 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. Rang Bihari Lal.

No. 1407-F. E.—Mr. H. A. R. Dunhill, Accountant, 1st grade, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, class II, in the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway, with effect from the 9th December 1916 and until further orders.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS.

The 22nd December 1916.

No. 1744-F.—*Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.*

November 1916. **Lakhs of Rupees.**

	NOVEMBER.		TO END OF NOV.		WHOLE YEAR.	
	1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	1915-1916.	Budget, 1916-1917.	Actuals, preliminary, 1915-1916.
Civil Revenue.						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	82	63	14,15	13,66	35,44	36,03
Opium	37	28	2,93	1,74	3,43	2,74
Salt	97	48	4,53	2,97	5,98	5,46
Stamps	79	58	5,64	5,19	8,22	7,96
Excise	1,03	1,00	8,67	8,21	12,83	12,92
Provincial Rates	...	...	2	4	4	6
Customs	1,30	66	8,87	5,44	11,55	8,80
Income Tax	50	25	3,37	1,94	4,17	2,98
Forest	36	26	1,64	1,53	3,07	3,05
Registration	5	5	54	52	78	78
Tributes from Native States	5	5	28	28	92	92
Other Civil Revenue	41	38	2,93	2,64	4,58	4,42
TOTAL CIVIL HEADS	6,65	4,57	53,05	44,16	91,01	86,12
Major Irrigation Revenue	4	3	2,46	2,27	4,28	3,92
Other Public Works Ordinary Revenue	5	5	42	36	72	59
TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE (including Ordinary Public Works)	6,74	4,65	55,93	46,79	96,01	90,63
Civil Expenditure.						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	—18	—15	—3,44	—3,43	—5,78	—5,69
Opium	—1	—1	—1,30	—1,34	—1,43	—1,39
Famine Relief (Civil)	—1	...	—23	...	—5	—2
Other Civil Expenditure	—3,41	—3,39	—30,13	—29,04	—48,02	—46,10
TOTAL CIVIL HEADS	—4,01	—3,95	—35,10	—33,81	—55,28	—53,20
Major Irrigation Working Expenses	—13	—16	—1,21	—1,22	—2,05	—1,83
Buildings and Roads Expenditure	—36	—68	—3,12	—3,99	—6,11	—6,65
Famine Relief (Public Works)	...	—2	—29	—48	—64	—76
Other P. W. Ordinary Expenditure	—8	—8	—66	—73	—1,25	—1,12
TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE (including Public Works)	—4,58	—4,89	—40,38	—40,23	—65,33	—63,56
Irrigation Capital Expenditure	—5	—6	—42	—75	—1,33	—1,06
Delhi Capital Expenditure	—2	—4	—24	—34	—32	—48
TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	—7	—10	—66	—1,09	—1,65	—1,54
Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from those Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments.						
The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance transactions.						
Posts and Telegraph (Net)	+6	—4	—38	—68	—1,94	—1,26
Marine (Net)	—1,18	—82	—7,52	—4,96	—7,43	—8,92
Military Works (Net)	—43	—12	—2,18	—92	—1,70	—1,89
Military Receipts	+14	+22	+1,67	+1,61	+1,42	+2,54
Military Issues	—5,51	—3,53	—36,60	—21,47	—40,79	—35,72
Railway Receipts.						
East Indian Railway	+77	+74	+5,85	+5,68	+59,81	+58,65
Other Railways	+4,45	+3,93	+34,39	+31,57		
TOTAL	+5,22	+4,67	+40,24	+37,25	+59,81	+58,65
Railway Issues.						
East Indian Railway	—51	—50	—3,76	—4,06	—38,58	—35,84
Other Railways	—2,43	—2,33	—21,23	—19,89		
TOTAL	—2,94	—2,83	—24,99	—23,95	—38,58	—35,84
TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS	—4,64	—2,45	—29,76	—18,12	—29,16	—22,44
Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net + Receipts more, — receipts less than payments)	...	—1	+6,73	+4,97	+6,48	+4,93
Temporary Loan	...	...	...	...	...	—4,50
Mint Certificates and Bullion Advances (Net as above)	+18	—1	+2,95	—4	...	+2
Transfers through Currency or Gold Standard Reserve	...	...	...	...	...	...
Remittance of Gold	...	...	...	—5,00	...	—3,00
Currency Transfers against silver	+2,32	...	+14,73	..	...	+51
Deposits of District Funds	—1	—18	+10	—30	—45	—50
Loans by Governments	—2	—15	+53	+12	+60	+65
Exchange on Remittance Account	...	...	...	+4	...	+19
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at R15 per £	—69	—88	—8,05	—7,34	—5,83	—7,64
Other Debt Heads	—39	+77	—4,63	—3,86	+54	—4,70
Sterling bills or Telegraphic Transfers on London	...	..	...	+7,36	...	+7,00
TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS	+1,39	—46	+12,36	—2,05	+1,34	—7,04
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES	—1,16	—3,25	—2,51	—9,70	+1,21	—3,95
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	16,68	15,72	18,03	22,17	17,18	22,17
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	15,52	12,47	15,52	12,47	18,39	18,22

J. B. BRUNYATE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 22nd December 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1524.—The undermentioned warrant officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

The Connaught Rangers.

Company Serjeant Major John Patrick Whelan. Dated 30th October 1916.

No. 1525.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

Battery Quartermaster Serjeant Frank Price,—11th December 1916.

No. 1526.—The undermentioned warrant and non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

Battery Serjeant Major Edward Prior,—15th October 1916.
Serjeant William Lewis,—16th October 1916.
Bombardier Henry James Terry,—16th October 1916.

Royal Garrison Artillery.

Battery Serjeant Major Alfred Thomas Watts,—15th October 1916.
Company Serjeant Major Instructor James Perigo,—21st November 1916.
Serjeant Ernest Claxton,—1st December 1916.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1527.—Captain Eric Oakley Hogan, Royal Garrison Artillery, Supply and Transport Corps, is admitted to the Indian Army, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 27th November 1916.

Captain Hogan will have seniority in the rank of Lieutenant from the 17th August 1907 and in the rank of Captain from the 17th May 1914.

No. 1528.—Temporary Second Lieutenant Richard Clarke Glover, Indian Army, is permitted to relinquish his temporary commission, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 4th December 1916.

Army Reserves.

No. 1529.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Cavalry Branch.

To be Lieutenant.

Eric Howard Thirkell-White. Dated 19th December 1916.

To be Second Lieutenant.

Thomas Ewart Riddle. Dated 21st December 1916.

Infantry Branch.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Richard William John Mayles.	Dated 1st December 1916.
Cyril James Fitzpatrick.	Dated 12th December 1916.
James George Howard. Percival Clement Hogan. Montague George Mansfield. Edward Lewis Longmore Garstin.	Dated 16th December 1916.
Sidney George Vaughan. Edward St. John Hebberd.	Dated 21st December 1916.

No. 1530.—James Macfie [Temporary Lieutenant, 23rd (North Western) Battalion, The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own], to be Second Lieutenant with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 16th December 1916, but to rank as Second Lieutenant from the 4th June 1915, and as Temporary Lieutenant from the 13th December 1915.

No. 1531.—Second Lieutenant Albert Brookes, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Provost Marshal, Aden, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 21st August 1916.

No. 1532.—Second Lieutenant Frank Currie Lewis, C.I.E., Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval with effect from the 16th December 1916.

No. 1533.—Army Department Notification No. 1345, dated the 10th November 1916, so far as it relates to the appointment of Horace Graham Wyatt as a Second Lieutenant of the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is cancelled.

No. 1534.—In Army Department Notification No. 1277, dated the 27th October 1916, *for* "Charles Cecil Courtney" *read* "Charles Cecil Courtney Lewis".

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1535.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Supplement dated the 3rd June 1916 to the London Gazette of the 2nd June 1916, page 5573.

War Office,
3rd June 1916.

His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for Distinguished Service in the Field dated 3rd June 1916 :—

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Awarded the Military Cross.

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Captain Stephen Gordon, Indian Medical Service.

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London Gazette, dated the 10th November 1916, pages 10857, 10858, 10860, 10865 and 10866.

War Office,
10th November 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made :—

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A. G.'s & Q. M. G.'s STAFF.

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D. A. A. G.—Major W. H. La T. Darley, 12th Pioneers, Indian Army, *vice* Captain R. E. G. Berkeley, 86th Carnatic Infantry, Indian Army. 12th October 1916.

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ATTACHED TO HEADQUARTER UNITS.

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Brigade Majors—

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Captain (temporary Major) E. S. C. Willis, D.S.O., 58th Vaughan's Rifles, Indian Army, *vice* Major R. H. Waithman, Royal Sussex Regiment. 9th October 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Davis, D.S.O., 53rd Sikhs, Indian Army, to be temporary Brigadier-General whilst employed as a Brigade Commander. 6th July 1916.

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Captain J. W. Thurston, 1st Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, to be temporary Captain. 11th November 1916.

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TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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INFANTRY.

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Highland Light Infantry.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. I. Ryder (Indian Army) relinquishes his commission in the Territorial Force on ceasing to command a Territorial Battalion. 11th November 1916.

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Second Supplement dated the 11th November 1916 to the London Gazette of the 10th November 1916, pages 10937, 10941 and 10944.

War Office,
11th November 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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Lieutenant (temporary Major) W. H. G. Baker, 31st Lancers, Indian Army, to be acting Lieutenant-Colonel whilst commanding a Battalion, Cheshire Regiment. 22nd August 1916.

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MACHINE GUN CORPS (CAVALRY).

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The undermentioned to be temporary Majors while serving with the Corps:—

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Captain A. H. Brooke (Lrs., Indian Army). 14th October 1916.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 1536.—The undermentioned officers relinquish their temporary rank on alteration in posting:—

1-5th Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) H. V. Howarth. Dated 11th August 1916.

2nd Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) G. H. Anthony. Dated 11th August 1916.

No. 1537.—The undermentioned officers revert to the rank of 2nd Lieutenant on alteration in posting:—

220th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery.

Temporary Captain W. G. Dobson,—24th October 1916.

" Lieutenant R. M. Cumberlege,—24th October 1916.

" " A. G. Taylor,—29th October 1916.

No. 1538.—Second Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Roger Gillies Ekin, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force) relinquishes his temporary rank. Dated 11th December 1916.

No. 1539.—The following temporary promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

2-6th Battalion, The Royal Sussex Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant G. A. Lunn to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 1st August 1916.

2nd Lieutenant R. A. Boulton to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 1st August 1916.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1540.—The following *acting* promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

7th Hariana Lancers.

2nd Lieutenant J. V. Hunt, I.A.R.O., attached, to be Captain, whilst commanding a squadron. Dated 5th July 1916.

Lieutenant F. T. Drake-Brockman, to be Captain, whilst commanding a squadron. Dated 27th January 1916.

Captain M. H. Simonds, to be Major, whilst 2nd-in-command of a regiment. Dated 14th May 1915.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) F. T. Drake-Brockman, relinquishes his acting rank. Dated 29th April 1916.

Lieutenant C. A. Forbes, I.A.R.O., attached, to be Captain, whilst commanding a squadron. Dated 25th July 1915.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) C. A. Forbes, I.A.R.O., attached, relinquishes his acting rank. Dated 27th July 1915.

Temporary Captain A. E. C. Harris, to be Captain, whilst commanding a squadron. Dated 19th January 1916.

12th Cavalry.

Major W. Hesketh, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, whilst commanding a regiment. Dated 3rd August 1916.

16th Cavalry.

Major C. D. Mears, M.V.O., 8th Cavalry, attached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, whilst commanding a regiment. Dated 17th July 1915.

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) C. D. Mears, M.V.O., 8th Cavalry, attached, relinquishes his acting rank. Dated 24th October 1915.

Major C. D. Mears, M.V.O., 8th Cavalry, attached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, whilst commanding a regiment. Dated 20th December 1915.

Captain H. W. D. Hill, to be Major, whilst 2nd-in-command of a regiment. Dated 20th December 1915.

Lieutenant M. G. P. Willoughby, 10th Lancers, attached, to be Captain, whilst commanding a squadron. Dated 1st June 1915.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.

Captain J. R. Landale (since deceased) to be Major, whilst 2nd-in-command of a battalion. Dated 23rd January 1916.

Captain H. B. Skinner (since deceased) to be Major, whilst 2nd-in-command of a battalion. Dated 2nd February 1916.

Lieutenant A. R. Raitt (since deceased) to be Captain, whilst commanding a company. Dated 3rd March 1916.

Captain L. C. Wagstaff, to be Major, whilst 2nd-in-command of a battalion. Dated 5th May 1916.

Captain (acting Major) L. C. Wagstaff relinquishes his acting rank. Dated 16th July 1916.

Captain E. H. C. Brander to be Major, whilst 2nd-in-command of a battalion. Dated 17th July 1916.

Brevet-Major H. O. B. Wood, 8th Rajputs, attached, to be Major, whilst 2nd-in-command of a battalion. Dated 22nd April 1916.

Brevet-Major (acting Major) H. O. B. Wood, 8th Rajputs, attached, to retain the acting rank of Major whilst commanding a battalion. Dated 4th June 1916.

3rd Brahmans.

Lieutenant E. A. H. Mackenzie to be Captain, whilst commanding a company. Dated 10th March 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant P. C. Stowell, I. A. R. O., attached, to be Captain, whilst commanding a company. Dated 27th April 1916.

2nd Lieutenant H. E. R. Barker, I A. R. O., attached, to be Captain whilst commanding a company. Dated 13th July 1916.

2nd Lieutenant (acting Captain) H. E. R. Barker, I. A. R. O., attached, relinquishes his acting rank. Dated 21st July 1916.

4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.

Captain B. S. A. F. Greville, 16th Rajputs, attached, to be Major whilst 2nd-in-command of a battalion. Dated 21st December 1915.

Captain W. R. Ames, to be Major, whilst 2nd-in-command of a battalion. Dated 24th September 1915.

Captain (acting Major) W. R. Ames relinquishes his acting rank. Dated 20th December 1915.

Lieutenant R. H. Pemrose-Welsted, to be Captain, whilst commanding a company. Dated 18th October 1915.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) R. H. Pemrose-Welsted, relinquishes his acting rank. Dated 17th December 1915.

2nd Lieutenant A. R. Anderson, I.A.R.O., atttached, to be Captain, whilst commanding a company. Dated 20th September 1915.

2nd Lieutenant (acting Captain) A. R. Anderson, I.A.R.O., attached, relinquishes his acting rank. Dated 22nd October 1915.

No. 1541.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

14th November 1916.

Arthur Hunter Buist, M. V. O., Commandant, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).

17th December 1916.

Arthur Bourke Souter, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).

24th December 1916.

Arthur Basil Tillard, D. S. O., 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Captains to be Majors.

18th December 1916.

Edmund Malet Nixon, 36th Jacob's Horse.

23rd December 1916.

William Lachlan Campbell, C.I.E., Supernumerary List.
Brevet-Major Harry Walter Tobin, D. S. O, 128th Pioneers.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

18th December 1916.

Clive Kirkpatrick Daly, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).
Roland Dening, 18th King George's Own Lancers.

20th December 1916.

Thomas Chalmers Mackenzie, 6th King Edward's Own Cavalry.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1542.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Kenneth Butterworth Roger.	Dated 31st January 1916.
Thomas Seth Apcar.	Dated 3rd November 1916.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 1543.—In Army Department Notification No. 826, dated the 21st July 1916, *for* " No. 1310, Satyaranjan Bhowmick 1st May 1916," *read* " No. 1310, Satyaranjan Bhowmick 18th April 1916 ".

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS

No. 1544.—The following promotions are made :—

2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse).

Ressaidar Suraj Singh, I. O. M., to be Risaldar, with effect from the 26th October 1915 and to remain seconded.

Ressaidar Mukh Ram to be Risaldar and Jemadar Abdul Latif Khan to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 26th October 1915; to complete the establishment.

11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).

Dafadar Chain Singh, to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th September 1916; to complete the establishment.

23rd Sikh Pioneers.

Jemadar Sohan Singh and Sundar Singh to be Subadars and Havildars Bawa Singh, Jhanda Singh, Narayan Singh, Basawa Singh, Jawahir Singh, Harnam Singh (1), Harnam Singh (II), Sadda Singh and Bir Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 6th November 1916; to complete the establishment.

34th Sikh Pioneers.

Havildar Nikka Singh, I. O. M, to be Jemadar, with effect from the 24th June 1916; to complete the establishment.

51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Kishan Singh (126th Baluchistan Infantry) to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st June 1916 and Jemadars Tika Khan and Gokal to be Subadars, with effect from the 8th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Bakhtawar Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 5th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

62nd Punjabis.

Havildar Bostan Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 28th September 1916; but to be antedated without pay and allowances, to the 20th February 1916; to complete the establishment.

86th Carnatic Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Ahmad Hussain Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1916; *vice* Shaikh Pahlwan, deceased.

1st Battalion, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Jemadar Ganpat Krishnaji to be Subadar, Havildar Kishensai, Havildar-Major Lal Singh and Quartermaster-Havildar Narayan Sadashiv to be Jemadars, with effect from the 26th November 1916; to complete the establishment.

51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).

No. 1545.—The date of the promotion of Jemadar Arjan Singh to Subadar is the 24th March 1916 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1164, dated the 29th September 1916.

No. 1546.—The honorary rank of jemadar is conferred on retirement on No. 449 Havildar-Major Lal Singh, No. 2 Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery, with effect from the 13th August 1916.

No. 1547.—The following Indian officers of the Burma Military Police are appointed to be temporary jemadars in the Indian Army, with effect from the date specified against their names:—

Jemadar Bahri Khan—Jemadar in the 27th Punjabis. Dated 16th October 1916.

Jemadar Ghulam Hasan Khan—Jemadar in the 27th Punjabis. Dated 16th October 1916.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 1548.—Second Lieutenant John Sayers McKill, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 19th December 1916.

RETENTIONS.

Miscellaneous List, Madras.

No. 1549.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain John Hanley is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 4th November 1916, until further orders.

REWARDS.

No. 1550.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to announce that His Majesty the King-Emperor has been graciously pleased to ordain that Imperial Service Troops, Frontier Militia, Zhob Levy Corps and Military Police when on active service with the Imperial Forces shall be eligible for the grant of the Victoria Cross for valour.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1551.—The following Order by His Majesty in Council extending the Geneva Convention Act, 1911, to India, with certain adaptations, is published for general information:—

AT THE COURT AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE,

The 24th day of October 1916.

PRESENT,

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY

LORD PRESIDENT
LORD CHAMBERLAIN
LORD CARNOCK
MR. SECRETARY BONAR LAW
SIR JOSEPH G. WARD
MR. W. F. MASSEY
LORD JUSTICE SCRUTTON.

WHEREAS by the Geneva Convention Act, 1911, it is enacted that, from the commencement of the said Act, it shall not be lawful for any person to use for the purposes of his trade or business, or for any other purpose whatsoever, without the authority of the Army Council, the heraldic emblem of the Red Cross on a white ground, formed by reversing the Federal Colours of Switzerland, or the words "Red Cross" or "Geneva Cross," and that if any person acts in contravention of this provision he shall be guilty of an offence against the said Act, and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding ten pounds, and to forfeit any goods upon or in connection with which the emblem or words were used:

AND WHEREAS it is also enacted that proceedings under the said Act shall not in England or Ireland be instituted without the consent of the Attorney-General:

AND WHEREAS it is also enacted that the said Act shall extend to His Majesty's Possessions outside the United Kingdom, subject to such necessary adaptations as may be made by Order in Council:

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that certain adaptations should be made in the said Act with regard to its application to British India:

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf by the said Act, or otherwise, vested in His Majesty, it is hereby ordered by His Majesty, by and with the advice of the Privy Council, as follows:—

(1) This Order in Council may be cited for all purposes as "The Geneva Convention Act, 1911, (British India), Order in Council, 1916."

(2) The Geneva Convention Act, 1911, in its application to British India shall be adapted as follows:—

(*i*) The powers by the said Act vested in the Army Council shall be vested in the Secretary to the Government of India.

(*ii*) Proceedings under the said Act shall not be instituted without the consent of the Local Government.

(3) This Order shall come into force on a date to be fixed by the Governor General of India.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

No. 1552.—In pursuance of paragraph 3 of the Geneva Convention Act, 1911, (British India), Order in Council, 1916, the Governor General is pleased to fix the 22nd of December 1916 as the date on which the said Order in Council shall come into force.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Lucknow Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1553.—Lieutenant Frederick Burton to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st November 1916.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Percy Tarran to be Lieutenant, *vice* F. Burton, promoted. Dated the 1st November 1916.

Frank Alberk Hilborn to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* F. P. Tarran, promoted. Dated the 1st November 1916.

Eastern Bengal Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1554.—Robert Steel Finlow to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 21st August 1916.

Rangoon Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1555.—Lieutenant Colonel William Sutherland, V. D., to be Commandant of the Corps. Dated the 26th September 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 22nd December 1916.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 61.—Commander W. B. Huddleston, Royal Indian Marine, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 14th November 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 18th December 1916.

No. 405-F.-16.—In pursuance of section 135 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890) the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the Administration of the Aden Railway shall be liable to pay in aid of the funds of the local authority set out in the schedule hereto annexed the taxes specified in the second column thereof.

SCHEDULE.

Local authority.	Taxes.
1	2
Aden Settlement	House and Property tax, and General Sanitary tax.

Simla, the 18th December 1916.

No. 1763-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's notifications No. 1705-3-E., dated the 22nd September 1916, and No. 821-E., dated the 21st November 1916, Mr. I. S. Cameron, officiating District Locomotive Superintendent, North Western Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 30th November 1916.

The 19th December 1916.

No. 1937-E.-16.—Mr. H. R. Walton, Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary rank, and officiating Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2, Calcutta, is transferred to the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway and appointed to officiate as Deputy Agent of that Railway until further orders.

Railway Board's notifications Nos. 1879-E. and 1879-2-E., dated the 9th November 1916, are hereby cancelled.

Delhi, the 20th December 1916.

No. 783-F.-16.—In pursuance of sub-section (1) of section 135 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890) the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the administration of the East Indian Railway shall be liable to pay in aid of the funds of the local authority set out in the schedule hereto annexed the taxes specified in the second column thereof.

SCHEDULE.

Local authority.	Taxes.
1	2
Rishra-Konnagore Municipality . . .	House and Latrine taxes.

Simla, the 20th December 1916.

No. 345-R.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 345-R.-16, dated the 20th December 1916, the following officiating promotions are made with effect from the 10th November 1916:—

Name.	From	To
Mr. W. S. Wood . . .	Superintendent, 3rd grade . .	Superintendent, 2nd grade.
Mr. C. H. L. Harvey . . .	Assistant, 1st grade . . .	Superintendent, 3rd grade.

No. 345-R.-16.—Lala Balak Nath, Superintendent, grade II, Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is granted privilege leave for one month and sixteen days combined with leave on medical certificate for four months and fourteen days under articles 233, 246 and 338 (*b*), Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th November 1916.

No. W. B.-120.—Mr. A. E. Wallace, officiating Assistant Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway, is placed on special duty under the Railway Board with effect from the 15th October 1916, and until further orders.

F. A. HADOW,

Secretary, Railway Board.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 23rd December 1916.

No. 354-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 11255-W.-II, dated the 18th November 1916, *viz.*:—

ADDITIONS.

Argentina and Uruguay.

Aachen and München Insurance Company, Calle Cangallo 319, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Agence Stigler, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Arnold, H., Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Barbagelata, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bernard Hermanos, Calle Cangallo 315, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bonino, José A., Calle Rincon 456, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Brito, Enrique, Rondeau 2126, Montevideo, Urugnay.
Buddensieg, Juan, Calle Cangallo 845, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bustamante, Miguel, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Callejas, J., Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Cattaneo, Constantino, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Cevini, Luis, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Defesche, Juan, Calle Moreno 508, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Fuhrmann (H.) & Company, Herrera 2260/2300; Paseo Colon 1102-1128; Calle Maipu 39 and Calle Peru 1182, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Horn & Company, San Martin 201, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hosmann, Julio, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Melber, Leon (of Boker & Company), Calle Alsina 261, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Mey, Hugo, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Meyer, D., & Company, Calle Cangallo 499, Bahia Blanca, Argentina.
Padros, Simon & Company, Tres Esquinas 676, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Panzera, Reinaldo, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Puig, Alberto, & Company, Argentina.
Robert, Pusterla & Company, Calle Belgrano; Calle Peru 401, Buenos Aires; and Calle Urquiza 1099, Rosario, Argentina.
Schlief, Georg, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Ures, Alfredo, Montevideo, Uruguay.

BOLIVIA.

Fuss, Alfredo, (of Hirschmann & Company), La Paz.
Joerges & Company, Calle Oruro, Potosi.
Krüger, R., & Company, Cochabamba.
"La Mariposa," La Paz.

BRAZIL.

Beck, Ernesto, & Company, Florianopolis.
Buschmann, C., Rua Theophilo Ottoni 76, Rio de Janeiro.
Cardoso, Victor Mattos, Para.
Casa Lemcke, Rua Libero Badara 104, Sao Paulo.
Chaves, J. P., Santos.
Coelho, José Ignacio, Rua da Constituicao 44, Rio de Janeiro.
Companhia Graphica Rio Grandense, Porto Alegre.
Companhia Industrial de Ribeirao Pires, Sao Bernardo.
Companhia Nacional de Café, Rua 15 de Novembro, Santos.
Day (John) Bromberg & Company, Marechal Floriano 51; Vigario José Ignacio 19 and 21 and Rua val Patria 24, Porto Alegre.
Dias, José Esteves, Para.
Drechsler, Max, & Company, Rua do Bon Jesus 20, Pernambuco.
Fonseca, Vaz & Company, Rua Sao Pedro 63, Rio de Janeiro.
Friedrichs, Werner, Rua Quinze Novembro, Para.
Haering, Fritz, Rio de Janeiro.
Laves de Moraes, José, Sao Paulo.
Leal, Anthanasio, Sao Francisco do Sul.
Leite de Fonseca, A., Rua Sao Bento 5, Rio de Janeiro.
Lemcke, Henrique, Rua Libero Badaro 25 Sao Paulo.

MARTINS, MANOEL, & COMPANY, Rio de Janeiro.
MARX, W. (*alias* HENRIQUE OLIVEIRA & COMPANY, *alias* "NORBERT HERTZ", *alias* D. TYNE O'DAY, *alias* "MINS MISSEN"), Rua da Alfandega 102, Rio de Janeiro.
MATTHEIS & COMPANY, Rua [illegible] Camara 69-71, Rio de Janeiro.
MELCHER, CONRADO, [illegible] COMPANY, Rua Sao Bento 40, [illegible]
"MINS MISSEN" [illegible] W. MARX).
"NORBERT HERTZ" (see W. MARX).
NOSSACK & COMPANY, Rua Frei Gaspar 22, Santos.
O'DAY, D. TYNE (see W. MÂRX).
OLIVA, J., Sao Paulo.
OLIVEIRA, EDUARDO, Santos.
OLIVEIRA, HENRIQUE, & COMPANY (see W. MARX).
RIBEIRO, TRAJANO (JORDAN GERKEN & COMPANY), Sao Francisco do Sul.
SCHMIDT, TROST & COMPANY, Rua Santo Antonio 5, Santos; Rua Alvares Penteado, and Caixa 153, Sao Paulo.
SILVA (DA), DOMINGOS & COMPANY, Rua Sao Bento 28A, Sao Paulo.
TRINKS, PETER, & COMPANY, Rua de Santo 38, Santos.
VAZ, JOSÉ, Rua Sao Pedro 65, Rio de Janeiro.
VOELCKER, LUIS, & COMPANY, Porto Alegre.
WARNECKE, HERMANN, & COMPANY, Rua Direita 9, Sao Paulo.
WERNER, HILPERT & COMPANY, Rua da Alfandega 99-101, 104, and 108, Rio de Janeiro.
WOEBEKE GUSTAV, Porto Alegre.

CHILE.

ALVAREZ, JOSÉ REINALDO, Coquimbo.
BLACKADDER, GUILLERMO, Iquique.
BONDER, VICTOR, Concepcion.
CHAPARRA, LUIS A., Iquique.
CARRASCO, JUSTINIANO (TIMMERMANN & COMPANY), Valparaiso and Santiago.
LILLO, GUILLERMO, Antofagasta.
LOPEZ LOAYZA, ALFREDO, Iquique.
PLESCH, JULIO, B. Arana 281, Concepcion.
VEGA, LUIS S., Iquique.

COLOMBIA.

BOTICA ALEMANA.
DISSEL (VAN) RODE & COMPANY, Cucuta.
GIESEKEN, LUDWIG, & COMPANY, Barranquilla.
ILLERS, JUAN D., Barranquilla.
MATOS, VICENTE, Barranquilla.
NOBMANN & COMPANY, Barranquilla.
STRAUSS, GEORG, & COMPANY, Barranquilla.
WILLSON COOK, W., Cucuta.

DENMARK.

ANITA PRODUCE COMPANY A/S., Sofievej 2, Copenhagen.
CHRISTENSEN & THOGERSEN, Gronningen 1, Copenhagen.
CONTINENTAL HANDELS & TRANSIT AKTIESELSKAB, Vimmelskaftet 42, Copenhagen.
GAD, TH., C[illegible], Havnegade 45; Vesterbrogade 1[illegible] and Frederiksberg Allé 19A, iii, Copenhagen.
HAUBROS, [illegible] COMPANY A/S., Holbergsgade 8, Copenhagen.
HENIUS, EMIL, [illegible]vervoldgade 31; Gronningen 15; [illegible]gade 21 (formerly of Christian[illegible] Gade), Copenhagen
HOLM, ULRICH C., Vimmelskaftet 42, Copenhagen.
INTERCHANGE LIMITED A/S. (Manager E. U. LANDGRAFF) Holbergsgade 3, Copenhagen.
JENSEN & HOECK, Amaliegade 36, Copenhagen.
LANDGRAFF E. U. B. W., or E. M. (of INTERCHANGE LIMITED A/S.), Holbergsgade 3, Copenhagen.
SCHACKE, JULIUS, Knabrostraede 1, Copenhagen.
STREIT, CARL, Aalborg and Esbjerg.

ECUADOR.

DELIUS, A. H., Q[illegible]
BRAUER, LEOPOLD[illegible]
BUCRAM, M. (or [illegible]), Quito.
HINNAOUIH, BACHIR, Quito.
MULLER, JORGE, Quito.
RAHIM, ABDUL, Quito.
REHMER, EDGAR, Quito.
SCHWOTZER, WILHELM, Quito.
USCOCOVICH, GREGORIO, Bahia de Caráquez.
WEBBER, CARLOS, Quito.

GREECE.

ACHAIA WINE COMPANY (SOCIÉTÉ VINICOLE ALLEMANDE), Gutland, Patras.
AKIF HASSAN, & COMPANY, Salonika.
ASSEO, JACOB, Yildiz Han 11, Salonika.
CHARAMIS, PANAYIOTIS, Piræus.
COHEN, MORDOH & COMPANY, Kasmindji Han, Salonika.
COHEN, SIMANDO, Piræus.
FABRIQUE DE TABACS ET CIGARETTES MACEDONIENNES, Salonika.
FENYVES, PHILIP, Teldji Han 18, Salonika.
INTERNATIONAL MAGNESIT WERKEN, Gerekari, Eubœa.
MAROULIS, ALEXANDER, & COMPANY, Salonika.
MAYER & COMPANY, Salonika.
MAZZINO, A. J., Syra.
MICELI, E., & C. B. XANTHOS, 20, Place de la Liberté, Athens.
SOCIÉTÉ ANONYME D'ENTREPRISES COMMERCIALES, Kolokotronis Street, Piræus.
STEIN'S ORIENTAL STORES LIMITED, Salonika.
STUERMER, MAX, Candia, Crete.
ZACHARIOU, JOHN, Rethymo, Crete.
ZACHARIOU, PETER, & SON, Rethymo, Crete.
ZIRINI BROTHERS (JOHN, BASIL & GEORGE ZIRINI), Xanthi.

JAPAN.

ERNEKO, K., 126 Yamate-cho, Yokohama.
KIMURA, K., Shimo-osaki, Tokyo
KIMURA SHOTEN, 4 Honkawaya-cho, Nihonbashi, Tokyo.
KOSAKA, K., 154 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.

LIBERIA.*

CASTELVI, MANUEL.
COMERCIO ESPANOL.
EXPOSITE, FELIX.
GONZALEZ, JUSTO.
GUMERA, SALVADOR SERRA
HARMON, S. H. JUNIOR.
PEINATE, AUGUSTIN.
VALLE, ARSENIO.

MOROCCO.*

AZULAY, SOLOMON DAVID, Alcazar.
BENCHETRIT, MOSES, Tangier.
COHEN, AARON S., Tangier.
MEIER, MAX, Tangier.
MORA, JUAN, Laraiche.
MORA, RICARDO, Tangier.
SANANES, SAMUEL A., Tangier.
THUM, R., Laraiche.
VILLALTA, DR. ARCADIS, Arzila.

NOTE.—The name of the firm with which trading is prohibited by the Order of 29th of February 1916, is Moses Abitbol & Sons, Laraiche. The firm of M. Abitbol et Fils Ainé (Comptoir Commercial Français de l'Afrique du Nord), of 41 Boulvard National, Oran, has not been placed on the statutory List, and trading with that firm is not prohibited.

NETHERLANDS.

ADLER & OPPENHEIMER, N.V., Prinsensgracht 379, Amsterdam.
AMSTERDAM IMPORT KANTOOR, Koningsplein 14, Amsterdam.
GALKORN & COMPANY, Rokin 92-96, Amsterdam.
ESSLERK LIMITED, Gelderschekade 21; Wite Huis, Wijnhaven 3; and Koningsteeg 1, Rotterdam.
FORTUIN HZN., A. J., Keizersgracht 372, Amsterdam.
GOLDUNTZ (JOE, PAUL, MAX, ROMI, LEON AND MICHEL), Amsterdam and Scheveningen.
HAERSOLTE, H. VAN, Goudscherijweg 91A-95, Rotterdam.
HALLER, C., Vondelstraat 152, Amsterdam.
"HOLLANDIA" TEXTIEL MAATSCHAPPY, Enchede.
KLOSTERMANN, BERNARD, Willemsparkweg 181, Amsterdam.
NEDERLANDSCHE MAATSCHAPPY VOOR OVERZEE COMMISSIEHANDEL, Weesperzijde 89, Amsterdam.
ORENSTEIN & KOPPEL, N.Z., Voorburgwal 227, Amsterdam.
OUDEN, J. H., DEN, Watergraafsmeer, and Fredriksplein 45, Amsterdam.
POLS PZ., H. VAN DER, Clemensstraat 60A, and Wolphaertstr. 2A, Rotterdam.
PRAAG SIGAAR, S. VAN, Keizersgracht 137, Amsterdam.
ROEMER, VAN DE, & COMPANY, Hondiusstraat 10B, Rotterdam.
SWARTBERG, LEON, & COMPANY, Vijverhofstraat 147A, Rotterdam.
WOUDEN, G. VAN DER, Keizersgracht 203, Amsterdam.
YKEL, D., Frederiksplein 12, Amsterdam (formerly of Hoogendijk 112, Zaandam).

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

ALTMANN, A. H., Bandoeng, Java.
BEERMAN, W., Sibolga, Sumatra.
GARLICH, O. E., Bandoeng, Java.
GO BENG HIN, Batavia.
GUAN JOO & COMPANY, Medan.
HAN KIEM GOAN MERK HIAP SIANG BOO, Macassar.
HEYMANS VAN DER DOUWER, H. M. R., Samarang.
JOE GAN TJANG, Macassar.
LAY KUM SUN DENTIES, Macassar.
LIESE, J. E., Batavia.
LIM KANG TJOEAN MERK LEK TJOAN LIONG, Batavia.
MEELHUIJSEN, J., Sourabaya.
MEER, S. VAN DER, Medan, Sumatra.
NIO TJONG LONG (*alias* T. L. NIO), Macassar.
PETERSEN, H., Samarang.
SANDEL, D., Medan, and Palembang.
TAN HOK SOK, Macassar.
WYTMAN, A., Medan, Sumatra.
ZEITLIN, A., Palembang.

NORWAY.

BRÖCHNER, AUGUST, c/o Alfred Michels, Toldbodgaten 11, Christiania.
CLAUSEN, C., & COMPANY, Grubbegate 8, Christiania.
FALKUM LYS & SAEPEFABRIK, (Proprietor A. JOHNSEN), Skien.
HAMMER & LINDSTAD, Raadhusgaten 20, Christiania.
"HAUGAR" HERMETIKFABRIKEN, Haugesund.
HJELTE, C. J., Tordenskjoldsgate 11, Christiania.
JUUL, NIELS & COMPANY, Kongensgt. 2, Christiania.
LARSEN, GERH. L., Skippergt. 20 Christiania.
MELBYE, H. C. A., Kongensgt. 31, Christiania.
MICHELS, ALFRED, Toldbodgaten 11, Christiania.
"NOITRAL" A/S., Stavanger.
NORENG, HELGE, Tomtegate 10, Christiania, and Frederikstad.
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TROYE, JOHAN, A/S., Nordnesgt. 11, Bergen.
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GHAFAR ITADALIEH, Ispahan.
INTADALIEH, Ispahan.

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MODENESI, FERNANDO, Lima.
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SIDERURGIA Y MAQUINARIA EXTRANJERA, Calle Martinez Cubells 10, Valencia.
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GOTTHARDT, HERMAN, Jörgen Kocksg.. 4, Malmö.
JAPANSKA MAGAZINET, Birgerjarlsgatan 6, Stockholm.
JOHANNSEN, NIKOLAI, Skeppsbron 18, Stockholm.
KJELLBERG, J. A., & SONNER, Ö. Hamngatan 19, Gothenburg.
MALMÖ KORKFABRIKS (A/B.), Friisg. 6, Malmö.
MOSER, EUGEN, Odeng. 22, Stockholm.
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PRYTZ THÉIMPORT, Kungsportsplatsen 2, Gothenburg.
SCHLASBERG, HENNING & COMPANY, Landskrona.
SEIDEN, H., Vallingatan 37, Stockholm.
"STANDARD" INDUSTRI (A/B.), Gustav Adolf's Torg 15, Stockholm.
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BARALT, A. MIGUEL, Maracaibo.
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DALLA COSTA, VENTURA BERTRAN, Cuidad Bolivar.
DUBUC, A., Maracaibo.
GARCIA DELEPIANI, M., Cuidad Bolivar.
JUNCAL, FERNANDO, Cuidad Bolivar.
MAURY, JOSÉ VENTURA, Maracaibo.
NUNEZ, POMPILIO, Cuidad Bolivar.
PINEDA & OJEDA, La Guayra.
RAMIREZ, ISMAEL, San Cristobal.
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VALENTINER, BEHRENS & COMPANY, Caracas; Puerto Cabello and La Guayra.
WILLSON COOK, W., Maracaibo and San Cristobal.

REMOVALS.

BRAZIL.

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VARGAS, LEONIDAS, Antofagasta.

ECUADOR.

HEINERT, LEONARD, Guayaquil.

MOROCCO.

AFERGAN, DAVID, Laraiche.
BENIZRI, RAFAEL, Laraiche.

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NEUMANN & COMPANY, Batavia.
TECHNISCHE BUREAU SUNDA, Bandoeng.

PERSIA.

HAJI GHOLEM ALI, and HAJI MOHAMED BAGHER BEHBEHANI & SONS, Bushire.

SADIE, AFSHAR, Yezd.

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DA SOUZA, LUIZ MOREIRA, Palma ; Ibo and Porto Amelia.

DE SOUSA, BISMARK, Palma ; Ibo and Porto Amelia.

HABIB, JACOB, Porto Amelia ; Palma and Ibo.

ISMAIL JUMA, Porto Amelia ; Palma and Ibo.

MOZAMBIQUE WHALING COMPANY.

PORTUGUESE WEST AFRICA, PORTUGUESE GUINEA. FERNANDO PO AND RIO MUNI.

PEREZ Y MORA, Fernando Po.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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URUGUAY.

BONINO, E., & SCHROEDER, E. A., Misiones 1467, Montevideo.

VARIATIONS.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

CASTILLO, GERARDO, Montevideo, Uruguay,

should read

CASTILLO Y MORALES, Montevideo, Uruguay.

KROPP & COMPANY, Piedras 1448 and Rivadavia 751-761, Buenos Aires, Argentina, and Cerrito 513, (formerly of Misiones 158), Montevideo, Uruguay.

RABE, WALDER AND COMPANY, 25 de MAYO 694, (formerly of Misiones 1373), Montevideo Uruguay.

WAGENKNECHT, E., & COMPANY, 25 de Agosto 422, (formerly of Cerro Largo 791), Montevideo, Uruguay.

BRAZIL.

CAMPOS, ALEXANDRE & COMPANY, Uberaba, near Sao Paulo.

SCHOLZ, WALDEMAR, Manaos.

CHILE.

LANGE & COMPANY, Casilla 953, Valparaiso ; and Concepcion.

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BERGSMA, AGENTUUR & COMMISSIEHANDEL, (H. J. L. VERHOEVEN), Reguliersgracht 28, Amsterdam.

HOLLANDIA EXPORT COMPANY, Postbus 497 and Koerweerlaan 21, Rotterdam.

LOO, J. VAN, & COMPANY (cover for ROLAND TRANSPORT A/G.), Kromme Waal 22, Amsterdam; and Leuvehaven 32, Rotterdam.

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PORTUGAL.

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BAGET Y LAITOTAS, JOSÉ, } Plaza Hurinera, Reus; and Tarragona.
BAGET Y JORNET, JOSÉ, }

GIL, JUAN, Paseo de Colon 19 and Chatelar 9, Seville.

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INDUSTRIA ESPANOLA DE PERLAS IMITACIÓN, Calle Diputacion 87, 91, 108 and 110 Barcelona.

LENZE, CARLOS, Calle Colón 13, Valencia.

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MEYER Y BACHARACH, Calle Serrano y Grao and Calle Colón 36, Valencia; and Malaga.

SWEDEN.

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NORFOLK SMELTING COMPANY, West Norfolk, Virginia; and 61 Broadway, New York.

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No. 12689-C.-W.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information:—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

FOR PROHIBITING THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R. I.

Whereas by Section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation:

And whereas it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain goods should be prohibited as hereinafter provided:

Now, therefore, we by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows:

As from and after the date hereof, subject as hereinafter provided the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, *viz.*:—

Jewellery and all manufactures of gold and silver other than watches and watch cases.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 11) Proclamation, 1916.

Given at our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Sixteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 325-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916, (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India of Motor Cars, Chassis, Motor Cycles and parts thereof and accessories of motor cars and motor cycles, other than tyres:

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall be deemed to prohibit:—

(*i*) the import of any goods by, or for the use of, the Crown;

(*ii*) the import of any goods shipped from any Indian port;

(*iii*) the import of any goods from any Native State in India;

(*iv*) the import of any goods imported under a licence granted by the Chief Customs Officer at the place of import.

No. 328-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 8106-W.-II, dated the 2nd September 1916, *viz*:—

Additions.

Indo-Burma Cigar Depôt	Bangkok.
Ko San Nyun	"
Moung Pe	"

CUSTOMS.

The 23rd December 1916.

No. 330-C. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 23 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt sulphate of ammonia and mineral phosphates from import duty leviable thereon under item No. 93 of Schedule II, Part IV, of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as subsequently amended.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 23rd December 1916.

No. 336-C. D.—Mr. A. E. McKenna, Head Accountant in the Calcutta Custom House, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service at Calcutta, with effect from the 21st December 1916.

H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GENERAL

The 23rd December 1916.

No. 307-G.-D.—With reference to this Department's Notification No. 11052, dated the 11th November 1916, Mr. A. H Ley, I.C.S., is reverted to his appointment as Deputy Secretary in this Department and the Honourable Mr. H. F. Howard, C.I.E., I.C.S., appointed sub. *pro tempore* Secretary *vice* Mr. C. E. Low, C.I.E., I.C.S., with effect from the 18th December 1916, and until further orders.

I. D. ELLIOTT,
Under Secretary to the Government of India.

The 23rd December 1916.

No. 310-G. D.—With reference to this Department's Notification No. 11052, dated the 11th November 1916, Mr. S. H. Slater, I.C.S., is placed on special duty in the Department of Commerce and Industry from the 18th December 1916 until further orders.

H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 21st December 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

A slight disturbance of the winter type gave light local precipitation in north Baluchistan, the North-West Frontier Province hills, Kashmir and the north Punjab, but over the rest of the country the weather was dry throughout the week.

2. *Burma.*—There was no rain.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—There was no rain.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was no rain.

Northwest India.—Light rain fell at Robat and Chaman on the 14th, at Parachinar and Drosh on the 14th and 15th and at Murree and Rawalpindi on the 16th. In Kashmir there was light snowfall round Dras and Sonamarg on the 15th and 16th.

The Peninsula.—Pamban had a light fall of rain.

3. The daily amounts were all below half an inch, except in the case of Parachinar (0·65"), Murree (0·63") and Drosh (0·58").

4. The rainfall of the week was more than 20 per cent in defect in all divisions with the exception of the following where the absence of rainfall is a normal feature at this time of year :—Assam, Bengal, Bihar, Sind, Rajputana West, Gujarat, Central India West, the Konkan and Hyderabad.

The rainfall from the 1st December to date is more than 20 per cent in excess in Mysore, and is within 20 per cent of the normal in Assam. It is 20 per cent or more in defect in the rest of the country, except in the following divisions where no rain usually falls during this period of the year:—Bihar, Sind, Gujarat, the Konkan and Hyderabad South.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 21st December 1916.			Rainfall data from 1st December to 21st December 1916.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal: This week.	Percentage departure from normal: Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	0	1·4	−1·4	0	5·3	−5·3	−100	−100
Lower Burma	0	0·1	−0·1	0·1	0·3	−0·2	−67	−50
Upper Burma	0	0·1	−0·1	0·2	0·4	−0·2	−50	−33
Assam	0	0	0	0·2	0·2	0	0	0
Bengal	0	0	0	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Orissa	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·3	−0·3	−100	−100
Chota Nagpur	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Bihar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Provinces, East	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
United Provinces, West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Punjab, East and North	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Punjab, South-West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Kashmir	0·2	0·5	−0·3	0·2	0·9	−0·7	−78	−100
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·3	−0·3	−100	−100
Baluchistan	0·1	0·2	−0·1	0·1	0·7	−0·6	−86	−100
Sind	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	−100
Rajputana, East	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Central India, West	0	0	0	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	−100
Central India, East	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Berar	0	0·2	−0·2	0	0·4	−0·4	−100	−100
Central Provinces, West	0	0·2	−0·2	0	0·3	−0·3	−100	−100
Central Provinces, East	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Konkan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bombay Deccan	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Hyderabad, North	0	0	0	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Hyderabad, South	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mysore	0	0·1	−0·1	0·5	0·4	+0·1	+25	+67
Malabar	0	0·3	−0·3	0·3	1·1	−0·8	−73	−63
Madras, South-East	0	1·1	−1·1	2·3	3·3	−1·0	−30	+5
Madras Deccan	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·3	−0·3	−100	−100
Madras Coast, North	0	0·3	−0·3	0·3	1·2	−0·9	−75	−67

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 21st December 1916.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 16th December 1916.

Burma.—The week was rainless. Reaping of winter rice has become general in Lower Burma and a good harvest is expected in Upper Burma. Reaping of winter rice, sowing of miscellaneous crops, gathering of groundnuts and late sesamum and plucking of cotton are proceeding. Standing crops are in good condition. Cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon is Rs. 117 per hundred baskets and is considerably above normal.

Assam.—The weather during the week was seasonable and practically rainless. Plucking and manufacturing of tea and sowing of mustard are nearing completion. Pruning of tea has begun. Harvesting of winter rice, pressing of sugarcane and plucking of cotton are in progress. Prospects of tea, mustard, cotton and sugarcane are fair and of pulses moderate. Fodder is insufficient in Sylhet. Insect pests are still prevalent in flood affected districts of Cachar and Nowgong. Cattle disease is reported from six districts. The price of common rice has fallen in five districts. Distribution of agricultural loans and seed still continues in Cachar.

Bengal.—There was no rain during the week. Sowing of spring crops is nearing completion. Prospects are generally fair. Harvesting of sugarcane has commenced in some of the western districts and reaping of winter paddy is proceeding; the outturn is estimated at 94 per cent. of the normal. Fodder is scarce in parts of Dacca and Tippera. Cattle disease is reported from five districts. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 27 per cent. as compared with that of the preceding week.

Bihar and Orissa.—There was no rain during the week. Harvesting of paddy continues; pressing of sugarcane and weeding of spring crops are going on. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has risen in three and fallen in six and has been stationary in the remaining districts as compared with the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from fifteen districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—The week was rainless. Harvesting and threshing of late rice, sowing of poppy and picking of cotton are nearing completion. Irrigation of spring crops and poppy and pressing of sugarcane continue. Preparation of land for the next cane crop has begun in places. Standing corps are doing well everywhere and prospects are favourable. The condition of agricultural stock is good and there is little cattle disease. Fodder and water are ample. Market supplies are adequate. Prices have fallen in twenty-five districts, risen in ten and are stationary elsewhere.

Punjab.—The weather during the week remained generally dry; rain is wanted for spring crops everywhere. Picking of cotton and pressing of sugarcane continue. The yield is generally normal to good except that in parts of the south-east the outturn of cotton is below normal. Standing sugarcane and cotton, wheat and other spring crops are generally in good condition. Sowings of irrigated wheat and barley, etc., are in progress in some districts and are normal or above normal. Germination is good. Cattle are healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. Prices have fallen slightly in some districts but range between normal and scarcity rates. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Price of wheat :—Ambala 8¾, Lahore and Rawalpindi 9, Lyallpur 9¼ and Ferozepore 9¾ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—The week was rainless throughout the province except Bannu where slight rain fell. Rain is needed for autumn sowings on unirrigated areas. The weather is cold. The condition of standing irrigated and unirrigated crops is average in the whole province, but insects continue to do damage in certain unirrigated tracts. Sowings of spring and harvesting of autumn crops are proceeding. The outturn of latter is reported to be about average in the Bannu and Peshawar districts. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is not running. Public health is good but malarial fever is still prevalent in the Peshawar district though decreasing. Prices are high and rising in Peshawar but falling in the Bannu and Dera Ismail Khan districts except in case of wheat in the latter district.

Jammu.—No rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating; wheat sells from 9 to 14 and maize from 14 to 23 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Cattle disease is still prevalent in Ranbirsinghpura tehsil. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—Report not received.

Rajputana.—The weather during the week was cold and clear. Standing crops are good. Harvesting of autumn crops has been completed in most places. Sowings and irrigation of spring crops continue. Prospects are good. The condition of agricultural stock is healthy except in some places in Kishangarh and in two villages of Ajmer where cattle disease is reported. Water and fodder are ample. Prices have risen by three seers per rupee in Partabgarh and Tonk, are rising in Dungarpur, Kotah, Jaipur, Kishengarh and Dholpur, falling in Udaipur, hilly tracts, Jhalawar and Karauli and stationary elsewhere.

Central India.—The weather during the week was seasonable and rainless. Harvesting of autumn and sowing of spring crops continue. Standing crops and their probable outturn are fair to good. The condition of agricultural stock is generally good. Fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are rising in Bhopal, slightly fluctuating in Indore and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather during the week continued to be dry, clear and cool. Harvesting and threshing of autumn crops and picking of cotton are in rapid progress. Spring sowings are nearly complete and prospects are favourable. No deficiency of fodder and water is reported anywhere. Agricultural stock is in good condition. The price of wheat has remained steady.

Feudatory States.—Spring crops are fairing well.

Bombay.—Standing crops are generally thriving. Autumn harvesting generally continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh, Ahmednagar and Sholapur. The supply of fodder is adequate. Agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation purposes is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and Panch Mahals. Prices of food-grains have slightly fallen in Sind and are generally steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—No rain fell during the week. Autumn and early rice are being harvested, the latter is suffering from blight in parts of the Medak and Karimnagar districts. Spring lands are being re-sown in places. The crop is generally fair to good and is being weeded. Late rice lands are being prepared and sown. Cattle disease prevails in fourteen taluqs. Variations in prices of grains are insignificant. The highest price of *jawari* in districts is 8 seers per rupee in Warrangal and the lowest 26 seers per rupee in Usmanabad.

Mysore.—No rain fell during the week. The price of *ragi* has risen in Tumkur and Chitaldroog and fallen in Kolar and that of rice has fallen in Mysore and Hassan. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of harvested *ragi*, paddy and sugarcane is fair to normal. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy in the greater part of the State. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—The condition of rice is good. Picking of cardamom and coffee continues. Prices of food grains are high. Public health is fair. Cattle disease is prevailing in parts. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was light in Tanjore, Ramnad and Tinnevelly and *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are fair to good generally except in parts of two districts where they have been affected by floods or cyclone and in parts of three others where they are withering or have withered for want of rain. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally. The outturn is fair to normal generally. Sowing of paddy and dry crops is proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. Water supply is insufficient in parts of Kurnool, Anantapur, Chingleput, South Arcot, Chittoor, North Arcot, Coimbatore and the southern parts and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is sufficient. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 22nd December 1916.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 16th December 1916 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	......	..	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City	7	6
		Ahmedabad City	4	4
		Surat Town and Port	25	24
		Surat District	24	16
		Broach Port	1*	...
		Bhiwandi Port	1	1
		Thana Port	1	1
		Thana District	2	1
	Central	Ahmednagar District	843	572
		West Khandesh District	516	416
		East Khandesh District	105	71
		Poona Town	138	124
		Poona District	906	735
		Nasik District	349	239
		Satara District	466	383
		Sholapur Town	282	220
		Sholapur District	645	491
	Southern	Pen Port	1	...
		Belgaum District	241	159
		Hubli Town	63	60
		Dharwar District	410	239
		Kanara District	15	12
		Bijapur District	424	285
	Political Charges.	Baroda State	40	41
		Mangrol Port	3	1
		Kathiawar Agency	14	13
		Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country States	378	276
		Satara Agency	11	6
		Bijapur Agency	4	2
		Savanur State	28	16
		Akalkot State	19	10
		Bhor State	46	26
		TOTAL	6,018	4,450

* Imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Madras Presidency.	...	Madras City	1(a)	1(a)
		Anantapur District	14	11
		Bellary District	147(a)	108
		Chittoor District	7(b)	3(c)
		Coimbatore District	370(d)	254(e)
		Mangalore Port	2	2
		South Canara District	1(a)	...
		Kistna District	1(a)	1(a)
		Salem Town	25	14
		Salem District	81(c)	52(f)
		North Arcot District	133(e)	81(g)
		Madura District	30(a)	19 (f)
		Trichinopoly District	...	1(a)
		TOTAL	812	547
Bengal Presidency.	...	......	...	...
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	Patna District	58	45
		Gaya District	17	14
		Shahabad District	86	53
	Tirhut	Saran District	220	159
		Champaran District	6	9
		Muzaffarpur District	13	13
		Darbhanga District	87	29
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	103	79
		Bhagalpur District	2	1
		TOTAL	542	402
United Provinces.	Meerut	Muzaffarnagar District	*	*
	Rohilkhand	Pilibhit District	10	6
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad District	*	*
		Cawnpore City	10	9
		Cawnpore District	19	19
		Fatehpur District	14	15
		Allahabad District	84	84
	Benares	Benares District	*	*
		Jaunpur District	76	76
		Ghazipur District	*	*
	Gorakhpur.	Ballia District	202	190
		Gorakhpur District	458	156
		Basti District	*	*
		Azamgarh District	*	*
	Lucknow	Unao District	49	50
		Rae Bareli District	*	*
		Sitapur District	26	23
		Hardoi District	*	*
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	*	*
		Gonda District	37	26
		Sultanpur District	5	5
		Partabgarh District	*	*
		Bara Banki District	6	6
		TOTAL	996	665

(a) One imported. (b) Seven imported. (c) Three imported. (d) Six imported. (e) Four imported. (f) Two imported. (g) Five imported.

In the return for the week ending 9th December 1916, against Ballia District, *read* 161 cases, 161 deaths *for* 100 cases, 61 deaths.

*Report not received.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District	11	4
	Jullundur	Ludhiana District	6	2
	Lahore	Amritsar District	...	1
		Gurdaspur District	3	3
	Rawalpindi	Rawalpindi District	11	8
	Native States.	Jind State	11	6
		TOTAL	42	24
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town	3	4
		Insein District	2	2
		Tharrawaddy District	19	19
		Pegu District	1	1
		Prome District	33	32
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	1	...
		Bassein District	3	3
		Henzada District	18	12
	Tenasserim.	Toungoo District	2	1
	Magwe	Magwe District	3	3
	Sagaing	Sagaing District	18	13
	Meiktila	Kyaukse District	2	2
		Yamethin District	7	5
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	1	1
		TOTAL	108	98
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town	166	168
		Nagpur District	468	381
		Kamptee Cantt.	116	114
		Bhandara Town	7	5
		Bhandara District	7	5
		Wardha Town	2	...
		Wardha District	110	65
		Chanda Town	4	4
		Chanda District	5	11
		Balaghat Town	1	1
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town	36	29
		Jubbulpore District	5	3
		Seoni District	1	1
		Mandla District	1	...
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	232	202
		Chhindwara District	8	3
	Chhatisgarh.	Raipur Town	4	3
		Bilaspur Town	26	20
	Berar	Amraoti Town	6	6
		Amraoti District	61	37
		Yeotmal District	66	41
		Akola District	188	142
		Buldana District	303	221
		TOTAL	1,821	1,462
ASSAM	...	......	...	...
COORG	...	Coorg	...	1
		TOTAL	...	1

In the return for the week ending 9th December 1916, *add* Amritsar District, 6 cases 4 deaths.
In the return for the week ending 25th November 1916, against Raipur District, *read nil* for one case.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	55	51
		Bangalore City	30	24
		Bangalore District	70	50
		Mysore City	25	20
		Mysore District	118	87
		Hassan District	37	28
		Kadur District	12	2
		Shimoga District	33	21
		Chitaldroog District	45	32
		Tumkur District	2	3
		Kolar Gold Fields	36	28
		Kolar District	46	35
		TOTAL	509	376
HYDERABAD STATE.	...	Aurangabad District	204	181
		Bir District	87	70
		Parbhani District	178	139
		Nander District	168	161
		Gulbarga District	90	60
		Raichur District	12	9
		Usmanabad District	131	97
		Atrafibaldah Sarf-i-Khas District	...	1
		Bidar District	...	1
		Medak District	92	83
		Nalgonda District	7	4
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	849	690
		TOTAL	1,827 (a)	1,496 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Indore City	117	91
		Indore Residency Bazars	14	9
		Indore State	31	9
		Barwani State	7	4
		Bagli State	7	7
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	34	24
		Mhow Cantonment	3	1
		TOTAL	203 (b)	145 (b)
RAJPUTANA.	...	Ajmer District	11	10
		Mewar State	1*	1*
		TOTAL	12	11
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN.	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	12,885	9,677

*Imported.
(a) From the 4th to the 10th December 1916.
(b) For the week ending 9th December 1916.

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Secretary to the Government of India.

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PATENTS and DESIGNS.

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APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

December 11.

2840. G. W. Linberry Kerr. *Tea sprayer.*

2841. C. A. S. Iyer. *Improved shelling and milling.*

December 14.

2842. E. V. Wilkinson. *An improved disinfector and deodoriser.*

2843. L. J. Burgess. *An improved cash box.*

December 15.

2844. A. T. Laing, A. Hoare, H. D. Ash and W. G. Warburton. *Improved standpost and water waste preventer.*

2845. S. D. Garbis. *A new and improved method of and balance for weighing coins and the like.*

December 16.

2846. K. Stewart. *A new or improved cop winding attachment for spinning frames.*

2847. S. N. Paul and L. M. Paul. *A new plant for manufacturing sulphuric acid by direct method.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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2544. I. Waine. *An improved down draught brick and tile kiln.*

2764. Samuel Fox and Co., Ld. *Improvements in connection with rolling mills.*

2774. R. R. Greenway. *Goods wagon safety lock.*

2797. S. R. Aiyer and G. Sankaran. *Live weight power mill.*

2814. H. B. Stocks. *Improvements in scooters.*

2816. C. Hodges and H. Jackson. *Improvements in and relating to the flushing of water-closet basins and the like.*

2817. O. Röhm. *Improvements relating to processes for cleansing various materials or objects for domestic or industrial purposes.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

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1984. F. W. Farr. *Improvements in or relating to the repair or reinforcement of pneumatic tyre covers.*

2264. G. Ravenshear. *Improvements in targets.*

2602. W. C. Echlin. *Improved release valve for railway vacuum brake cylinders.*

2730. J. F. Janniuk. *Drawing apparatus for cotton sliver and the like.*

2770. Superheater Corporation, Limited. *Improvements in and relating to steam super-heaters of the multiple smoke or fire tube type.*

2772. R. H. Sexton. *Improvements in or relating to freezers.*

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2204. Pfleiderer.
2687. Friedmann and Thompson.
2693. Datta.
2696. Wood and Edwards.
2697. Rigby.
2701. Biddle.
2702. Brown Brothers, Ld.
2703. Naamlooze-Vennootschap "Holland Ventiel."
2704. Molassine Co., Ld.

PATENTS SEALED.

2164. Vibrocel Co., Ld.
2165. Morison.
2166. Gupta.
2351. Dalzell.
2456. Reaks.
2551. Holgate.
2612. Mills Equipment Co., Ld., and Wise.
2672. Synthetic Hydro-Carbon Co.
2680. Housley.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

441 of 1905. Wheatley. (To 12 December 1917.)
564 of 1905. Lawrence. (To 29 May 1918.)
270 of 1907. Little. (To 18 December 1917.)
89 of 1908. Robertson. (To 16 December 1917.)
95 of 1909. Pollen & ors. (To 16 December 1917.)
255 of 1909. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co. (To 14 December 1917.)
261 of 1910. Polivit Manufacturing Co., Ld. (To 21 December 1917.)
279 of 1910. Nance. (To 11 February 1918.)
609 of 1910. Prein. (To 6 January 1918.)
380 of 1911. Dubern. (To 15 December 1917.)
417 of 1911. Mehta. (To 29 December 1917.)
679 of 1913. Minerals Separation, Ld. (To 2 January 1918.)
807 of 1913. Brown. (To 21 April 1918.)

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1909.

291, (Humphries). 353, (Lassen).

1911.

419, (Reid).

1912.

483, (Swami Dyal). 487, (Gregory & anr.). 492, (Smith). 493, (Marino & anr.). 494, (Erste Ungarische Schallplattenfabrik A. G.). 495, (Greenstreet). 496, (Greenstreet). 497, (Shephard & anr.). 498, (Devos). 499, (Mistry).

DESIGNS ENTERED ON THE REGISTER.

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Class 3. No. 4848. Devi Datt Kanyal Sharma, Maharagaon, P. O. Bhowali, Dist. Nani Tal. September 4.

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E. PARBURY, Major, R.A.,
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HAPUR.

M. S. Khursed Ali . . . . Mohalla Kaziwara, Hapur District, Meerut.

JHELUM.

M. Thakur Das Pahwa . . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JULLUNDUR.

M. Karam Chand . . . . C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

KARACHI.

M. Mukhtar Ahmad . . . . Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.

KASAULI.

M. Anand Sarup . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

KULTI.

M S. M. Shahabuddin . . . . Kulti, E. I. Railway.

LAHORE CANTONMENT.

M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani . . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.

LEBONG.

M Farhat Ali Suhail . . . . Hill Sanitarium, Lebong.

LUCKNOW.

M. Abdul Alim . . . . Near the Police Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil) . . . Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
M Abdul Karim . . . . C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Lucknow.

MURREE HILLS.

M S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragali P. O., Murree Hills.

MUSSOORIE.

M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey . . . . Islamia School, Mussoorie.

NAINI TAL.

M. Faqir Ulla . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

M. Muhammad Din . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).

PATNA.

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

M. Ahmed Din . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.
M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.
M. S. Karim Bukhsh . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
M. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.
M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh Gyani (Munshi Fazil) . Officers' Munshi, Ahata Sultan, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

In addition to the above, the following, who were examined in Urdu previous to the institution of the examination mentioned in the above India Army Order, are also, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, qualified to teach:—

M. Mohd. Arif	Camp Bareilly.
M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	14, Karaya Road, Balligungo, Calcutta.
M. Badru-z-Zaman	212/1, Linton Street, Calcutta.
M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 34, Collin Street, Calcutta.
M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	25, Tiljalah 1st Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nur Ali's Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Balligungo, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Shuaib	Arabic Teacher, Zilla School, Mozufferpore.

N.B.—It is requested that Munshis who have passed this examination, and whose names do not appear above, should communicate their present addresses to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, so that their names may be published also

Whenever any munshi changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. Post system*, and are obtainable from The Superintendent, Juvenile Jail, Alipore.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1916 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	R
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	21-8 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	22-8 „
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 „

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 „

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 „

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tins.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab.	1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0 10 0
„	„ 3 „	„ 6 „	„	Re.	1 0 0
„	„ 2 „	„ 9 „	„	Re.	1 8 0

N.B.—Postage stamps will not be accepted as revenue.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 18th December 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 15th December 1916.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE.										
				COIN AND BULLION.							SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).		TOTAL.	REMARKS.
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	2,77,03,000	27,21,06,340	29,98,09,340	4,09,95,446	1,39,22,535	15,79,192	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 29,01,82,225	56,59,29,644	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R30,24,81,571. (c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R20,51,82,225.
Cawnpore	...	2,32,01,195	2,32,01,195	1,54,09,268	1,82,17,275	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,36,26,563	
Lahore	...	5,68,43,710	5,68,43,710	1,43,23,750	2,11,08,780	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,54,32,530	
Bombay	61,29,070	22,05,01,505	22,66,30,575	2,96,03,498	4,55,50,260	1,09,56,187	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,61,09,945	
Karachi	...	2,61,59,610	2,61,59,610	64,96,847	36,90,945	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,01,87,792	
Madras	20,65,175	10,42,50,570	10,63,15,745	1,11,97,973	1,13,29,042	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,25,27,015	
Rangoon	...	5,59,25,600	5,59,25,600	3,11,12,561	98,95,230	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,10,07,791	
	3,58,97,245	78,89,88,530	79,48,85,775	14,91,39,363	12,37,14,067	1,25,35,679	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	29,01,82,225	79,48,21,280	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			5,64,495	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									5,00,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			79,43,21,280	TOTAL RESERVE R									79,43,21,280	

Gold worth £36,000 (Rs. 5,40,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 15th December 1916.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 15th December 1916 to 17 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Controller of Currency.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 8TH TO 15TH DECEMBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	16	2	...	18	57	...	57	6	(a) 22	23	1	52	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	30	...	...	30	29	...	29	...	129	3	...	132	10	10	...	..	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 12 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 18th December 1916.

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th December 1916.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		GRAND TOTAL.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	TOTAL.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	
Balance of 30th November 1916	28,34,900	96,46,200	4,53,72,600	1,51,26,500	68,43,500	23,89,500	7,93,78,300	2,500	40,48,400	8,62,64,100
Add—										
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
	28,34,900	96,46,200	4,53,72,600	1,51,26,500	68,43,500	23,89,500	7,93,78,300	2,500	40,48,400	8,62,64,100
Deduct— *Amount written off in the London Registers . .	...	41,500	49,300	..	14,200	...	1,05,000	...	...	1,05,000
Balance on 15th December 1916	28,34,900	96,04,700	4,53,23,300	1,51,26.500	68,29,300	23,89,500	7,92,73,300	2,500	40,48,400	8,61,59,100

NOTE.—

From 9th June 1867	to 15th Oct. 1916	Enfaced from India	12,384 lakhs,	re-transferred from London	12,861 lakhs.
" 16th Oct. 1916	" 31st " "	ditto	1 lakh	ditto	23 "
" 1st Nov. "	" 15th Nov. "	ditto	...	ditto	8 "
" 16th " "	" 30th " "	ditto	20 lakhs	ditto	...
" 1st Dec. "	" 15th Dec. "	ditto	...	ditto	1 lakh.
			12,405		12,893

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 19th December 1916.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 19th December 1916.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	6,52,66,242	12	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,08,00,000 0 0; Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* Rs. 50,00,000 0 0	1,58,00,000	0	0	Other authorized Investments	1,11,08,145	0	0
				Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	2,90,90,807	0	10
				Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	5,65,48,355	12	9
				Bills discounted and purchased	3,32,86,519	0	8
				Balances with other Banks	47,59,824	8	2
				Bullion	......		
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	50,00,000	0	0	Dead Stock	29,72,714	13	11
				Stamps	11,424	12	2
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 1,49,58,216 10 8; Public Deposits at Branches Rs. 1,12,61,648 5 11	2,62,19,865	0	7	Sundries	3,69,633	13	8
					20,34,13,667	10	2
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	19,65,36,053	2	0	Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 2,91,56,016 13 0; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† Rs. 3,47,13,851 1 11	6,38,69,867	14	11
Bank Post Bills, etc.	11,39,012	1	10				
Sundries	25,88,605	4	8				
RUPEES	26,72,83,535	9	1	RUPEES	26,72,83,535	9	1

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,615 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 8,50,657 8 0

Rs. 12,02,272 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 21st December 1916.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 8 per cent.
Percentage 28·20

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

The following is a statement of the cash balances at the Home Treasury of the Government of India on the last day of October 1916 and of the form in which they were held :—

	General Balance.	Gold Standard Reserve.
	£	£
Cash at the Bank of England	1,381,337	...
Short loans	5,741,343	5,858,657
Total Home Treasury balances as shown in the accounts	7,122,680	5,858,657
	12,981,337	

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

THE TREASURY;
Calcutta, the 20th December 1916.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers.
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Surveyors.
5. Motor Car Drivers.
6. Engine Drivers.
7. Men trained in—

   (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.

   (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,

Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

NOTICE.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Manager's Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India,

and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners.

DHANBAD;

20th October 1916.

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Remount Training Depôt, Mhow, dated at Mhow, this 6th day of December 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—61048, Driver, Francis Joseph James Connell.
Age—22 years 5 months 26 days.
Height—5 feet 4¼ inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, brown; eyes, grey.
Trade—None.
Date of enlistment—10th December 1910.
Place of enlistment—Colchester.
Parish and County in which born—Colchester, Essex, England.
Date of desertion or absence—27th November 1916.
Place of desertion or absence—Mhow.
Marks—Raised scar front of left shoulder.
On furlough.
Under 7 years' service.
NOTE.—This Driver belongs to the 4th Battery, Royal Field Artillery, Rawalpindi, but was attached to the Remount Training Depot, Mhow.

J. E. HUGHES, MAJOR,
Commandant, Remount Training Depôt, Mhow.

COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

FORM B.

Notice under Section 6 of the Talukdars Loan Regulation (II of 1911).

Whereas Kamdar, Kharwa estate in Ajmer-Merwara district, has applied for a loan under this Regulation, all persons having claims against Thakur Gopal Singh, Istimrardar of Kharwa, or his immoveable property are called upon to submit a statement of the same in writing in Form C below, to the Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara, within 6 months from the date of the publication of this notice.

Every claim against the said Thakur or his immoveable property (other than a claim on the part of the Government) not submitted to the Commissioner in compliance with this notice, shall, save in the cases provided for by Sections 6 and 13 of the Indian Limitation Act, 1908, be deemed for all purposes and on all occasions to have been duly discharged, unless in any suit or proceeding instituted by the claimant or by any person claiming under him in respect of any such claim, it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that he was unable to comply with the directions contained in this notice.

Every claim so admitted by the Court shall, notwithstanding any Law, Contract, decree or award to the contrary, cease to carry interest after the expiry of 6 months from the date of the publication of this notice.

2. With effect from the date of the publication of this notice, the consequences prescribed in Sections 7, 8, 16, 17 and 18 of the Regulation, a copy of which is published herewith, shall also ensue.

Copy of Sections 7, 8, 16, 17 and 18.

7. With effect from the date of the publication of a notice under Section 6, Sub-Section (1), the following consequences shall ensue, namely :—

(*a*) the applicant shall be incompetent to transfer or create any charge on, or interest in, his property or any part thereof, or to enter into a contract which may involve in any pecuniary liability ; and

(*b*) all suits and proceedings in any Civil Court in respect of any claim against the applicant shall be stayed, and no fresh suit or proceeding shall be instituted in respect of any such claim in any Civil Court.

8. Nothing in Section 7, clause (*a*), shall—

(*a*) apply to debts due for liabilities incurred to Government,

(*b*) apply to debts or liabilities which are incurred for necessaries for the maintenance of the applicant or his family, or for the due observance of funeral and other ceremonies to the extent approved by the Commissioner, or

(*c*) affect the capacity of the applicant to enter into a contract of marriage,

provided that he shall not incur in connection with such contract of marriage any pecuniary liability except such as the Commissioner, having regard to the personal law to which he is subject, and his rank and circumstances, may, in writing, declare to be reasonable.

16. (1) No suit shall be brought in any Civil Courts against any Talukdar upon any promise made after he has repaid a loan under this Regulation, to pay any debt contracted during the period between the grant and the repayment of such loan, or upon any ratification made after such loan has been repaid of any promise or contract made during such period, whether there is or is not any new consideration for such promise or ratification.

(2) Nothing in Sub-Section (1) shall apply to the debts or liabilities specified in Section 8.

17. (1) If any Talukdar to whom a loan has been granted under this Regulation—

(a) infringes any condition imposed under Section 13, Sub-Section (1), clause (b), or

(b) attempts to do any act, which, under Section 7, clause (a), he is incompetent to do,

the Chief Commissioner may by order in writing declare such Talukdar to be disqualified from managing his own property, and such Talukdar shall be deemed to be a landholder who is disqualified to manage his own property within the meaning of the Ajmer Government Wards Regulations, 1888, and the Court of Wards shall thereupon assume the superintendence of the property of such Talukdar.

(2) The Court of Wards shall withdraw its superintendence from any property of which it has assumed superintendence under Sub-Section (1) as soon as all instalments of the loan have been repaid to Government with the interest thereon.

18. In each of the following cases, namely :—

(a) when a loan made under Section 13 has been repaid to Government with the interest thereon, or

(b) when the amount so lent with interest has been recovered by the management of the property under Section 17, or

(c) when an order rejecting an application has been passed under Section 13, the Commissioner shall notify, in the *Gazette of India* and in such other manner as the Chief Commissioner may, by special or general order, direct, that the Talukdar has ceased to be subject to the disabilities mentioned in Section 7, with effect from the date of the publication of such notification.

DATED AJMER,
The 12th December 1916.

C. C. WATSON, I.C.S.,
Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

FORM C.

Under Section 9 of the Ajmer Talukdars Loan Regulation (II of 1911).

Name of creditor with caste and residence.	Name and title of debtor.	Amount of loan advanced, and date of advancement thereof.	Rate of interest.	AMOUNT RECEIVED.		BALANCE DUE.		Reference to bonds or khatas.	REMARKS.
				Principal.	Interest.	Principal.	Interest.		

Signature of Creditor.

CHIEF COURT OF THE PUNJAB.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 13th December 1916.

6649 *G*.—The following list of days to be observed as Local Holidays by the various Civil Courts in the Province of Delhi, during the year 1917, has been prepared by the Chief Court and approved by the Local Government, as required by Section 47 (1) of the Punjab Courts Act, 1914, and Home Department No. 1858-Judicial of 24th September 1914, and is published for general information :—

List of Local Holidays to be observed in the various Civil Courts of the Delhi Province during the year 1917.

Name of district.	Name of holiday.	Date on which the holiday falls.	Number of days allowed.
Delhi	Urs Nizam-ud-Din	10th February	1
	Dasehra Jeth	31st May	1
	Rath Jatra Jagannath Ji	21st June	1
	Qutab fair	Not fixed	1
	Ganga Ashnan	28th November	1
			5

NOTE 1.—Where the actual or correct date has not been specified in the above list, the Senior Subordinate Judge will fix it in consultation with the District Judge and Deputy Commissioner and will give timely notice of the date so fixed to the public.

NOTE 2.—With the previous sanction of the Chief Court and Local Government (but not otherwise) any day not specified in this list may be substituted for any day which is specified therein.

NOTE 3.—The number of local holidays allowed will not ordinarily exceed 7 days in each year.

NOTE 4.—The festival of Ram Naumi which falls on Sunday has been omitted.

The festival of Bharat Milap which falls in the Muharram holidays has been omitted.

By order, etc.,

J. A. FERGUSON,

Registrar.

TREASURE TROVE.

Notice is hereby given under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on 13th November 1916 the under-mentioned treasure is said to have been found by Srinivasa Aiyah in his patta land S. No. 287-1 of Poonamallee village, Saidapet Taluk, while he was preparing the land for a flower garden.

Description of treasure.	Estimated value, Rs.	A.	P.
1 female stone image about 4 feet high standing on the head of a buffalo	7	0	0
1 female stone image $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet high	3	8	0
2 small stone images each $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet high	6	0	0
	16	8	0

All persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof are requested to appear in person or by a duly authorised agent before the Collector of Chingleput at his office at Saidapet on the 5th May 1917 in view of their claim being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. F. BRYANT.

14th December 1916.

AJMER-MERWARA.

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1	2	3	4	5
1	**SHRI KALPA SUTRA**, translated into Hindi by **Muni Manak**, published at Ajmer on 22nd June 1916 by the Manager, **S. S. Jain Prakash**, Ajmer, 226 pages. Royal 8vo. First Edition. **Price 1-8-0.** श्री कल्पसूत्र	Manager, S. S. Jain Prakash, Ajmer.	1,000	
2	**LIFE SKETCHES OF SHRI ABHINUNDEN AND SUMATI NATH SWAMI**, translated by **Muni Manak**, published at Ajmer on 1st July 1916 by the Manager, **S. S. Jain Prakash**, Ajmer, 48 pages. Royal 8vo. First Edition. **Price 0-2-0.**	Do.	1,000	
3	**NIGMAGAM DIG DARSHANA** by **Brahmchari Satyanandanji**, published at Ajmer by the Manager, **S. S. Jain Prakash**, Ajmer, on 5th July 1916, 264 pages. Demi 8vo. First Edition. **Price 0-14-0.** निगमागम दिग्दर्शन	Do.	1,000	
4	**SHRAWAK VINAYACHANDJI KRIT CHOWISHI**, published on 7th June 1916 by **Seth Hamirmalji** at Ajmer, 18 pages. Demi 8vo. First Edition. **Price Free.** श्रावक विनयचंदजीकृत चौबीसी	D. G. Sanghani, Jain Sudharak Press.	1,000	

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1	2	3	4	5
5	**KARMA VICHAR** by **Muni Anand-sagar**, published by the author on 20th June 1916 at the Jain Sudharak Press, 10 pages. Royal 8vo. First Edition. Price Free. कर्म विचार	D. G. Sanghani, Jain Sudharak Press, Ajmer.	500	
6	**SAMSLOKI BHASHA MAHIMA** by **Mr. Moolchandji Vaishya Agarwal,** published by the author on 21st June 1916 at the Jain Sudharak Press, 30 pages. Royal 16mo. Second Edition. Price Free. संश्लोक भाषा महिमा	Do.	1,000	
7	**GYAN CHALISA** by **Mr. Pratap-malji Kayasth,** published by the author at the Jain Sudharak Press on 23rd June 1916, 18 pages. Demi 8vo. First Edition. Price 0-4-0. ग्यान चालीसा	Do.	500	
8	**SHRI JAIN SAHASRANAM STOTRA** by **G. C. Tunklia,** published by the author at Ajmer and Jaipur on 25th July 1916, 7 pages. Double fool-scap, 16mo. First Edition. Price 0-0-3. श्री जैन सहस्रनाम स्तोत्र	Manager, Jain Press.	1,000	
9	**SHRAVAK DHARMA DARPANA** by **Motilalji Ranka,** published by the author at Beawer on 26th July 1916, 88 pages. Foolscap 8vo. First Edition. Price 0-3-6. श्रावक धर्म दर्पण	Manager, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	1,000	

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1	2	3	4	5
10	**TRAILOKYA DIPIKA,** (Sangrahni Sutra) translated by St. **Manak Muni,** and published by **Sobhagmalji Harkawat** at Ajmer on 27th July 1916, 184 pages. Super Royal 16mo. First Edition. **Price 0-8-0.** त्रैलोक्य दीपिका	Manager, Jain Press, Ajmer.	1,000	
11	**SHIVSATSAI,** by Pandit **Shivdattji Kavyateerth,** published by the author at Ajmer on 28th July 1916, 100 pages. 12pp. Royal. Second Edition. **Price 0-4-6.** शिवसतसइ	Manager, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	1,000	
12	**ANATH RAKSHAK,** Nos. VII and VIII, volume XIV, by **Seth Mangilalji** of Neemuch, published by **Motilal Sharma** at Ajmer on 29th July 1916, 40 pages. Royal 8vo. First Edition. **Price Re. 1 per annum.** अनाथ रक्षक	Do.	700	
13	**VARSHIKNIVARANA AND KARYAVAHI,** by the Secretary, **Aryapratinidhi Sabha,** Rajasthan, Ajmer, published by the author at Ajmer on 1st August 1916, 52 pages. Demi 8vo. First Edition. **Price Free.** वार्षिकनिवारन तथा कार्यवाही	Do.	300	

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1	2	3	4	5
14	**SANGIT BHASHKAR**, by Pandit **Ghansiam Sharma, Vaidya Purohit** of Shahpura, published by **B. Jiwan Ram Gupta**, Tehsildar of Ulela village in Shahpura at Shahpura and Ajmer on 2nd August 1916, 88 pages. Royal 16mo. First Edition. **Price annas three.** संगीत भास्कर	Manager S. S. Jain Printing Press, Ajmer.	1,000	
15	**RIGVEDA SAMHITA**, by the Late **Aryan Rishis**, published by the Manager, **Vedic Pustakalaya**, Ajmer, on 2nd August 1916, 662 pages. Royal 8vo. Second Edition. **Price 2-9-0.** ऋग्वेद संहिता	Manager, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	1,500	
16	**KARYAVIVARNI** (Report) by **Kalla Vansidhar Sharma**, Hony. Secretary, Managing Committee, Sumer Pushtikar School, Jodhpur, published by the author at Ajmer and Jodhpur on 3rd August 1916, 102 pages. Demy 8vo. First Edition. **Price Free.** कार्यविवरणी	Do.	1,000	
17	**VYABAHAR BHANU**, by the Late **Swami Dayanand Sarswati**, published by the Manager, Vedic Press, Ajmer, on 16th August 1916, 48 pages. Royal 8vo. 11th Edition. **Price annas two.** व्यवहार भानु	Do.	5,000	

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1	2	3	4	5
18	**ANATHRAKSHAK**, Parts IX and X, Vol. XIV, by **Seth Mangilal**, of Neemuch, published by Pandit **Motilal Sharma** at Ajmer on 19th August 1916. 40 pages. Royal 8vo. **Price Re. 1 per annum.** अनाथ रक्षक	Manager, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	800	
19	**SANKSHIPTA VIVARNA** by **Gyarsilal**, Secretary, Mathurapershad Gulabdevi Girls' School Committee, Ajmer, published by the author at Ajmer on 21st August 1916. 16 pages. Demi 8vo. First Edition. **Price Free.** संक्षिप्त विवर्ण	Do.	400	
20	**RULES AND REGULATIONS OF KARMSOT BOARDING HOUSE** of Shapura by the general meeting of the Boarding House, published by the author at Ajmer and Shahpura on 30th August 1916. 12 pages. Demi 8vo. First Edition. **Price Nil.**	Manager, S. S. Jain Printing Press, Ajmer.	500	
21	**THE EARTHWORM** by **Dodany, S. A.**, published by **Messrs. Jaideva Bros.** (c/o Mr. Chandkaran Sarda, Madargate, Ajmer), at Baroda on 31st August 1916. 81 pages. First Edition. **Price Annas 10.**	Manager, Laxmivilas, Press, Baroda.	500	
22	**VRATYA SANSKAR NIRUPAMA**, by **Goswami Nandkumarji Dikshit** of Bikaner, published by **Seth Shivdasji Dammani** at Ajmer and Bikaner on 12th September 1916. 30 pages. Demi 8vo. First Edition. **Price Free.** व्रात्य संस्कार निरूपम	Manager, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	200	

C. C. WATSON, I. C. S.,
Commissioner, Ajmer Merwara.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTICE.

Quetta, the 5th December 1916.

No. 3894—Tenders are hereby invited for the contract to manufacture spirit of the strengths of 10° and 20° underproof (flavoured and plain) at the Quetta Government Distillery, for a period of two years from the 1st April 1917 to the 31st March 1919.

2. The total issue of country spirit from the Quetta Distillery during recent years has been :—

Year.	QUANTITY IN GALLONS.			
	10° UNDERPROOF.		20° UNDERPROOF.	
	Plain.	Flavoured.	Plain.	Flavoured.
1914-15.	9,383	14,262	6,442	260
1915-16.	10,427	16,573	6,492	125
1st April to 30th September 1916.	4,921	8,585	3,740	34

3. Each tender must be sealed, and addressed to the Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan, and must be accompanied by a deposit of rupees one thousand. The cover containing the tender should be superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive right to manufacture country spirit at the Quetta Distillery", and should be sent so as to reach the Revenue Commissioner at Quetta before 12 o'clock noon on the 29th day of January 1917, after which no tender will be considered. The deposits of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned.

4. For full particulars and the form of tender apply to the Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan, Quetta.

A. B. DEW, Lieut.-Col.,
Offg. Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 14th October 1916.

No. 6892-*C. & I.*—The following draft amendment, which it is proposed to make in the rules made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, which were issued in Punjab Government Notification No. 90, dated 15th February 1909, is published for criticism. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 30th of November 1916, together with any remarks or suggestions received on or before that date :—

Draft amendment.

In rule 6, Chapter IV, Part II of the said rules, *for* the figure "500" *substitute* "2000."

The 8th December 1916.

No. 8183-*C. & I.*—The following draft amendment, which it is proposed to make in the rules made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, which were issued in Punjab Government Notification No. 90, dated 15th February 1909, is published for criticism. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th January 1917, together with any remarks or suggestions received on or before that date :—

Draft amendment.

In rule I, Part I, of the said rules, add :—

"(b) 'District Magistrate' includes in cases where the Local Government so directs 'Additional District Magistrate' in respect of such areas as it may so order."

Delhi, the 15th December 1916.

No. 8366-*Financial*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 38 of the Indian Income Tax Act, II of 1886, as amended by the Income Tax Amendment Act, 1916 (V of 1916), such powers having been delegated by the Government of India in their Notification in the Finance Department, No. 723-F., dated the 16th May 1916, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to make the following rule fixing the period of limitation within which petitions to the Chief Commissioner under Section 27 of the Act shall be submitted, namely :—

Rule.

Petitions under Section 27 of the Act shall be presented within 30 days from the date of the order passed under Section 12, Sub-Section (2), and Section 26, provided that the Chief Commissioner may receive a petition after the expiration of that period if he is satisfied that the petitioner had sufficient cause for not presenting it within that period.

The 18th December 1916.

No. 8420-*Education*.—With reference to the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 7043-Education, dated the 19th October 1916, and in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 240 (1) (*d*) and 242 (1) (*f*) of the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to make the following rule for the exclusion of aliens from the electorate and membership of Municipal Committees and Notified Areas in the Province of Delhi :—

Rule.

No person other than a British subject or a natural born subject of a State in India shall be qualified to be a Member, or to be a candidate for election as a Member, or to vote at the election of any Member of any Municipal Committee or Notified Area in the Province of Delhi.

No. 8423-*Education*.—With reference to the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 7046-Education, dated the 19th October 1916, and in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 55 (2) (*d*) of the Punjab District Boards Act, 1883, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to make the following rule for the exclusion of aliens from the electorate and membership of the Delhi District Board in the Province of Delhi.

Rule.

No person other than a British subject or the natural born subject of a State in India shall be qualified to be a Member or to be a candidate for electorate as Member, or to vote at the election of any Member of the Delhi District Board in the Province of Delhi.

No. 8428-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths registered at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 9th December 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi . .	225,471	137	122	259	78	70	148	...	...	1	52	7	60	3	20	...	26	19	45	59·73	32·98
	Notified Area	3,673	2	1	3	...	2	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·47	28·31
	Total .	229,144	139	123	262	78	72	145	...	...	1	54	7	60	3	20	...	26	19	45	59·45	33·77

Delhi, the 18th December 1916.

No. 8430-*Home*.—The following returns showing births and deaths registered in Delhi Province during the month of November 1916 are published for information :—

Division.	No.	Name of District or Municipal Towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhœa. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		District excluding Delhi Municipal Town.	102,699	88,486	191,185	1,028	64·53	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	319	20·02	6	·37	137	·59	3	·18	18	1·12	239	244	483	30·31	259	258	517	32·45	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	102,699	88,486	191,185	1,065	66·84	6	...	...	2	·13	...	...	321	21·48	2	·13	175	10·98	3	·18	14	·87	259	258	517	32·45	...	...	...	...	
		Increase	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		or Decrease	...	...	...	37	2·32	4	...	...	2	·13	...	...	2	1·46	4	·24	38	2·39	...	...	..	...	20	14	34	2·14	...	...	...	...	

Division.	No.	District excluding towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhœa. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		Delhi Municipality	129,521	95,950	225,471	1,139	60·62	25	...	...	...	...	1	·05	250	13·31	34	1·81	230	12·24	6	·32	103	5·48	303	321	624	33·21	407	420	827	44·01	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	129,521	95,950	225,471	1,193	63·49	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	435	23·15	13	·69	239	12·72	5	·27	135	7·45	407	420	827	44·01	...	...	...	...	
		Increase or	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	...	...	21	1·12	...	...	1	·05	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		Decrease	...	...	...	51	2·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	185	9·84	...	...	9	·48	...	...	32	1·27	104	99	203	10·80	...	...	...	...	

The 19th December 1916.

No. 8474-*Education*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 14(*a*) of the Punjab District Boards Act, XX of 1883, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to remove Chaudhri Tek Chand from the membership of the District Board, Delhi.

The 20th December 1916.

No. 8482-*Home*.—Under the provisions of Section 12 of the Criminal Procedure Code, 1898, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to appoint M. Khan Alam, Naib Tehsildar, to be a Magistrate, 2nd Class, and to direct that M. Khan Alam will exercise all powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd Class within the limits of Delhi Province.

No. 8485-*C. & I*.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by Section 59 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (I of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following addition to the special conditions on the form of licenses for the wholesale and retail vend of country spirit, prescribed by Notification No. 1315, dated the 25th February 1915:—

Form No. L-13, condition 2, and form No. L-14, condition 1. Add the following proviso:—

"Provided, further, that he may obtain spiced or special country spirit from any distillery in the Punjab."

No. 8488-*C. & I*.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 58 (2) (*d*) of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (I of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to add the following proviso to rule 5 of the rules regulating the import, export and transport of liquor, issued in the Notification from this office No. 7296-C. & I., dated 11th November 1915, as amended by Notification No. 5554-C. & I., dated the 14th August 1916:—

"Provided that spiced or special country spirit may also be imported from any distillery in the Punjab."

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 16th December 1916.

No. 3929-*R*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 (*b*) of the Quetta Municipal Law, 1896, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General is pleased to nominate the following persons to be members of the Quetta Municipal Committee during the year 1917:—

1. The Assistant Political Agent, Quetta.
2. The Cantonment Magistrate, Quetta.
3. The Civil Surgeon, Quetta.
4. The Superintendent of Police, Quetta-Pishin and Sibi.
5. The Executive Engineer, N. W. R., Sind-Pishin Section.
6. The Extra Assistant Commissioner, Quetta.
7. The Head Master of the Sandeman High School, Quetta, and Superintendent of Education in Baluchistan.
8. Major A. M. Anscomb, I.S.O., V.D.
9. Khan Bahadar Arbab Khudadad Khan, Kasi.
10. Khan Bahadar Malik Wazir Muhammad, Kasi.
11. Khan Bahadar Ardeshar Dossabhoy Marker.
12. Rai Bahadar Dewan Jamiat Rai, C.I.E.
13. Rai Bahadar Basant Singh.
14. Lala Narain Dass, Banker, Quetta.
15. Mr Shiawak Shaw Pheroz Shaw, Merchant, Quetta.
16. Seth Gagla Mal, Merchant, Quetta.
17. Hafiz Syed Ahmad, Imam of the Juma Masjid, Quetta.
18. Hakim Gopal Dass.
19. Colonel C. F. Peirse.
20. Khan Bahadar Ain-Ud-Din Khan, General Merchant, Quetta.

21. Khan Sahib Abdulla Asghar Ali, General Merchant, Quetta.
22. Bhagat Choohar Mal.
23. Bhai Gopal Singh.
24. Mr. B. C. Fernandes, Assistant Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan.
25. Seth Kimat Ram, Banker, Quetta.

No. 3930-R.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 9 (1) of the Quetta Municipal Law, 1896, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to appoint the Assistant Political Agent, Quetta, to be Vice-Chairman of the Quetta Municipal Committee during the year 1917.

By order,
A. N. L. CATER,
First Assistant.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 16th December 1916.

No. 3784—65.—Under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to declare the following holidays to be public holidays during the year 1917 :—

Classification of holidays.	Name of holiday.	Dates.	Days of week.	Number of days.
All Creeds	New Year's Day	1st January 1917	Monday	1
Muhammadan	Barawafat	6th " "	Saturday	1
Hindu	Shiv Ratri	20th February 1917	Tuesday	1
"	Holi	8th and 9th March 1917	Thursday and Friday	2
"	Silsaptmi	15th March 1917	Thursday	1
Christian	Good Friday	6th April "	Friday	1
"	Easter Monday	9th " "	Monday	1
Muhammadan	Urs Khwaja Sahib	27th and 28th April 1917	Friday and Saturday	2
Hindu	Baisakhi Fair	7th May 1917	Monday	1
All Creeds	King-Emperor's Birthday.	......	......	...
Muhammadan	Shabe Barat	5th June 1917	Tuesday	1
"	Id-ul-Fitr	21st July "	Saturday	1
Hindu	Raksha Bandan	3rd August 1917	Friday	1
"	Janam Ashtmi	10th " "	"	1
"	Savitri Fair	24th September 1917	Monday	1
"	Jaljhulni Ekadshi	27th " "	Thursday	1
Muhammadan	Id-ul-Zuha	28th " "	Friday	1
Hindu	Dasehra	23rd, 24th and 25th October 1917.	Tuesday to Thursday	3
Muhammadan	Moharram	25th, 26th and 27th October 1917.	Thursday to Saturday	3
Hindu	Dipmalka	14th and 15th November 1917.	Wednesday and Thursday.	2
"	Yam Duj	16th November 1917	Friday	1
"	Pushkar Fair	24th to 29th November 1917.	Saturday to Thursday	6
Christians	Christmas	24th to 31st December 1917.	Monday to Monday	8

Abu, the 16th December 1916.

No. 3786—65.—It is hereby notified that the Courts and Offices under the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara, will be closed on the days named in the list below as public holidays in the year 1917:—

Classification of holidays.	Name of holiday.	Dates.	Days of week.	No. of days.
All Creeds	New Years day	1st January 1917	Monday	1
Muhammadan	Barawafat	6th January 1917	Saturday	1
Hindu	Shive Ratri	20th February 1917	Tuesday	1
"	Holi	8th and 9th March 1917	Thursday and Friday	2
"	Silsaptmi	15th March 1917	Thursday	1
Christian	Good Friday	6th April 1917	Friday	1
"	Easter Monday	9th April 1917	Monday	1
Muhammadan	Urs Khwaja Sahib	27th and 28th April 1917	Friday and Saturday	2
Hindu	Baisakhi Fair	7th May 1917	Monday	1
All Creeds	King-Emperor's birth-day.	......	......	
Muhammadan	Shabe Barat	5th June 1917	Tuesday	1
"	Idul Fitar	21st July 1917	Saturday	1
Hindu	Raksha Bandan	3rd August 1917	Friday	1
"	Janma Ashtmi	10th August 1917	Friday	1
"	Savitri Fair	24th September 1917	Monday	1
"	Jaljhulni Ekadshi	27th September 1917	Thursday	1
Muhammadan	Idulzuha	28th September 1917	Friday	1
Hindu	Dasehra	23rd, 24th and 25th October 1917.	Tuesday to Thursday	3
Muhammadan	Moharram	25th, 26th and 27th October 1917.	Thursday to Saturday	3
Hindu	Dipmalka	14th and 15th November 1917.	Wednesday and Thursday.	2
"	Yam Duj	16th November 1917	Friday	1
"	Pushkar Fair	24th to 29th November 1917.	Saturday to Thursday	6
Christian	Christmas	24th to 31st December 1917.	Monday to Monday	8
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NOTE.—(1) In English and Vernacular Offices when there are no arrears of work, the last Saturday in the month may be observed as a holiday.

(2) The last day of every month will be observed as a holiday in the Treasury Office, Ajmer, instead of the last Saturday.

(3) Muhammadan holidays depend on the Moon being visible and fall on the day following such event.

(4) Local holidays may be granted for great festivals and fairs at the discretion of the Commissioner, when there are no arrears of work.

(5) Civil Court vacations commence from the 1st August 1917 and continue till the 30th September 1917. No fresh suits shall during the time be instituted unless they be of an urgent character, but the Courts will be open for the purpose of clearing up cases instituted before the 15th July 1917 and for the disposal of any urgent work.

(6) The day which may be fixed for the celebration of the King-Emperor's birth-day will be notified separately in due course.

(7) Chehlam will be observed as local holiday for Shias only.

(8) There will be a Lunar Eclipse on Wednesday, the 4th July 1917. The holiday will be observed on the 5th July 1917.

Abu, the 18th December 1916.

No. 3793-1147.—The combined leave for two years granted to Munshi Phulchand, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Ajmer, from the 6th November 1914, in this office Notification No. 783-1147, dated the 13th May 1916, is hereby commuted into privilege leave for two months and 22 days combined with leave on medical certificate for 1 year, 9 months and 9 days and he is granted a further extension of leave on medical certificate for two months and 22 days from the 6th November 1916.

2. Munshi Shankerlal, Munshi Bhagwatilal and Munshi Maharaj Swarup will continue to officiate as Extra Assistant Commissioner, Ajmer, Treasury Officer, Ajmer, and Sub-Divisional Officer, Kekri, respectively, during Munshi Phulchand's absence on extended leave or until further orders.

Rajputana Agency Camp, the 17th December 1916.

No. 1330-C.—1044.—The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to approve of Mr. Rustomji C. Framji, General Merchant, Nasirabad, as a candidate for a license to prospect and mine for minerals in the British district of Ajmer-Merwara.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 5th December 1916.

No. 4401.—It is hereby notified that the holidays to be observed in the Public offices in Baluchistan Agency territories and British Baluchistan, during 1917, which are specified in the schedule below, are public holidays within the meaning of section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act XXVI of 1881.

2. The holidays specified in the schedule should be given to all Government servants subject to the single condition that it is open to the head of an office to stop a holiday in the case of any person guilty of idleness or inattention to duty unless the day in question is deemed especially sacred by the members of the religion which the offender professes.

3. Holidays may be granted by heads of offices on the following festivals not specified in the schedule to members of the communities which hold them sacred provided that the punctual despatch of public business will not be impeded thereby :—

SIKHS.

1. Guru Nanak's Birthday . . . Wednesday, 28th November 1917.
2. Guru Gobind Singh's Birthday . . There will be no celebration this year.

PARSEES.

1. Nauroz . . . . 10th September 1917.
2. Pateti . . . . 11th September 1917.

MOHAMEDANS.

1. Akhri Chahar Shamba . . . . Wednesday, 12th December 1917.
2. Juma-ul-Wida . . . . . Friday, 20th July 1917.

4. Local holidays for the Annual Horse Fairs and holiday on the last Saturday of the month may be granted at the discretion of the heads of offices subject to the condition that there are no arrears of work.

SCHEDULE.

List of Holidays for Public offices, during the year 1917.

Names of holidays.	Dates on which they fall.	Day or days of the week.	No. of days.	REMARKS.
General holidays.				
All Sundays	...	...	52	
Proclamation Day	1st January	Monday	1	
King-Emperor's Birthday *	...	...	1	
Christian holidays.				
Good Friday	6th April	Friday	1	
Saturday before Easter	7th April	Saturday	1	
Easter Monday	9th April	Monday	1	
Christmas Vacation	24th to 31st December.	Monday to Monday	7	Excluding Sunday.

Names of holidays.	Dates on which they fall.	Day or days of the week.	No. of days.	REMARKS.
Hindu holidays.				
Basant Panchmi	27th January	Saturday	1	
Sheoratri	20th February	Tuesday	1	
Holi	8th March	Thursday	1	
Baisakhi	13th April	Friday	1	
Solono	3rd August	Friday	1	
Janam Ashtami	10th August	Friday	1	
Dusehra	22nd to 25th October.	Monday to Thursday	4	
Dewali	14th November	Wednesday	1	
Mohamedan holidays.				
Bara Wafat	7th January	Sunday	...	
Shab-i-Barat	5th June	Tuesday	1	
Id-ul-Fitr†	21st & 22nd July	Saturday & Sunday	1	†Subject to the appearance of the Moon.
Id-ul-Zuha†	27th & 28th September.	Thursday & Friday	2	
Muharram†	25th to 27th October	Thursday to Saturday	3	
Barawafat	27th December	Thursday	...	See Christmas Vacations.

Quetta, the 12th December 1916.

No. 3881-*R*.—Sahibzada Mirza Izazuddin Ahmad Khan, who was appointed as a substantive Extra Assistant Commissioner on probation in this office order No. 204, dated the 19th January 1914, is hereby confirmed with effect from the date of his appointment.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Indore, the 14th December 1916.

No. 1788-*C*.—The Agent to the Governor-General in Central India is pleased to direct that the following addition be inserted before the proviso to rule 14(*b*) of schedule 1 attached to the Central India Agency Notification No. 801-C., dated the 19th April 1912, as modified by the like Notifications No. 51-Exc., dated the 6th January 1915, No. 1227-C., dated the 13th July 1915, and No. 1011-C, dated the 4th July, 1916, *viz.*, "(*c*) manufactured opium in any quantity not less than ½ seer to a Government medical officer on the production of a special permit from the Political Agent in Bhopal authorizing the purchase of such opium for medical purposes.

NOTE—Such permit, with the date of the purchase and the quantity of opium purchased endorsed on it by the officer to whom the opium is supplied, shall be retained by the wholesale vendor as his authority for the sale."

Central India Agency, Indore, the 16th December 1916.

No. 3277-*D*.—The Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India is pleased to declare the days specified below to be public holidays in Central India during the year 1917.

List of General Holidays sanctioned by the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India for the year 1917.

Christian, Hindu, Muhammadan or Parsi.	Designation.	Date.	Days of week.	No. of days.	REMARKS.
C.	New Year's Day	1st January	Monday	1	
M.	Barawafat	6th „	Saturday	1	If the moon be not visible on Monday, the 25th December 1916, then on Sunday, the 7th January 1917.
H.	Til Sankrant	13th „	Do.	1	
H.	Basant Panchmi	27th „	Do.	1	
H.	Shivaratri	20th February	Tuesday	1	
H.	Holi or Dol Jatra	8th and 9th March	Thursday and Friday	2	

Christian, Hindu, Muhammadan or Parsi.	Designation.	Date.	Days of week.	No. of days.	REMARKS.
P.	Jamshed-i-Nauroz	21st March	Wednesday	1	For Parsis only.
H.	Gudipadwa	24th „	Saturday	1	
H.	Ram Naumi	31st „	Do.	1	
C.	Good Friday	6th April	Friday	1	
C.	Saturday before Easter	7th „	Saturday	1	
C.	Easter Monday	9th „	Monday	1	
General.	King-Emperor's Birthday	......	......	1*	
M.	Shab-i-Barat	4th June	Monday	1	If the moon be not visible on Monday, the 21st May 1917, then on Tuesday, the 5th June 1917.
P.	Zoroaster's *deeso*	18th „	Do.	1	For Parsis only.
M.	Alvida, last Friday in Ramzan.	20th July	Friday	1	For Muhammadans only.
M.	Id-ul-Fitr	20th „	Do.	1	If the moon be not visible on Thursday, the 19th July 1917, then on Saturday, the 21st July 1917.
H.	Nag Panchmi	24th „	Tuesday	1	
H.	Raksha Bandhan	3rd August	Friday	1	
H.	Janam Ashtami	10th „	Do.	1	
P.	Nauroz	11th September	Tuesday	1	
P.	Khurdadsal	16th „	Sunday	1	For Parsis only.
P.	Amardadsal	17th „	Monday	1	For Parsis only.
M.	Id-ul-Zuha	27th „	Thursday	1	If the moon be not visible on Monday, the 17th September 1917, then on Friday, the 28th September 1917.
H.	Anant Chaudas	29th „	Saturday	1	
H.	Dasehra	24th to 26th October	Wednesday to Friday	3	
M.	Moharram	25th to 27th „	Thursday to Saturday	3	If the moon be not visible on Wednesday, the 17th October 1917, then from Friday to Sunday, 26th to 28th October 1917.
H.	Diwali	15th to 17th November	Do.	3	
C.	Christmas	23rd to 31st December	Sunday to Monday	9	
M.	Barawafat	27th December	Thursday	1	If the moon be not visible on Saturday, the 15th December 1917, then on Friday, the 28th December 1917.

NOTES.—(1) Sundays and the last Saturday in each month, if there are no arrears of work, are general holidays, also each day of Solar Eclipse and the day following each Lunar Eclipse.

During the year 1917, the following Eclipse is foretold :—Lunar Eclipse on Wednesday, the 4th July 1917.

(2) Heads of offices are empowered to grant holidays on extraordinary occasions or at the times of local fairs and religious festivals, provided that no undue delay in the disposal of public business will thereby occur.

*The date for the celebration of His Majesty the King-Emperor's Birthday will be notified separately.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Preliminary Scientific M. B. Examination held in November, 1916.

(In alphabetical order.)

	Addy, Phulchand	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Baruya, Bhubaneswar	Ditto.
	Basak, Bijaybasanta	Ditto.
	Basu, Amarnath	Ditto.
	„ Harendranath	Ditto.
	Bhattacharyya, Nirodchandra	Ditto.
	„ Surathkumar	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Santoshkumar	Ditto.
	„ Sarojkumar	Ditto.
10	Chaudhuri, Bhabanicharan	Ditto.
	„ Kiranchandra	Ditto.
	Das, Prabhatchandra	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Kumudchandra	Ditto.
	Gupta, Bibhutibhushan	Ditto.
	Lahiri, Dwijeschandra	Ditto.
	„ Harendranath	Ditto.
	Maitra, Dhirendranath	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Nalinchandra	Ditto.
	„ Sayambhugopal	Ditto.
20	Mitra, Satyendranath	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Durgapada	Ditto.
	Ray, Kshirodchandra	Ditto.
	Sadhu, Muralidhar	Ditto.
24	Sanyal, Abaninath	Ditto.

The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the first M.B. Examination held in November, 1916.

(In alphabetical order.)

	Bandyopadhyay, Dhirendranath	Medical College, Calcutta.
	„ Hridaydhan	Ditto.
	„ Kalipada	Ditto.
	„ Kshirodnath	Ditto.
	„ Nalinichandra	Ditto.
	„ Panchanan	Ditto.
	„ Prabodhchandra	Ditto.
	„ Ramdhan	Ditto.
	Basu, Dhirendranath	Ditto.
10	„ Khagendranath	Ditto.
	„ Nirmalkrishna	Ditto.
	„ Prabhaschandra	Ditto.
	„ Pulinranjan	Ditto.
	„ Sachindrachandra	Ditto.
	„ Santoshkumar	Ditto.
	Bhattacharyya, Bidhubhushan	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath	Ditto.
	Bhaumik, Sisirkumar	Ditto.
	Campos, Joachim J.	Ditto.
20	Chakrabarti, Manoranjan	Ditto.
	„ Nilmani*	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Abaninath	Ditto.
	„ Harendranath	Ditto.
	„ Haridhan	Ditto.
	„ Nirmalkanta	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Parbatinarayan	Ditto.
	„ Radharaman	Ditto.
	Das, Nandalal	Ditto.
	„ Prabodhchandra	Ditto.

* Eligible for admission to the Examination for Honours in Physiology and Pharmacology.

30	Dasgupta, Anilendranath	Medical College, Calcutta.
	„ Arunkumar	Ditto.
	Datta, Binaykrishna	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Mahadeb	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Anilchandra	Ditto.
	„ Arabindanath	Ditto.
	„ Bishnucharan	Ditto.
	„ Kalipada	Ditto.
	„ Khagendrabhushan	Ditto.
	Ghoshal, Phanindranath	Ditto.
40	Kaiser Jung Thapa	Ditto.
	Kumar, Bijaykrishna	Ditto.
	Mafizuddin Swarnakar	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Dwarakanath	Ditto.
	„ Karunadas	Ditto.
	Mitra, Gopikaranjan	Ditto.
	„ Narendrakumar	Ditto.
	„ Rabindranath	Ditto
	„ Satibhushan	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Anadiprasad	Ditto.
50	„ Santoshkumar	Ditto.
	Niyogi, Surendranath	Ditto.
	Pal, Bijaybasanta	Ditto.
	Palchaudhuri, Pranballabh	Ditto.
	Pan, Sanakulchandra	Ditto.
	Ray, Indubhushan	Ditto.
	„ Kantibhushan	Ditto.
	„ Praphullachandra	Ditto.
	„ Purnananda *	Ditto.
	Sachchidananda Sahay	Ditto.
60	Sarbadhikari, Nikhilchandra	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Amulyaratan	Ditto.
	„ Dhyanendranath	Ditto.
	Sen, Atmajyoti	Ditto.
	„ Hiranmoyee	Ditto.
	„ Jitendranath	Ditto.
	„ Lalitmohan	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	Ditto.
	„ Sureschandra	Ditto.
69	Tariniprasad Varma	Ditto.

The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed in Part I only of the Final M. B. Examination held in November, 1916 :—

(In alphabetical order.)

	Basu, Praphullakumar	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Khelatchandra	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Bhabeschandra	Ditto.
4	Sarkar, Srischandra	Ditto.

The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed in Part II only of the Final M. B. Examination held in November, 1916 :—

(In alphabetical order.)

	Bandyopadhyay, Jatindramohan	Medical College, Calcutta.
	„ Lalgopal	Ditto.
	„ Sasadhar	Ditto.
	Banik, Madanmohan	Ditto.
	Basu, Pannalal	Ditto.
	Datta, Jagadispada	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Phanimohan	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Brajakisor	Ditto.
9	Ray, Manadakanta	Ditto.

* Eligible for admission to the Examination for Honours in Anatomy, Physiology and Pharmacology.

The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final M. B. Examination held in November, 1916 :—

(*In alphabetical order.*)

	Bandyopadhyay, Raghupati	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Bhaduri, Sudhiranjan	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Ramanikanta	Ditto.
	" Sudhirchandra	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Nareschandra	Ditto.
	Ray, Gopalchandra	Ditto.
	" Jyotirmay	Ditto.
	Shaw, Syamacharan	Ditto.
9	Varma, Arunjaysahay	Ditto.

The undermentioned candidates who had passed in part of the subjects prescribed for the Final M. B. Examination in 1915 and 1916, have passed in the remaining subjects at the Examination held in November, 1916, and are now declared to have passed the Final M. B. Examination :—

	Alice J. Shaw	Medical College, Calcutta.
	Bandyopadhyay, Praphullakumar	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Anilchandra	Ditto.
	" Bidhubhushan	Ditto.
	" Ramkrishna	Ditto.
	" Sailendranath	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Kumudbihari	Ditto.
	Das, Jogeschandra	Ditto.
	Dubey, Baliram	Ditto.
10	Hajra, Nagendranath	Ditto.
	Joachim, Bradford Ivan Hector	Ditto.
	Kumar, Sripati	Ditto.
	Maitra, Surendralal	Ditto.
	Mallik, Pramathanath	Ditto.
	Mandal, Prabhaschandra	Ditto.
	Mitra, Hemchandra *	Ditto.
	" Syamacharan	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Chandiprasad	Ditto.
	" Sanatkumar	Ditto.
20	Pal, Amulyacharan	Ditto.
	Palit, Sanatkumar	Ditto.
	Phani, Nilambara	Ditto.
	Ray, Saratchandra, I	Ditto.
24	Samanta, Dharmadas	Ditto.

* Eligible for admission to the Examination for Honours in Medical Jurisprudence.

P. BRÜHL,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 21st December 1916.

SENIOR GOVERNMENT INSPECTOR OF RAILWAYS, CIRCLE NO. 7.

NOTIFICATION.

Madras, the 18th December 1916.

No. 551.—All communications intended for the combined office of the Senior and Junior Government Inspectors of Railways, Circle No. 7, Madras, should, from 1st January 1917, be addressed to "Lloyd's Road, Royapettah, Madras."

A. ROWLAND,
Senior Government Inspector.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.
In Insolvency.

No. 13 OF 1912.

Dated the 18th December 1916.

Re Jiwandas Jhawar.

Ex parte the Creditor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 6th day of February 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 66 OF 1914.

Dated the 15th December 1916.

Re Rupert Boswell *alias* Rupert William Boswell.

Ex parte the debtor.

Take notice that by an Order of Court, dated the 24th day of November 1914, it was directed that the abovenamed Insolvent be discharged as from the same day. The Order for discharge was completed on the 21st day of November 1916.

No. 297 OF 1914.

Dated the 18th December 1916.

Re Sasi Bhusan Nag and others.

Ex parte the Debtors.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 6th day of February 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 40 OF 1916.

Dated the 20th December 1916.

Re Kailash Chandra Shaha and another.

Ex parte the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 6th day of February 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Summary Case.

No. 120 OF 1912.

Dated the 18th December 1916.

Re Chandi Das Pal.

Ex parte the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 6th day of February 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 274 OF 1914.

Dated the 18th December 1916.

Re Herbert Edward D'Cruz.

Ex parte the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 6th day of February 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 59 OF 1915.

Dated the 18th December 1916.

Re Eustace Anthony D'Silva and Clarence Bertram Carlton.

Ex parte the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 6th day of February 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 103 OF 1915.

Dated the 20th December 1916.

Re Hari Charan Dey.

Ex parte the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 6th day of February 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 148 OF 1915.

Dated the 18th December 1916.

Re Shew Protap Karnani.

Ex parte the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 6th day of February 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 18 OF 1916.

Dated the 16th December 1916.

Re Abhoy Charan Das.

Ex parte the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 6th day of February 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 129 OF 1916.

Dated the 18th December 1916.

Re Akhoy Kumar Dey.

Ex parte the Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 6th day of February 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 194 OF 1916.

Dated the 16th December 1916.

Re Mrs. Caroline Liecester and Herbert Joseph Liecester, lately carrying on Dairy business in co-partnership at 19A, Collin Lane in the town of Calcutta and at present without any occupation, both residing at No. 21, Golam Sobhan Lane in Calcutta aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 15th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 196 OF 1916.

Dated the 20th December 1916.

Re Sitaram Bajari, residing at No. 2, Raja Woodmunt Street, in the town of Calcutta, by occupation a gomastha in the employ of Messrs. Golap Chand Ninakram, now a prisoner in the Civil side of the Presidency Jail.

Ex parte the debtor. Jyotindra Nath Mitra—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 16th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 197 OF 1916.

Dated the 20th December 1916.

Re Hari Charan Bhor, residing at No. 105, Musjidbari Street, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on business of an order supplier.

Ex parte the debtor. P. C. Dutt—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 19th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.
In Insolvency.

Madras, the 15th December 1916.

Notice is hereby given that orders have been made by this Court adjudging the person hereunder mentioned insolvent and vesting the estates and effects of the said insolvent in the Official Assignee of this Court; and all persons indebted to the said insolvent, or who have any of his estates and effects, are hereby required forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said Official Assignee.

Number of Petition.	Date of Presentation.	Name, address and description of Insolvent.	Date of Adjudication	Date of Public Examination.
229 of 1916	2nd November 1916.	Y. S. Masilamany Mudelly, residing at No. 12, Palliappen Street, George Town, Madras.	3rd November 1916	12th January 1917.

PETITION No. 82 OF 1916.

Madras, the 18th December 1916.

In the matter of C. Streenivasa Pillay, an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court, adjudging the said C. Streenivasa Pillay, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order, made herein and dated the 20th day of November 1916.

PETITION No. 151 OF 1916.

Madras, the 18th December 1916.

In the matter of Karlapady Satyanarayana, an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court, adjudging the said Karlapady Satyanarayana, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made herein and dated the 13th day of November 1916.

PETITION No. 279 of 1914.

Madras, the 18th December 1916.

In the matter of K. J. Gajather Singh, an Insolvent

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court, adjudging the said K. J. Gajather Singh, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order, made herein and dated the 11th day of December 1 16.

J. R. ATKINSON,

Deputy Registrar.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI (INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION).

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 49 OF 1916.

Dated the 9th December 1916.

In the matter of Banarsi Das, son of Jawahar Lal of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 14th July 1916, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI (INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION).

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 58 OF 1916.

Dated the 13th December 1916.

In the matter of Mehdi Hassan, son of Baqar Ali, Caste Sayad of Dehli, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 20th October 1916, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM No. 5.

Order Appointing a Receiver.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI (INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION).

SECTION 18.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 58 OF 1916.

Dated the 13th December 1916.

In the matter of Mehdi Hassan, son of Baqar Ali, Sayad of Dehli, Debtor.

Whereas Mehdi Hassan was adjudicated an insolvent by order of this Court, dated 13th December 1916, and it appears to the Court that the appointment of a Receiver for the property of the insolvent is necessary.

It is ordered that a receiving order be made against the insolvent and a receiving order is hereby made against insolvent and Clerk of Court is hereby constituted Receiver of the property of the said insolvent,

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI (INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION).

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 59 OF 1916.

Dated the 11th December 1916.

In the matter of Shaman, son of Gordhan, Kahar of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 18th October 1916, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing in the absence of the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI (INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION).

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 60 OF 1916.

Dated the 9th December 1916.

In the matter of Jado, son of Jiwan, of Silumpur, Dehli Province, debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 10th November 1916, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

RAHIM BAKHSH,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction

CASE No. 126 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 5th December 1916.

In the matter of Peena Shaik Rowther, Trader of No. 76, 36th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Peena Shaik Rowther, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 5th day of December 1916.

CASE No. 205 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 6th December 1916.

In the matter of V. Lokiah Naidoo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by V. Lokiah Naidoo of No. 48, Dhoby Lines, Rangoon, on the 5th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said V. Lokiah Naidoo.

CASE No. 162 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 14th December 1916.

In the matter of Shaik Mohamed Hashim of No. 44, 39th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Shaik Mohamed Hashim an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of December 1916.

CASE No. 207 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 12th December 1916.

In the matter of Ko Ko Gyi, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ko Ko Gyi, Translator of Chief Court, residing at No. 45, 16th Street, Rangoon, on the 11th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ko Ko Gyi.

CASE No. 208 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 13th December 1916.

In the matter of P. Govindan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by P. Govindan, unemployed, residing at No. 43, Sule Pagoda Road, Rangoon, on the 12th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said P. Govindan.

(*Illegible*),
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

In Insolvency.

No. 118 OF 1915.

Bombay, the 14th December 1916.

Re Virchand Krishna Sha of Bombay, Hindu inhabitant, residing at Tulsidas Hansraj's house, Frere Road, lately doing business as a Shroff in partnership with Sardarmal Narsing in the name of Virchand Krishna and now unemployed, an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order made herein on the 15th day of November 1916, annulling the order of adjudication made herein on the 13th day of February 1915 against the abovenamed Insolvent, has been this day rescinded.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
704—1916	Krishna Yeshwant Korgaokar *alias* Desai, Yesoo Krishna Korgaokar *alias* Desai and Ram Chandra Krishna Korgaokar *alias* Desai.	Hindu	Parel, Bombay	Lately doing business in partnership as proprietors of the new Delisle Road, Flour Mill and now unemployed.	12th	December	1916	12th	December	1916
705—1916	Narayan Ramji Mudawy	"	No. 19, Mangalwadi Girgaum, Bombay.	Extra fitter in H. M.'s Mint	"	"	"	"	"	"
706—1916	Nusserwanji Rutonji Master	Parsi	242, Girgaum Road, Bombay	Extra Tally Clerk	"	"	"	"	"	"
707—1916	Sakharam Bapu Porje	Hindu	Byculla, Bombay	Formerly dealer in vegetables in partnership with Mahadeo Vinayek and Ramji Vishun in the name of Mahadeo Vinayek and lately in partnership with Sadashiv Bhimaji and Mahadeo Vinayek in the name of Sadashiv Sakharam and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
708—1916	Bhana Giga Chowan *alias* Bhana Kala Chowan.	"	Kajipura Street near Two Tanks, Bombay.	Trimmer in the Carriage and Wagon Department, G. I. P. Railway Workshop, Matanga.	"	"	"	"	"	"
709—1916	Ganoo Laxumon Mochi	"	Jacob Circle, Bombay	Fireman in the Bombay Municipality	"	"	"	"	"	"
710—1916	Gulam Mohidin bin Husein Khan	Mahomedan	Uran	Lately Grocer at Uran and now servant in the employ of Enuskhan Abdulakhan, Salt Merchant, Nal Bazar, Bombay.	13th	"	"	13th	"	"

711—1916	Shaik Abdul Gaffoor Shaik Ismail	„	New Nagpada, Huzria Molla, Bombay.	Lately Boiler-maker in the British India Steam Navigation Company, Ltd., and now unemployed.	„	„	„	„	„	„
712—1916	Rama Babaji Sawant	Hindu	Chinchpoogly, Bombay	Lately Jobber in the Bombay Cotton Mills Ltd., and now unemployed.	14th	„	„	14th	„	„
684—1916	Pragji Hirji Sha	„	Mulji Jetha's Market 1st Lane, Ganesh Chowk, Bombay.	Lately dealer in cloth and now unemployed.	1st	„	„	„	„	„
713—1916	Ranchhod Mowji Kadia	„	Nal Bazar, Khoja Street	Mason	15th	„	„	15th	„	„
714—1916	Hubert Alexander Bocarro *alias* Hubert Alexander Bryant.	Anglo-Indian	Sankli Street, Byculla	Assistant Storekeeper in the Bombay Electric Company.	„	„	„	„	„	„
715—1916	Haridas Bhagwandas Thakar	Hindu	19, Kazi Syed Street	Clerk in the service of the Mathuradas Mills	„	„	„	„	„	„
716—1916	Gokuldas Mulchand Sha	„	Old Hanumangali	Lately dealer in sweet oil and ghee and now unemployed.	18th	„	„	18th	„	„

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effect of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT
Bombay, this 18th day of December 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 13th December 1916.

No. 44.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name :—

Temporary Lieutenant W. Sheppard . . . . . 3 months and 14 days from 6th October 1916.

The 18th December 1916.

No. 45—The undermentioned officer is granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name :—

Temporary Engineer W. J. Smith, R. I. M....3 months, 22 days from 21st October 1916.

C. W. RAMSAY,

Offg Director, Royal Indian Marine.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 19th December 1916.

No. 305-*G.-Camp.*—Major H. C. Szczepanski, I. A., Military Accountant, 4th class, Military Accounts Department, is granted leave under the provisions of India Army Order No. 236 of 1916, from the 5th December 1916 to the 6th January 1917.

The 20th December 1916.

No. 315-*G.-Camp.*—The following officiating promotions to the grade of Deputy Examiner, 1st grade, Military Accounts Department, are made for the periods specified :—

I. Rao Bahadur R. D. Moghe, from 9th to 31st May 1916 and Mr. W. S. W. Shepherd, from 1st to 8th June 1916 *vice* Rao Sahib P. R. Vengu Aiyar, granted privilege leave.

II. Mr. F. I. L. Clarke, from 6th to 8th June 1916 and Mr. W. S. W. Shepherd from 9th June to 5th July 1916 *vice* Mr. H. R. Grinnol, Deputy Examiner, 1st grade, granted privilege leave.

III. Mr. H. M. Smith, from 1st to 5th July and Mr. W. S. W. Shepherd from 6th July to 20th October 1916, in consequence of the promotions notified in Finance Department Notification No. 1096-Accounts, dated 8th September 1916, in the arrangement *vice* Mr. A. E. O'Hara, Deputy Examiner, 1st grade, on leave on medical certificate.

IV. Mr. E. J. Earle, from 1st to 5th July 1916 *vice* Mr. H. M. Smith absent on privilege leave.

No. 316-*G.-Camp.*—Mr. J. W. Glancey, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 4th (Quetta) Division, is granted privilege leave for one month and five days on medical grounds, with effect from the 25th November 1916.

No. 317-*G.-Camp.*—Mr. Ramjee Dass, Superintendent (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade in that office, with effect from the 14th December 1916.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,

Military Accountant General.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 15th December 1916.

No. 1077-*Ap*.—Babu Nagendra Nath Mitra, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 2nd grade, is granted privilege leave for two months, with effect from the 12th December 1916.

Babu Baidya Nath Banerji, Head Assistant, Office of the Inspector-General, Railway Mail Service and Sorting, Eastern Circle, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Babu Nagendra Nath Mitra, or until further orders.

Calcutta, the 16th December 1916.

No. 1084-*Ap*.—Mr. C. W. Taylor, Inspector of Post Offices, Sikkim-Tibet Sub-Division, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, R. M. S., 5th grade, with effect from the 18th December 1916, or from the date on which he assumes charge of that appointment, and until further orders.

Calcutta, the 20th December 1916.

No. 1128-*Ap*.—Mr. M. Bickers, Reserve Superintendent of Post Offices, sub. *pro tem.* in the 4th grade, Bengal and Assam Circle, is granted an extension of privilege leave for three weeks, with effect from the 18th December 1916.

Calcutta, the 22nd September 1916.

No. 1153-*Ap*.—Mr. K. K. Lalkaka, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 24th December 1916 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. G. V. Tulpule Probationary Superintendent of post offices, Bombay, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. K. K. Lalkaka, or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 21st December 1916.

No. 6464-*T*.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 14th December 1916 to 20th December 1916.

Name of office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
Amritsar Golden Temple	Punjab	1st December 1916	Closed.
Delhi Katra Barian	Do.	2nd "	"
Maud	Baluchistan	7th "	Opened.
Ramandrug	Madras	4th October 1916	Closed.
Rawalpindi Ganj Bazar	Punjab	2nd December 1916	"
	Railway Telegraph Offices.		
Bandakapur	Great Indian Peninsula Railway.	1st December 1916	Opened.
Kaurіala Ghat	Rohilkhand Kumaon Railway.	7th "	"
Khunkhuna	Jodhpur-Bikaner Railway	29th November 1916	"

The following alterations in the names of Government Telegraph Offices are notified :—

"Gola Gokarannath" instead of "Gola (Kheri)."
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"Nagpur City" instead of "Nagpur Aditvari."
"Ranipet" instead of "Ranipettai."

W. SUTHERLAND,
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 12th December 1916.

No. 3015-*s.E.-E.*—Mr. M. L. Pritchard, Inspecting Telegraph Master, is granted an extension of leave on medical certificate for six months with effect from the 6th November 1916, in continuation of the leave sanctioned in this Department Notification No. 1053-s. E.-E., dated the 14th June 1916.

Simla, the 13th December 1916.

No. 3025-*s.E.-E.*—The following officiating promotion in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name	From	To	With effect from
Mr. S. Phillips	Inspecting Telegraphist.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, officiating.	25th October to 14th November 1916.

No. 3045-*s.E.-E.*—The following officiating promotion in the upper subordinate establishment (Technical Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name	From	To	With effect from
Mr. J. Brown	Telegraph Master Technical.	Deputy Superintendent, Technical, 2nd class, officiating.	10th October to 5th November 1916.

Simla, the 15th December 1916.

No. 3781-*s.E.-E.*—Mr. C. N. Barnes, Inspecting Telegraphist, is appointed officiating Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, with effect from the 1st September to the 12th October 1916, *vice* Mr. P. A. Walker, officiating Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, granted privilege leave for one month and twelve days with effect from the same date.

Calcutta, the 19th December 1916.

No. 4109-*E.-E.*—Mr. J. G. P. Cameron, Assistant Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, is granted special (field) leave for two months and fifteen days, with effect from the 6th October 1916, under Army Department letter No. 5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

Calcutta, the 21st December 1916.

No. 4163-*E.-E.*—The following officiating promotions in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) are sanctioned with effect from the dates specified :—

Names	From	To	With effect from
Mr. J. T. Shave . . .	Deputy Superintendent, (Engineering) 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent (Engineering) 1st class, offg.	22nd November to 4th December 1916.
„ J. J. Harvey . . .	Ditto.	Ditto.	5th to 6th December 1916.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

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PART III.

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

NOTICE.

The Government Promissory Note No. 081722 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1900 for Rs. 100 (interest payable in Calcutta) originally standing in the name of Srikrishna Chakravarty and last endorsed to Srikrishna Chakravarty of Sydabad, District Murshidabad, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Calcutta Treasury where it is enfaced and that application is about to be made for the issue of a duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned security.

SRIKRISHNA CHAKRAVARTY,

of Sydabad, P. O. Khagra, (Murshidabad).

Estate 2nd-Lieutenant R. C. Burton, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late Reginald Cooksey Burton, a second Lieutenant I. A. R. O. attached 125th Rifles, late Assistant Superintendent, Geological Survey of India, who died of wounds received in action on 9th April 1916. Letters of Administration to whose Estate have been granted to Joseph Carstairs Roberts Johnston of Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, are required to send in the same on or before 28th January next to the said Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to administer the assets having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice, and no claims sent in subsequently will be recognized.

J. C. R. JOHNSTON.

Calcutta, the 14th December 1916.

Estate Colonel H. R. Marrett, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late Henry Richard Marrett, a retired Colonel in His Majesty's Indian Army, who died on 3rd July 1916, at the Haven, Ealing, Middlesex, Letters of Administration to whose Estate have been granted to Joseph Carstairs Roberts Johnston of Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, are required to send in the same on or before 30th January next to the said Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to administer the assets having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice, and no claims sent in subsequently will be recognized.

J. C. R. JOHNSTON.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

TARIFF VALUATION OF SUGAR.

The following statement shows in respect of each of the descriptions of sugar distinguished in the Tariff Schedule II (excepting molasses and all other kinds of sugar), *first*, the total imports into India in the month of November 1916, and the average value per cwt. as calculated on the returns received from the Customs Houses; and, *secondly*, a running total showing the total imports into India since the beginning of the year (1st October to 30th September) and the average net value per cwt. so far established. It is published in conformity with the procedure laid down in Customs Circular No. V of 1911, in order to enable merchants to compute the probable rate of duty for the year 1918:—

Description of sugar.	IMPORTED DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1916.		IMPORTED SINCE 1ST OCTOBER 1916.	
	Quantity	Average net value per cwt.	Quantity.	Average net value per cwt.
	Cwt.	R a.	Cwt.	R a.
Sugar, crystallised, beet	...	...	...	...
" " and soft, refined in China	12,096	20 0	15,877	19 4
" " " " from Japan	56,887	19 0	71,012	19 0
" " " " from Egypt	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Java, 23 Dutch Standard and above.	611,799	18 4	1,248,100	17 12
" " " " from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch Standard.	294,887	16 12	627,844	16 4
" " " " from Java, 15 Dutch Standard and under.	...	...	...	..
" " " " from Mauritius equal to 16 Dutch Standard and over.	18,776	16 12	18,776	16 12

H. A. F. LINDSAY,
Director-General of Commercial Intelligence.

H. F. HOWARD,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

CALCUTTA:
The 19th December 1916.

FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING NOVEMBER, 1916.

REVIEW of the SEA-BORNE TRADE and NAVIGATION of BRITISH INDIA for the month of NOVEMBER, 1916, and for the eight months ended NOVEMBER, 1916.

FOREIGN COMMERCE.

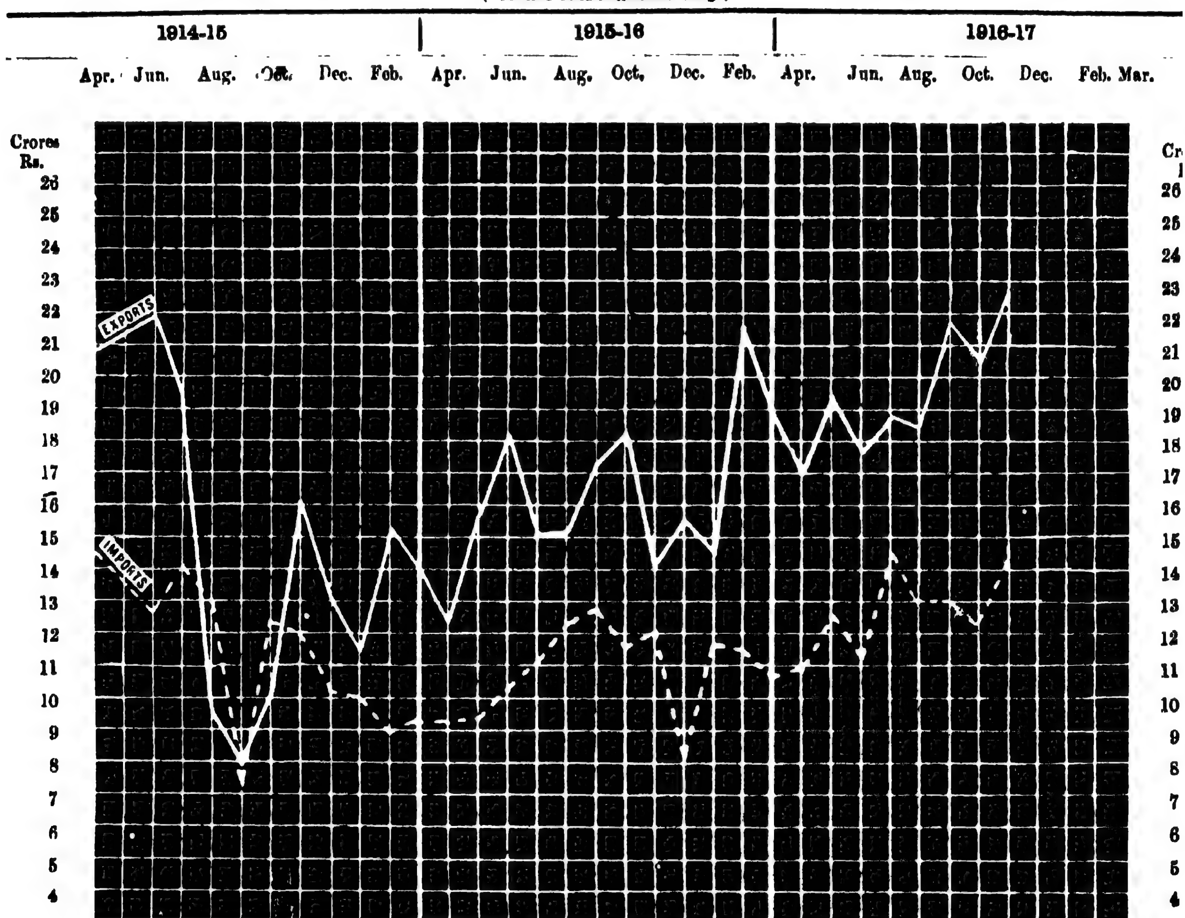
FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING NOVEMBER, 1916.

The trade returns of British India for November, 1916, as compared with those of its immediate predecessor, showed increases in total imports and exports, while re-exports showed a slight decrease. The total imports of merchandise were valued at R14¼ crores, the exports, including those of wheat and tanned cow hides on Government account, at nearly R22¼ crores, and the re-exports at R67⅝ lakhs. As compared with the preceding month (October, 1916), the imports increased by 16 per cent, and the exports by 12 per cent, while the re-exports decreased by 1 per cent. As compared with November, 1915, the imports showed an increase of 18 per cent, the exports of 59 per cent, and the re-exports of 130 per cent.

The chart showing the course of monthly imports and exports, including re-exports, from April, 1914, to November, 1916, is appended below:—

MONTHLY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FROM APRIL, 1914, TO NOVEMBER, 1916.

(Private Merchandise only.)



Apr. Jun. Aug. Oct. Dec. Feb. Apl. Jun. Aug. Oct. Dec. Feb. Apr. Jun. Aug. Oct. Dec. Feb. Mar

The actual net excess of exports, including re-exports, over imports was R8,20 lakhs in October, 1916, and R8,64 lakhs in November, 1916. The statement below shows the figures of imports and exports, including re-exports, during October and November of the years 1914, 1915, and 1916, and the actual net excess of exports over imports during the same periods:—

	1914		1915		1916		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1914	1915	1916
	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)
October . . .	12,36	10,36	11,52	18,28	12,26	20,46	—2,00	6,76	8,20
November . .	11,94	16,05	12,07	14,20	14,22	22,86 (a)	4,11	2,13	8,64

Comparisons with October, 1916.—As compared with October, 1916, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (+R9½ lakhs), mineral oil (+R13 lakhs), raw silk (+R13¾ lakhs), aniline dyes (+R10 lakhs), cotton, grey piecegoods (+R12 lakhs), white piecegoods (+R34¾ lakhs), coloured piecegoods (+R59 lakhs), but *decrease* under tea-chests (—R10 lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under pulse (+R12⅔ lakhs), barley (+R13¾ lakhs), raw hides (+R31⅕ lakhs), raw skins (+R23¼ lakhs), opium (+R16 lakhs), raw jute (+R32⅔ lakhs), indigo (+R30 lakhs), hides, tanned, private and Government (+R67 lakhs), skins, tanned (+R60¾ lakhs), jute, gunny cloth (+R48⅗ lakhs), linseed (+R38 lakhs), and rapeseed (+R15¼ lakhs), but *decreases* under wheat (—R89½ lakhs), raw cotton (—R38¼ lakhs), tea, black (—R44⅘ lakhs), and jute, gunny bags (—R26½ lakhs).

Comparisons with November, 1915.—As compared with November, 1915, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (+R21 lakhs), raw silk (+R9½ lakhs), aniline dyes (+R10 lakhs), cotton, grey piecegoods (+R52 lakhs), white piecegoods (+R21 lakhs), coloured piecegoods (+R78 lakhs), and woollen piecegoods (+R10¾ lakhs), but *decrease* under railway materials for construction (—R13 lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under barley (+R12 lakhs), pulse (+R26¼ lakhs), rice (+R83⅙ lakhs), raw skins (+R41⅓ lakhs), linseed (+R83⅓ lakhs), rapeseed (+R15¾ lakhs), raw cotton (+R1,27¾ lakhs), raw jute (+R33¾ lakhs), cotton yarn (+R21 lakhs), cotton piecegoods (+R39¼ lakhs), opium (+R17⅗ lakhs), indigo (+R16½ lakhs), hides, tanned (+R53⅔ lakhs), skins, tanned (+R53⅔ lakhs), and jute, gunny cloth (+R89⅔ lakhs), but *decreases* under tea, black (—R31 lakhs), wheat (private and Government) (—R98 lakhs), and jute, gunny bags (—R38 lakhs).

VARIATIONS IN CLASSES.

The variations in November, 1915 and 1916, as compared with October, 1915 and 1916, respectively, according to the four main classes of merchandise, are as follows:—

	October 1915 R(lakhs)	November 1915 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)	October 1916 R(lakhs)	November 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)
IMPORTS						
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	3,33	2,76	—57	2,91	2,89	—2
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	60	98	+38	85	1,17	+32
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	7,38	8,09	+71	8,36	9,98	+1,62
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	21	24	+3	14	18	+4
Total	11,52	12,07	+55	12,26	14,22	+1,96

Exports	October 1915 R(lakhs)	November 1915 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)	October 1916 R(lakhs)	November 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)
1. Food, drink, and tobacco . . .	4,19	3,35	—84	6,38	5,33	—1,05
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured . . .	7,40	5,36	—2,04	7,45	8,75	+1,30
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured . . .	6,11	5,02	—1,09	5,73	7,87	+2,14
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified .	17	17	...	22	24	+2
Total ..	17,87	13,90	—3,97	19,78(a)	22,19(b)	+2,41

COMPARISON WITH THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF THE PRECEDING MONTH (OCTOBER, 1916).†

I.—Imports.

AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF SUGAR AND A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF SALT AND CIGARETTES.

Imports of Food, drink, and tobacco in November, 1916, decreased by nearly R2 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, increased in November, 1916, to 49,882 tons, valued at over R1,75 lakhs, from 49,287 tons, valued at R1,65¾ lakhs, in the preceding month (October, 1916). Imports from Java decreased, while those from Japan and Mauritius increased. In the eight months, April to November, 1916, the imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, amounted to 272,980 tons, valued at R9,07 lakhs, as against 356,019 tons, valued at R10,92 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year. Imports of salt decreased in November, 1916, to 20,501 tons, valued at R5⅝ lakhs, from 38,534 tons, valued at R13½ lakhs, in the preceding month. Imports of cigarettes decreased in November, 1916, to 136,848 lbs from 293,390 lbs in the preceding month.

AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF MINERAL OILS AND RAW SILK.

The value of the imports of Raw materials in November, 1916, increased by R32 lakhs. Imports of mineral oils increased in November, 1916, to nearly 7¾ million gallons, valued at R40⅖ lakhs, from 4¾ million gallons, valued at R27⅘ lakhs, in the preceding month. Imports of raw silk also increased in November, 1916, to 439,349 lbs, from 214,833 lbs, in October, 1916, due to larger imports from China.

AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF MANUFACTURED ARTICLES.

The value of the imports of manufactured articles increased by R1,62 lakhs. The imports of cotton piecegoods, including fents, in November, 1916, increased to 170 million yards, valued at R4,28 lakhs, from 134 million yards, valued at R3,19 lakhs, in the preceding month. Grey goods increased by nearly 1½ million yards to 73 million yards, white goods by 15 million yards to 48 million yards, and coloured, printed, or dyed, by 17 million yards to 45 million yards. In the eight months, April to November, 1916, the total imports of cotton piecegoods amounted to 1,385 million yards, valued at R31 crores, as against 1,480 million yards, valued at R24¾ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year. The quantity of iron and steel imported decreased in November, 1916, to 17,056 tons from 17,172 tons in the preceding month (October, 1916).

Imports of aniline dyes increased in November, 1916, to 86,167 lbs, valued at R11 lakhs, from 17,855 lbs, valued at R73,000 in the preceding month, due to larger imports from the United States of America into Bombay.

(a) There were no exports of wheat on Government account in October, 1916. The exports of tanned cow hides on Government account were valued at R66,975.

(b) Includes R76,92,613, being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account in November, 1916.

† Comparison is made with the previous month and not with the corresponding month of last year, owing to the present abnormal circumstances brought about by the war.

II.—Exports.

A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF WHEAT AND RICE.

Exports of Food, drink, and tobacco decreased in November, 1916, by R1,05 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. Exports of rice, not in the husk, decreased in November, 1916, to 127,737 tons, valued at R1,46¾ lakhs, from 134,269 tons, valued at R1,50⅓ lakhs, in the preceding month. The marginal table shows the exports in October and November, 1916, to certain principal importing countries. The United Kingdom, Ceylon, Java, and the Straits Settlements increased their demands, while shipments to the West Indies and Mauritius decreased. In the eight months ended November, 1916, the exports amounted to 1,017,118 tons, valued at R11¾ crores, as against 761,046 tons, valued at nearly R8⅗ crores in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Rice, not in the husk.

Exports of rice, not in the husk.

	October, 1916	November, 1916
	tons	tons
To United Kingdom	26,297	28,350
„ Ceylon	31,481	33,681
„ Straits Settlements	17,068	20,256
„ Java	14,150	16,504
„ West Indies	11,093	4,752
„ Mauritius	8,464	2,243
Total (including other countries)	134,269	127,737

Wheat.

Exports of wheat on private and Government account decreased in November, 1916, to 78,993 tons, valued at R98¼ lakhs, from 150,900 tons, valued at nearly R1,88 lakhs, (this being on private account only). in the preceding month. In the eight months ended November, 1916, the exports (on private and Government account) amounted to 534,764 tons, valued at R6,40⅗ lakhs, as against 649,313 tons, valued at R8,39⅓ lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF TEA.

Tea.

Shipments of tea in November, 1916, decreased to 31 million lbs, valued at nearly R1,79⅗ lakhs, from 41⅘ million lbs, valued at R2,25 lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took over 24 million lbs in November, 1916, as against nearly 30 million lbs in October, 1916. The total exports in the eight months ended November, 1916, amounted to 212½ million lbs, valued at R12¼ crores, as against 233⅗ million lbs, valued at R14 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW MATERIALS.

The value of the exports of Raw materials increased by R1,30 lakhs. The marginal table shows the exports of raw cotton during October and November, 1916, to the principal importing countries. The shipments decreased in November, 1916, to 28,175 tons, valued at R2,36⅗ lakhs, from 29,284 tons, valued at nearly R2,75 lakhs in the preceding month. All the principal importing countries except the United Kingdom took smaller quantities. In the eight months ended November, 1916, the exports amounted to 303,825 tons, valued at nearly R23 crores, as against 290,213 tons, valued at R14⅘ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Raw Cotton.

Exports of raw cotton.

	October, 1916.	November, 1916.
	tons	tons
To Japan	21,040	20,248
„ Italy	3,916	3,791
„ United Kingdom	1,289	2,579
„ China	1,676	29
Total (including other countries)	29,284	28,175

Raw Jute.

Exports of raw jute in November, 1916, increased to 77,033 tons, valued at R2,38⅓ lakhs, from 66,718 tons, valued at R2,05⅗ lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took 30,136 tons, as against 47,484 tons, and the United States of America 17,670 tons, as against 13,780 tons in October 1916. In the eight months ended November, 1916, the exports amounted to 311,372 tons, valued at R9,33 lakhs, as against 411,256 tons, valued at nearly R10,37½ lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF JUTE MANUFACTURES.

The value of the exports of Manufactured articles increased by R2,14 lakhs. Exports of jute gunny bags amounted in November, 1916, to 71·3 millions in number, valued at R1,55 lakhs, from over 68 millions, valued at nearly R1,81½ lakhs, in the preceding month. The marginal table shows the number of hessian and sacking bags exported to certain principal countries during October and November, 1916. The exports to the United Kingdom and France increased, while those to the West Indies and Australia decreased. The exports of jute gunny bags, in the eight months ended November, 1916, amounted to 545⅓ millions in number, valued at nearly R15⅕ crores, as against over 489 millions, valued at R13 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year. Exports of jute gunny cloth in November, 1916, increased to 126⅘ million yards, valued at R2,09¾ lakhs, from 94⅖ million yards, valued at R1,61 lakhs, in the preceding month. Exports to the Argentine decreased by 24 million yards, while the United Kingdom and the United States of America took, respectively, 9 million yards and 45½ million yards more than in the preceding month. In the eight months ended November, 1916, the exports amounted to 830 million yards, valued at R13⅗ crores, as against 807½ million yards, valued at R11⅗ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Jute gunny bags.

Exports of gunny bags

	OCTOBER, 1916			NOVEMBER, 1916		
	Sacking, (millions of bags)	Hessian, (millions of bags)	Total (millions of bags)	Sacking, (millions of bags)	Hessian, (millions of bags)	Total (millions of bags)
United Kingdom	1·9	27·6	29·5	3	38·8	41·8
Australia	17·6	·4	18	8·7	·3	9·0
Russia	...	·2	·2	...	·4	·4
France	·5	6	6·5	·9	7·3	8·2
United States of America	1·1	·3	1·4	·6	...	·6
West Indies	3·3	...	3·3	2·3	...	2·3
Total (including other countries)	32·8	35·4	68·2	23·0	48·3	71·3

Jute gunny cloth.

Exports of gunny cloth

	OCTOBER, 1916			NOVEMBER, 1916		
	Sacking, (millions of yards)	Hessian, (millions of yards)	Total (millions of yards)	Sacking, (millions of yards)	Hessian, (millions of yards)	Total (millions of yards)
United Kingdom	·9	9	9·9	1·4	17·6	19
Russia	...	5·3	5·3	...	3·5	3·5
France	...	4·4	4·4	·2	6·9	7·1
Australia	·9	2·6	3·5	·9	2·3	3·2
Canada	...	2·7	2·7	...	3·9	3·9
United States of America	2·8	25·6	28·4	...	73·9	73·9
Argentine Republic	1·9	34·9	36·8	·6	12·3	12·9
Total (including other countries)	6·7	87·7	94·4	3·5	123·3	126·8

EIGHT MONTHS ENDED NOVEMBER, 1916.

The summary of the results for the eight months ended November, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1914 and 1915, is as follows:—

	1914		1915		1916		ACTUAL NET EXCESS OF EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1914	1915	1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Merchandise	99,40	1,27,76	89,08	1,26,50(a)	1,01,61	1,56,85(b)	28,36	37,47	55,24
Treasure (private)	15,36	2,88	8,69	5,38	8,52	3,36	—12,48	—3,31	—5,16

(a) Includes R6,88,59,547, being the value of wheat exported on Government account in May to November, 1915

(b) Includes R1,04,26,710, being the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on Government account in April to November, 1916

It will be seen that, during the eight months ended November, 1916, as compared with the eight months ended November, 1915, the imports of merchandise increased by R12,58 lakhs or 14 per cent, and the exports, including re-exports, by R30,35 lakhs or 24 per cent. The total value of merchandise increased by R43 crores, or 20 per cent, to nearly R258½ crores.

CHIEF INCREASES AND DECREASES.

Comparing the values of the imports during the eight months ended November, 1916, with those in the corresponding period of 1915, the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

Increases

		R (thousands)
Class I	Biscuits and cakes	25,74
	Canned and bottled provisions	27,90
	Salt	23,76
	Spirit	29,85
	Cigarettes	36,34
Class II	Mineral oil (other than kerosene)	54,21
	Cotton, raw	10,73
	Wood (timber)	15,71
	Precious stones and pearls, unset	18,03
Class III	Boots and shoes	14,78
	Chemicals	35,12
	Drugs and medicines	25,42
	Hardware	55,37
	Instruments, electrical	33,60
	Paints and colours	26,44

		R (thousands)
Class III	Glass and glassware	34,56
	Motor cars and motor cycles	67,66
	Stationery	20,03
	Textile machinery	25,66
	Paper (excluding pasteboard)	64,09
	Cotton, twist and yarn	18,76
	„ white piecegoods	1,97,10
	„ coloured „	4,39,77
	„ hosiery	57,78
	Haberdashery and millinery	38,67
	Woollen piecegoods	44,42
	Tea-chests	10,11
	Soap	10,71
Class IV	Horses	21,35

Decreases

		R (thousands)
Class I	Dates	10,98
	Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	1,85,47
Class II	Kerosene oil	24,31
Class III	Copper, wrought	34,54
	Bars and channel (steel)	26,06
	Iron or steel—sheets and plates	51,57
	„ beams, pillars, etc.	21,91
	„ pipes and fittings (cast)	20,01

		R (thousands)
Class III	Railway carriages and wagons	59,19
	„ locomotive engines, etc.	95,51
	„ materials for construction	47,91
	Silk piecegoods	11,15
	Cotton, grey piecegoods	47,26
	Cement	15,40
	Matches	26,67

Under exports the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

Increases

		R (thousands)
Class I	Pulse	62,42
	Rice	3,22,44
Class II	Coal	7,93
	Lac	58,86
	Hides (raw)	23,45
	Skins (raw)	2,01,51
	Manganese ore	29,67
	Coconut oil	6,91
	Castor seed	29,89
	Copra or coconut-kernel	41,96
	Groundnut seed	23,56
	Linseed	3,65,55
	Rape seed	29,96

		R (thousands)
Class II	Sesamum seed	61,07
	Rubber (raw)	27,23
	Cotton (raw)	8,03,94
	Hemp (raw)	25 58
	Silk (raw)	19,37
	Wool (raw)	17,46
Class III	Saltpetre	28,01
	Opium	21,23
	Indigo	40,31
	Hides, tanned, (private and Government)	91,72
	Skins, tanned	1,47,98
	Cotton, twist and yarn	14,07
	„ piecegoods	1,50,54
	Jute gunny bags	2,19,99
	„ „ cloth	2,21,63
	Paraffin wax	8,54

Decreases

		R (thousands)
Class I	Coffee	11,15
	Gram	10,41
	Jawar and bajra	9,08
	Wheat (private and Government)	1,98,72
	Spices, pepper	9,95
	Tea	1,75,60

		R (thousands)
Class II	Jute (raw)	1,04,40
	Wood, teak	12,58
Class III	Oil cakes	7,68
Class IV	Bran and pollards	19,58

Imports of Foreign Merchandise.

In the following table are shown the quantities and values of the principal articles of imports during the eight months ended November, 1916, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1915 :—

Principal Articles		Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the eight months ended November, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915	
		1915	1916	1915	1916	Quantity	Value
		(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Apparel (excluding haberdashery, hosiery, and boots and shoes)		—	—	97,17	1,08,24	—	+11,07
Carriages and carts (including cycles and motor cars)		—	—	92,37	1,62,57	—	+70,20
Chemicals		—	—	97,94	1,33,06	—	+35,12
Coal	tons	96	21	16,97	7,48	—75	—9,49
Drugs and medicines		—	—	81,28	1,06,70	—	+25,42
Dyes, aniline and alizarine	lbs	574	456	12,41	21,90	—118	+9,49
Fruits and vegetables		—	—	73,57	57,40	—	—16,17
Glass and glassware		—	—	70,15	1,04,71	—	+34,56
Hardware		—	—	1,60,08	2,15,45	—	+55,37
Instruments, apparatus, etc.		—	—	83,95	1,32,27	—	+48,32
Liquors	gals.	3,138	3,297	1,22,88	1,73,95	+159	+51,07
Machinery of all kinds, including belting for machinery		—	—	3,61,54	4,35,12	—	+73,58
Matches	gross	13,209	7,132	96,58	69,91	—6,077	—26,67
Metals, iron and steel	tons	317	186	6,55,81	6,07,30	—131	—48,51
,, copper	cwts	104	22	64,90	24,34	—82	—40,56
Oils—mineral	gals.	63,096	57,957	2,63,11	2,93,01	—5,139	+29,90
Paper and pasteboard		—	—	95,15	1,61,99	—	+66,84
Provisions and oilman's stores		—	—	1,38,44	2,16,39	—	+77,95
Railway plant and rolling-stock		—	—	3,44,69	1,39,08	—	—2,05,61
Salt	tons	387	304	71,61	95,37	—83	+23,76
Spices	lbs	105.126	94,730	1,27,99	1,26,34	—10,396	—1,65
Stationery		—	—	36,93	56,96	—	+20,03
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwts	7,120	5,460	10,92,48	9,07.01	—1,660	—1,85,47
Textiles— Cotton, raw	,,	19	29	7,33	18,06	+10	+10,73
,, twist and yarn	lbs	30,054	21,805	2,59,62	2,78,38	—8,249	+18,76
,, grey piecegoods	yards	823,784	626,340	12,40,63	11,93.37	—197,444	—47,26
,, white ,,	,,	411,182	427,987	6,93,61	8,90,71	+16,805	+1,97,10
,, coloured ,,	,,	226,354	300,175	5,16,55	9,56,33	+73,821	+4,39,77
,, other sorts of manufactures		—	—	1,48,38	2,94,74	—	+1,46,36
Silk, raw	lbs	1,721	1,469	83,30	80,78	—252	—2,52
,, manufactures		—	—	1,81,93	1,92,07	—	+10,14
Woollen manufactures		—	—	62,69	1,20,05	—	+57,36

Exports of Indian Merchandise.

The table below shows the quantities and values of the principal articles of Indian merchandise exported during the eight months ended November, 1916, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1915 :—

Principal Articles	Quantity 1915	Quantity 1916	Value 1915	Value 1916	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the eight months ended November, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915: Quantity	Increase (+) or decrease (—): Value
	(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Coal . . . . tons	526	626	48,94	56,87	+100	+7,93
Coffee . . . . cwts	111	92	60,83	49,68	—19	—11,15
Dyes, indigo . . . . . . „	15	17	61,96	1,02,27	+2	+40,31
Grain, pulse, and flour—						
Rice, in the husk . . . . . „	299	488	9,71	16,27	+189	+6,56
Rice, not in the husk . . . „	15,221	20,342	8,59,50	11,75,50	+5,121	+3,15,91
Wheat (a) Private . . . „	2,317	10,256	1,50,75	6,13,74	+7,939	+4,62,99
Wheat (a) Government . . „	10,669	439	6,88,59	26,88	—10,230	—6,61,71
Wheat (a) Total . „	12,986	10,695	8,39,34	6,40,62	—2,291	—1,98,72
Wheat flour . . . . . „	768	846	73,93	74,19	+78	+26
Barley . . . . „	2,759	2,634	1,40,79	1,39,93	—125	—86
Jawar and bajra . . . . „	613	414	32,02	22,94	—199	—9,08
Pulse . . . . „	1,660	2,216	1,06,16	1,6[illegible],58	+556	+62,42
Other sorts . . . . . „	558	269	29,06	14,80	—289	—14,26
Hides, raw . . . . . . „	542	541	4,03,59	4,27,04	—1	+23,45
Skins, raw . . . . . . „	280	366	1,77,67	3,79,18	+86	+2,01,51
Hides and skins, tanned or dressed—						
Hides Private . . . . „		158		2,18,81		
Hides Government . . „		59		77,38		
Hides Total „	187	217	2,04,48	2,96,19	+30	+91,71
Skins . . . . „	77	116	1,49,29	2,97,27	+39	+1,47,98
Total Hides and skins, tanned or dressed (including cow hides on Government account) „	264	333	3,53,77	5,93,46	+69	+2,39,69
Lac . . . . „	258	262	98,49	1,57,35	+4	+58,86
Manures . . . . tons	41	40	29,78	35,89	—1	+6,11
Manganese ore . . . . . „	316	419	55,26	84,93	+103	+29,67
Oilcakes . . . . cwts	2,019	1,629	74,33	6[illegible],65	—390	—7,68
Opium . . . . „	9	8	97,84	1,19,07	—1	+21,23
Seeds . . . . „	7,548	12,751	5,29,70	10,93,31	+5,203	+5,63,61
Tea . . . . lbs	233,406	212,445	13,98,89	12,23,29	—20,961	—1,75,60
Textiles—						
Cotton, raw . . . . . cwts	5,804	6,076	14,81,25	22,85,19	+272	+8,03,94
„ twist and yarn . . lbs	116,282	114,966	4,96,07	5,10,14	—1,316	+14,07
„ piecegoods . . yards	65,264	153,040	1,48,98	2,99,52	+87,776	+1,50,54
Jute, raw . . . . . tons	411	311	10,37,41	9,33,01	—100	—1,04,40
„ gunny bags Sacking . no.		237,033		9,49,61		
„ gunny bags Hessian . „		308,332		5,65,37		
„ gunny bags Total . „	489,137	545,365	12,94,99	15,14,98	+56,228	+2,19,99
„ gunny cloth Sacking yards		29,799		55,79		
„ gunny cloth Hessian . „		800,277		13,03,66		
„ gunny cloth Total . „	807,545	830,076	11,37,82	13,59,45	+22,531	+2,21,63
Wool, raw . . . . . lbs	42,311	32,610	2,34,01	2,51,47	—9,701	+17,46
Wood, teak . . . . cubic tons	25	19	47,35	34,77	—6	—12,58

(a) Exports of wheat on Government account are shown separately under Government stores from April, 1915.

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TRADE BY PROVINCES.

The total imports and exports, including re-exports, of private merchandise into and from the several maritime provinces during the month of November, 1916, as compared with those of October, 1916, are stated below :—

	Imports		Exports, including re-exports	
	October, 1916	November, 1916	October, 1916	November, 1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Bengal	5,26	4,95	8,68	9,60
Bombay	4,07	5,81	6,06	6,09
Sind	82	1,31	2,80	2,42
Madras	97	1,14	1,31	2,90
Burma	1,14	1,01	1,59	1,85
Total	12,26	14,22	20,46	22,86

Under imports, Bombay showed an increase of 43 per cent, Sind of 60 per cent, and Madras of 17 per cent, but Bengal showed a decrease of 6 per cent and Burma of 11 per cent. Under exports, Madras showed an increase of 121 per cent, Burma of 16 per cent, and Bengal of 10 per cent, while Sind showed a decrease of 13 per cent. Bombay showed a slight increase. These comparisons are with the preceding month (October, 1916).

TRADE WITH THE ALLIES AND NEUTRAL COUNTRIES.

The total trade with the Allies and the principal neutral countries in the month of November, 1916, as compared with October, 1916, is noted below :—

	Imports			Exports			Total		
	October, 1916	November, 1916	+ or —	October, 1916	November, 1916	+ or —	October, 1916	November, 1916	+ or —
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
United Kingdom	6,50	7,81	+1,31	7,12	8.16	+1,04	13,62	15,97	+2,85
Russia	11	1	—10	52	28	—24	63	29	—34
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
France	15	14	—1	1,06	1,55	+49	1,21	1,69	+48
Italy	24	34	+10	71	92	+21	95	1,26	+31
Japan	1,16	1,47	+31	2,30	1,46	—84	3,46	2,93	—53
Sweden	17	3	—14	...	...	...	17	3	—14
Norway	11	1	—10	...	7	+7	11	8	—3
Holland	12	6	—6	6	...	—6	18	6	—12
Spain	4	1	—3	7	37	+30	11	38	+27
United States of America	72	1,05	+33	1,53	2,81	+1,28	2,25	3,86	+1,61

It will be observed that in November, 1916, as compared with October, 1916, the total trade with the United Kingdom, France, Italy, Spain, and the United States increased, while that with Japan, Russia, Sweden, Norway, and Holland decreased. Imports from Russia and Norway decreased by R10 lakhs each, France by R1 lakh, Sweden by R14 lakhs, Holland by R6 lakhs, and Spain by R3 lakhs. Imports from the United Kingdom increased by R1,31 lakhs, Italy by R10 lakhs, Japan by R31 lakhs, and the United States of America by R33 lakhs. Under exports, the United Kingdom accounted for an increase of R1,04 lakhs, France of R49 lakhs, Italy of R21 lakhs, Spain of R30 lakhs, and the United States of America of R1,28 lakhs, while Russia showed a decrease of R24 lakhs, Japan of R84 lakhs, and Holland of R6 lakhs. There was practically no trade with Belgium. The above comparisons are with the preceding month (October, 1916).

BALANCE OF TRADE.

India's Balance of Trade during the eight months ended November, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915, is shown in the following table. The table takes into account the imports and exports of merchandise on private account, as well as the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on

Government account, and treasure both on private and Government account.

	April to November, 1915	April to November, 1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports *	1,26,50(a)	1,56,85 (b)
Imports " *	89,03	1,01,61
Excess of Exports over Imports	37,47	55,24
Net Imports of Gold	−47	7,27
" " " Silver	3,47	12,25
Net Imports of Treasure	3,00	19,52
Net exports of merchandise and treasure	34,47	35,72
Council bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India	9,68·9	23,96·5
Sterling bills on London sold in India	7,88·3	...
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports)	84·9	19·9
Interest on enfaced Rupee paper	19·3	17·5
	November (1915)	November (1916)
	d.	d.
Average rate of exchange	16·024	16·137(c)

In the eight months, April to November, 1916, the excess of exports over imports of private merchandise was R55,24 lakhs, as against R37,47 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1915, and the net imports of treasure on private and Government account were R19,52 lakhs as against R3,00 lakhs last year. The net exports (merchandise and treasure) were R35,72 lakhs, as against R34,47 lakhs in 1915.

The amount of Council bills and Telegraphic Transfers paid in India in the eight months ended November 1916, was R23,96½ lakhs, of which about R3,78⅓ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R12,24⅓ lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and R7,93¾ lakhs through the Treasuries. In the eight months ended November, 1915, the amount was only about R9,69 lakhs, of which R2,35½ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve and about R7,33½ lakhs through the Treasuries. In the same period of 1914 the amount was R6,48 lakhs. As regards enfaced Rupee paper, R43½ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London, and about R63½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London, in the eight months, April to November, 1916, while in the corresponding period of 1915, R32½ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London and R1,17½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London.

MOVEMENTS OF GOLD AND SILVER (PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT).

In the month of November, 1916, the imports of gold were valued at nearly R16 lakhs and the exports at R40,000, as against R1,83 lakhs and R42,000, respectively, in October, 1916. Of the imports, gold bullion was valued at over R5 lakhs, as against R1,75 lakhs in the preceding month, while sovereigns and other British gold coin were valued at R6½ lakhs, as against R6½ lakhs. As regards exports, gold bullion worth R8,000 and sovereigns worth R31,500 were exported in the month of report, as against R42,000 and R120, respectively, in October, 1916.

Imports of silver were valued at about R2,72 lakhs, of which R2,66 lakhs were on account of Government, as against R3,85 lakhs on private and Government account in October, 1916. Exports of silver were valued at R14 lakhs, of which R10 lakhs were on Government account, as against R74½ lakhs, both on private and Government account, in the preceding month.

* Exclusive of Government transactions (other than "wheat and tanned cowhides" in the case of exports of merchandise).
(a) Includes R6,88,59,547, being the value of wheat exported on Government account.
(b) Includes R1,04,26,710, being the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on Government account.
(c) Approximate.

TRADE BY PROVINCES.

The total imports and exports, including re-exports, of private merchandise into and from the several maritime provinces during the month of November, 1916, as compared with those of October, 1916, are stated below :—

	Imports		Exports, including re-exports	
	October, 1916	November, 1916	October, 1916	November, 1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Bengal	5,26	4,95	8,68	9,60
Bombay	4,07	5,81	6,08	6,09
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Madras	97	1,14	1,31	2,90
Burma	1,14	1,01	1,59	1,85
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Under imports, Bombay showed an increase of 43 per cent, Sind of 60 per cent, and Madras of 17 per cent, but Bengal showed a decrease of 6 per cent and Burma of 11 per cent. Under exports, Madras showed an increase of 121 per cent, Burma of 16 per cent, and Bengal of 10 per cent, while Sind showed a decrease of 13 per cent. Bombay showed a slight increase. These comparisons are with the preceding month (October, 1916).

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The total trade with the Allies and the principal neutral countries in the month of November, 1916, as compared with October, 1916, is noted below :—

	Imports			Exports			Total		
	October, 1916	November, 1916	+ or —	October, 1916	November, 1916	+ or —	October, 1916	November, 1916	+ or —
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
United Kingdom	6,50	7,81	+1,31	7,12	8,16	+1,04	13,62	15,97	+2,35
Russia	11	1	—10	52	28	—24	63	29	—34
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
France	15	14	—1	1,06	1,55	+49	1,21	1,69	+48
Italy	24	34	+10	71	92	+21	95	1,26	+31
Japan	1,16	1,47	+31	2,30	1,46	—84	3,46	2,93	—53
Sweden	17	3	—14	...	...	...	17	3	—14
Norway	11	1	—10	...	7	+7	11	8	—3
Holland	12	6	—6	6	...	—6	18	6	—12
Spain	4	1	—3	7	37	+30	11	38	+27
United States of America	72	1,05	+33	1,53	2,81	+1,28	2,25	3,86	+1,61

It will be observed that in November, 1916, as compared with October, 1916, the total trade with the United Kingdom, France, Italy, Spain, and the United States increased, while that with Japan, Russia, Sweden, Norway, and Holland decreased. Imports from Russia and Norway decreased by R10 lakhs each, France by R1 lakh, Sweden by R14 lakhs, Holland by R6 lakhs, and Spain by R3 lakhs. Imports from the United Kingdom increased by R1,31 lakhs, Italy by R10 lakhs, Japan by R31 lakhs, and the United States of America by R33 lakhs. Under exports, the United Kingdom accounted for an increase of R1,04 lakhs, France of R49 lakhs, Italy of R21 lakhs, Spain of R30 lakhs, and the United States of America of R1,28 lakhs, while Russia showed a decrease of R24 lakhs, Japan of R84 lakhs, and Holland of R6 lakhs. There was practically no trade with Belgium. The above comparisons are with the preceding month (October, 1916).

BALANCE OF TRADE.

India's Balance of Trade during the eight months ended November, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915, is shown in the following table. The table takes into account the imports and exports of merchandise on private account, as well as the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on

Government account, and treasure both on private and Government account.

	April to November, 1915	April to November, 1916
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports *	1,26,50(a)	1,56,85 (b)
Imports " *	89,03	1,01,61
Excess of Exports over Imports	37,47	55,24
Net Imports of Gold	−47	7,27
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Net exports of merchandise and treasure	34,47	35,72
Council bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India	9,68·9	23,96·5
Sterling bills on London sold in India	7,88·3	...
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports)	84·9	19·9
Interest on enfaced Rupee paper	19·3	17·5
	November (1915)	November (1916)
	d.	d.
Average rate of exchange	16·024	16·137(c)

In the eight months, April to November, 1916, the excess of exports over imports of private merchandise was R55,24 lakhs, as against R37,47 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1915, and the net imports of treasure on private and Government account were R19,52 lakhs as against R3,00 lakhs last year. The net exports (merchandise and treasure) were R35,72 lakhs, as against R34,47 lakhs in 1915.

The amount of Council bills and Telegraphic Transfers paid in India in the eight months ended November 1916, was R23,96½ lakhs, of which about R3,78⅓ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R12,24⅓ lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and R7,93⅚ lakhs through the Treasuries. In the eight months ended November, 1915, the amount was only about R9,69 lakhs, of which R2,35½ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve and about R7,33½ lakhs through the Treasuries. In the same period of 1914 the amount was R6,48 lakhs. As regards enfaced Rupee paper, R43½ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London, and about R63½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London, in the eight months, April to November, 1916, while in the corresponding period of 1915, R32½ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London and R1,17½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London.

Movements of Gold and Silver (Private and Government).

In the month of November, 1916, the imports of gold were valued at nearly R16 lakhs and the exports at R40,000, as against R1,83 lakhs and R42,000, respectively, in October, 1916. Of the imports, gold bullion was valued at over R5 lakhs, as against R1,75 lakhs in the preceding month, while sovereigns and other British gold coin were valued at R6½ lakhs, as against R6½ lakhs. As regards exports, gold bullion worth R8,000 and sovereigns worth R31,500 were exported in the month of report, as against R42,000 and R120, respectively, in October, 1916.

Imports of silver were valued at about R2,72 lakhs, of which R2,66 lakhs were on account of Government, as against R3,85 lakhs on private and Government account in October, 1916. Exports of silver were valued at R14 lakhs, of which R10 lakhs were on Government account, as against R74½ lakhs, both on private and Government account, in the preceding month.

* Exclusive of Government transactions (other than "wheat and tanned cowhides" in the case of exports of merchandise).
(a) Includes R6,88,59,547, being the value of wheat exported on Government account.
(b) Includes R1,04,26,710, being the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on Government account.
(c) Approximate.

Declared value per unit of selected Articles.

The declared values per unit of certain selected articles imported and exported during November, 1915 and 1916, are noted below :—

		November 1915	November 1916			November 1915	November 1916
Imports		R A. P.	R A. P.	*Exports*—contd.		R A. P.	R A. P.
Coal	ton	15 2 0	26 4 8	Indigo	cwt	462 2 5	543 0 9
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwt	15 0 6	17 9 1	Rice, not in the husk	,,	6 15 8	5 11 11
Cotton, twist and yarn	lb	0 14 6	1 5 11	Wheat	,,	7 7 9	6 4 0
,, grey piecegoods	yard	0 2 7	0 3 4	Manganese ore	ton	17 10 4	20 3 0
,, white ,,	,,	0 2 10	0 3 7	Tea	lb	0 9 1	0 9 3
,, coloured ,,	,,	0 3 9	0 5 9	Cotton, raw	cwt	30 5 7	41 15 11
Exports				Jute, raw	bale	47 6 0	55 3 10
Coal	ton	9 3 7	9 0 11	,, gunny bags	no.	0 3 11	0 3 6
Coffee	cwt	52 8 8	58 0 6	,, gunny cloth	yard	0 2 6	0 2 8

Under imports, the declared unit value of coal rose by 74 per cent, of sugar by 17 per cent, of cotton twist and yarn by 51 per cent, and of cotton piecegoods, grey by 29 per cent, white by 26 per cent, and coloured by 53 per cent. Under exports, indigo showed an increase of 18 per cent, jute gunny cloth of 7 per cent, raw cotton of 37 per cent, raw jute of 16 per cent, coffee of 10 per cent, tea of 2 per cent, and manganese ore of 15 per cent; while wheat showed a decrease of 17 per cent, coal of 2 per cent, and rice, not in the husk, of 18 per cent. These comparisons are with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Customs Revenue.*

The following table shows the gross Indian sea customs revenue (excluding salt revenue) collected on principal and other articles in November, 1916, as compared with October, 1916, and November, 1915 and 1913:—

	November 1913 (pre-war month)	November 1915	October 1916	November 1916	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in November, 1916, as compared with October 1916	November 1915	November 1913
Import duty	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
Special duties—	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)
Arms	57	70	65	1,00	+35	+30	+43
Cotton goods	18,12	10,14	12,33	15,31	+2,98	+5,17	—2,81
Liquors	11,66	10,56	8,95	11,14	+2,19	+58	—52
Petroleum	5,29	7,25	4,88	6,02	+1,14	—1,23	+73
Silver, bullion and coin	5,24	1,85	67	49	—18	—1,36	—4,75
Silver manufactures	(a)	(a)	33	31	—2	—	—
Sugar	11,21	4,89	15,43	14,09	—1,34	+9,20	+2,88
Tobacco	2,77	2,88	2,98	3,59	+61	+71	+82
General duties—							
Metals excluding silver, but including hardware, etc.	6,35	3,24	6,49	6,62	+13	+3,38	+27
Other articles	20,66	18,32	28,60	34,44	+5,84	+16,12	+13,78
Total import duty	81,87	59,83	81,31	93,01	+11,70	+33,18 (b)	+11,14 (b)
Export duty on jute	—	—	13,12	18,80	+5,68	—	—
,, ,, rice	7,15	2,78	6,32	7,66	+1,34	+4,88	+51
,, ,, tea	—	—	6,08	5,06	—1,02	—	—

The customs duty figures are an index to the volume of the import trade alone, as under exports jute, rice, and tea only are subject to duty. In the eight months ended November, 1916, the import duties increased to nearly R6,53 lakhs from over R4,73⅓ lakhs in the eight months ended November, 1915, and the export duty on rice rose to nearly R52¼ lakhs from over R38¼ lakhs. The export duty levied on raw jute amounted to R34,26,000, on jute manufactures to R31,36,000 and on tea to R29,63,000, in the eight months, April to November, 1916. The total customs revenue (excluding salt but including excise duty on cotton goods and land customs) for the eight months amounted to over R8,37 lakhs, as compared with R5,44½ lakhs for the same period last year.

* The Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, IV of 1916, took effect from 1st March, 1916.

(a) Included with "other articles."

(b) The details are less by R31,000 than the total on account of the inclusion of the figures of "silver manufactures" with "other articles" in November, 1915 and 1913.

SHIPPING.

The following table shows the number and tonnage of vessels, which entered and cleared with cargoes at ports in British India during November, 1916, as compared with October, 1916, and November, 1915, 1914, and 1913 :—

Entered with cargoes.

	STEAMERS.		SAILING VESSELS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
November, 1916	173	333,716	115	12,842	288	346,058
October, 1916	166	352,144	146	12,703	312	364,847
November, 1915	171	397,368	136	12,213	307	409,581
November, 1914	184	381,427	99	9,323	283	390,750
November, 1913 (pre-war month)	196	566,596	84	8,692	280	575,288

Cleared with cargoes.

	STEAMERS.		SAILING VESSELS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
November, 1916	268	545,885	168	12,788	436	558,673
October, 1916	234	482,365	147	10,464	381	492,829
November, 1915	199	411,589	83	6,824	282	418,413
November, 1914	207	421,205	103	8,112	310	429,317
November, 1913 (pre-war month)	228	643,235	39	3,608	267	646,843

The total tonnage entered and cleared in November, 1916, as compared with the corresponding month of 1913, 1914, and 1915 is shown in the last column of the table above and is, perhaps, of interest in view of the present scarcity of tonnage. The increase in trade in 1916-17 as compared with 1914-15 and 1915-16 is shown in the chart on page 2. In the month of November, 1916, there were 288 arrivals * and 436 sailings † with cargoes in and from India. As regards tonnage, if a comparison be made with November, 1913, the corresponding pre-war month, it will be seen that there is a decrease in the tonnage of vessels cleared with cargoes of 88,170 tons or 14 per cent. The decrease in the entries (with cargoes) amounted to 229,230 tons or 40 per cent.

The shipping clearances with cargoes in foreign trade from the ports of British India in the eight months, April to November, 1916, as compared with the corresponding period of 1913, *i.e.*, before the war broke out, were as follows :—

	TONNAGE CLEARANCES IN THE EIGHT MONTHS, APRIL TO NOVEMBER.	
	1913 Peace conditions.	1916 War conditions.
British ships (including British Indian)	4,188,666	3,274,859
Foreign ships	1,202,042	696,803
TOTAL	5,390,708	3,971,662

Under war conditions, the total tonnage clearances have declined 26 per cent. Under peace conditions, the British (including British Indian) tonnage was 78 per cent and foreign tonnage 22 per cent of the total, while under war conditions, the British (including British Indian) tonnage is 82 per cent and foreign tonnage 18 per cent.

RAILWAY STATISTICS.

Railway statistics, like the import and export statistics above, are a valuable index to the general movement of trade throughout the country, and show that the earnings from 1st April to 2nd December, 1916, were R45,05 lakhs as against R40,63 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1915, or an increase of R4,42 lakhs.

* The details were as follows :—Bengal 25, Bombay 78, Sind 67, Madras 99, and Burma 19.
† The details were as follows :—Bengal 53, Bombay 79, Sind 104, Madras 157, and Burma 43.

TRADE OF ADEN DURING NOVEMBER, 1916.

The grand total value of the imports and exports of merchandise; by sea, into and from the port of Aden amounted to over R1,29 lakhs in the month of November, 1916. The values of the principal articles of imports and exports during November, 1916, were as follows:—

	NOVEMBER, 1916.	
	Imports R (thousands)	Exports R (thousands)
Cotton manufactures	19,71	29,59
Hides and skins, raw	11,87	8,79
Grain and pulse	4,00	4,30
Coffee	2,89	1,89
Coal	3,99	—
Tobacco, unmanufactured	5,43	2,36
Provisions	76	1,10
Sugar	1,41	—
Spices	50	—
Salt	—	70
Oil—kerosene	5,20	—
Pearls	—	1,30
Other articles	13,07	10,41
Total value	68,83	60,44

SHIPPING AT THE PORT OF ADEN IN NOVEMBER, 1916.

In November, 1916, 65 steamers with an aggregate tonnage of 135,755 entered at the port of Aden, while 64 steamers with 133,825 tons cleared from the port. Eighty-three sailing vessels (country craft) with 2,591 tons entered and 65 vessels with 1,764 tons cleared from the port. These figures exclude vessels in ballast and Government vessels.

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COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 3 of 1916-17.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 15th October, 1916.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs. each) (a)	Percentage to total for India (a)	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Total quantity pressed from 1st September to 15th October (bales of 400 lbs. each) — Current year	Total quantity pressed from 1st September to 15th October (bales of 400 lbs. each) — Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
nbay (including Native itates) and Baroda			194	20	2,413	9,922	27,545
itral Provinces and Berar including Native States)			167	...	...	...	...
dras			55	18	(b)5,501	22,640	36,927
ijab (including Native tates)			92	4	722	915	4,973
ted Provinces			80	20	5,281	5,965	9,722
d			16	1	...	86	...
'ma			16	2	736	736	296
ar and Orissa			...	...	...	...	...
igal			3	...	...	10	519
am			...	...	...	...	...
th-West Frontier Province			1	1	1	1	...
ner-Merwara			14	...	...	...	...
hi			1	...	...	...	49
derabad			41	...	...	...	2,125
itral India			32	...	...	...	...
jputana			10	...	...	3,915	1,597
sore			3	2	222	420	1,937
TOTAL			725	68	14,876	44,610	85,690

(a) Preliminary estimates of the outturn of the cotton crop of the season 1916-17 will not be available until the third week of December

(b) Figures for the weeks ending 7th and 14th October, 1916.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 15th October, 1916.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Total quantity received from 1st September to 15th October (bales of 400 lbs. each)	
				Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	177	56	8,535	26,778	775
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States) . . .	10	9	4	156	2,201
Madras	14*	8	(a)4,897	17,831	16,211
Punjab	3	1	3	1,670	1,521
United Provinces . .	15	4	2,033	2,099	3,269
Sind	3	...	...	...	...
Bengal	10	4	1,534	7,668	9,241
Ajmer-Merwara	2	...	...	...	...
Delhi	2	2	655	787	3,424
Hyderabad	3	2	..	...	...
Central India	3	1	680	2,601	1,132
Rajputana	1	...	...	...	...
Mysore	2	2	161	318	772
Total .	245	89	18,502	59,908	38,846

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(a) Figures for the weeks ending 7th and 14th October, 1916.

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IMPORTS INTO CHIEF PORTS DURING OCTOBER, 1916

RETURN SHOWING the QUANTITIES of the PRINCIPAL STAPLES of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE IMPORTED into CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, KARACHI and MADRAS PORTS by RAIL, RIVER and SEA during OCTOBER, 1916

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TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SELECTED ARTICLES IN OCTOBER 1916.

The object of the tables below is to show the quantities of the principal staples of agricultural produce imported from the various provinces, etc., and from foreign countries into the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi, and the Madras ports during the month of October 1916, and for the seven months April to October 1916, as compared with the corresponding periods of 1915. The statistics include foreign sea-borne and coasting trade as well as inland (rail and river-borne) trade. They have been furnished by Collectors of Customs, Steamer Companies, Railway Audit Officers, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, etc.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN OCTOBER 1915 AND 1916.

It will be seen from Table I, that the imports by rail, river and sea in October 1916, as against the corresponding month of 1915 show (in round numbers) an increase of—

197 per cent in linseed.

(22,400 tons as against 7,500 tons last year.)

170 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).

(92,300 tons as against 34,200 tons last year.)

58 per cent in tea.

(53,490,900 lbs. as against 33,825,700 lbs. last year.)

41 per cent in jute.

(1,154,400 bales as against 820,600 bales last year.)

11 per cent in rice (including paddy).

(105,200 tons as against 94,600 tons last year.)

The imports of raw cotton by rail, river and sea into ports show a decrease of 47 per cent (106,900 bales as against 202,800 bales last year) due mainly to smaller exports from the Punjab, Rajputana and Central India, Bombay, and the Central Provinces and Berar. The decrease of 47 per cent (6,200 tons as against 11,600 tons last year) in the imports of rape and mustard seed is accounted for by a decrease in exports mainly from the United Provinces. The imports of gram and pulse show a fall of 16 per cent (28,800 tons as against 34,200 tons last year) owing mainly to a decrease in exports from the Punjab.

It will be seen from Table IV (wheat, excluding wheat flour) that the principal sources of the imports in October 1915 were the Punjab and the United Provinces. During the corresponding month of 1916, the Punjab sent by far the largest quantity, namely, 69 per cent of the total. Table XI shows the *exports* out of India of wheat (including wheat flour) month by month during the last five years.

NOTE.—One bale of cotton or jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.
One maund is equivalent to 82⅜ lbs.
One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SEVEN MONTHS ENDING OCTOBER 1915 AND 1916.

The seven months' figures in table I show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

36 per cent in raw cotton.
(1,205,600 bales as against 1,875,100 bales last year.)

30 per cent in rice (including paddy).
(615,700 tons as against 879,600 tons last year.)

16 per cent in jute.
(2,965,200 bales as against 3,511,800 bales last year.)

9 per cent in grain and pulse.
(240,800 tons as against 266,100 tons last year.)

7 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).
(823,900 tons as against 890,500 tons last year.)

3 per cent in tea.
(171,269,100 lbs. as against 177,250,000 lbs. last year.)

Imports of linseed by rail, river and sea into ports show an increase of 71 per cent (268,200 tons as against 156,300 tons last year) mainly on account of larger exports from the United Provinces, Bihar and Orissa and the Central Provinces and Berar. The increase of 20 per cent (117,700 tons as against 98,200 tons last year) in rape and mustard seed is accounted for by larger exports from up-country into the ports mainly from the United Provinces.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN OCTOBER 1916 AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS MONTH.

As compared with September 1916, the imports in October 1916 into the ports referred to above show (in round numbers) an increase of—

51 per cent in raw cotton.
(106,900 bales as against 70,900 bales previous month.)

46 per cent in rice (including paddy).
(105,200 tons as against 71,800 tons previous month.)

46 per cent in tea.
(53,490,900 lbs. as against 36,581,800 lbs. previous month.)

31 per cent in jute.
(1,154,400 bales as against 882,500 bales previous month.)

and a decrease of

67 per cent in rape and mustard seed.
(6,200 tons as against 18,800 tons previous month.)

40 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).
(92,300 tons as against 153,600 tons previous month.)

25 per cent in linseed.
(22,400 tons as against 29,900 tons previous month.)

16 per cent in gram and pulse.
(28,800 tons as against 34,200 tons previous month.)

The Statistics for October 1915 and 1916, as also for the seven months ending October 1915 and 1916, together with those for September and October 1916 are summarised below :—

SUMMARY TABLE I.

(1) Articles	(2) Imports, October 1915	(3) Imports, October 1916	(4) Imports, April to October 1915	(5) Imports, April to October 1916	(6) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in October 1916, as compared with October 1915	(7) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in Seven months, April to October 1916, as compared with Seven months April to October 1915
	bales	bales	bales	bales	Per cent	Per cent
Cotton, raw . . .	202,756	106,861	1,875,146	1,205,630	—47·3	—35·7
	tons	tons	tons	tons		
Wheat (excluding wheat flour)	34,167	92,295	890,506	823,931	+170·1	—7·5
Rice (including paddy)	94,593	105,152	879,619	615,654	+11·2	—30
Gram and Pulse . .	34,250	28,765	266,121	240,778	—16	—9·5
Linseed . .	7,546	22,381	156,318	268,154	+196·6	+71·5
Rape and Mustard seed .	11,562	6,159	98,231	117,656	—46·7	+19·8
	bales	bales	bales	bales		
Jute	820,577	1,154,425	3,511,799	2,965,242	+40·7	—15·6
	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs		
Tea	33,825,706	53,490,937	177,250,038	171,269,135	+58·1	— 3·4

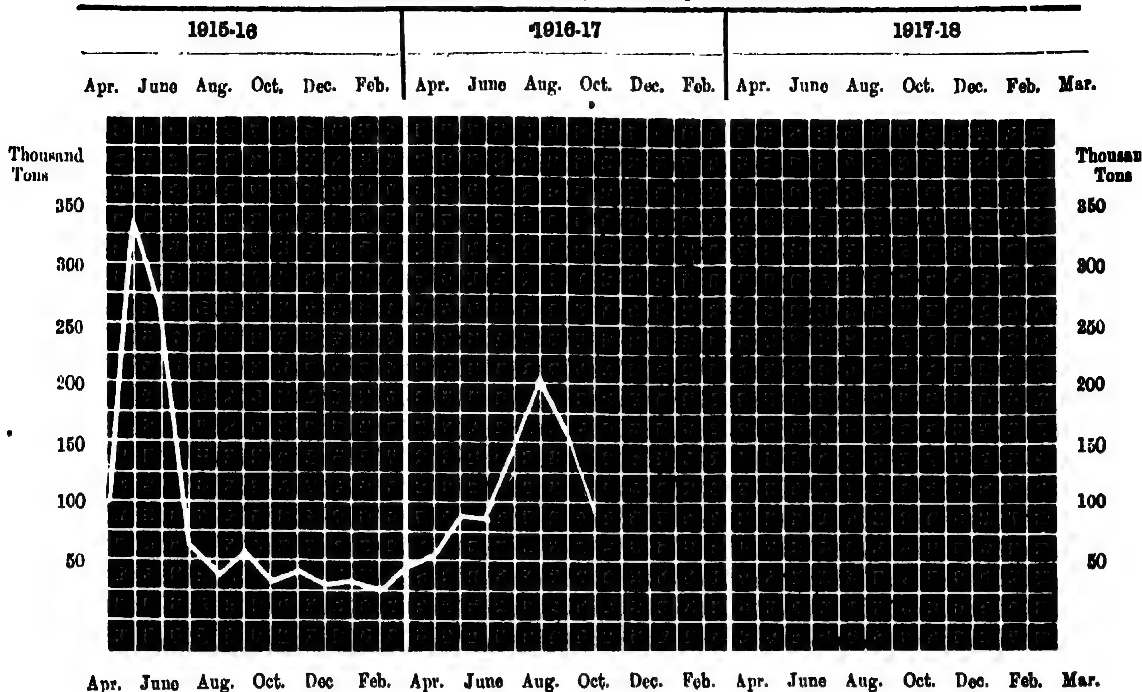
SUMMARY TABLE II.

Articles	Imports, September 1916	Imports, October 1916	Increase (+) or decrease (—) of Imports in October 1916 as compared with September 1916
	bales	bales	Per cent
Cotton, raw	70,370	106,861	+50·8
	tons	tons	
Wheat (excluding wheat flour) . . .	153,564	92,295	—39·9
Rice (including paddy)	71,834	105,152	+46·4
Gram and Pulse	34,196	28,765	—15·9
Linseed	29,855	22,381	—25
Rape and Mustard seed	18,788	6,159	—67·2
	bales	bales	
Jute	882,500	1,154,425	+30·8
	lbs	lbs	
Tea	36,581,804	53,490,937	+ 46·2

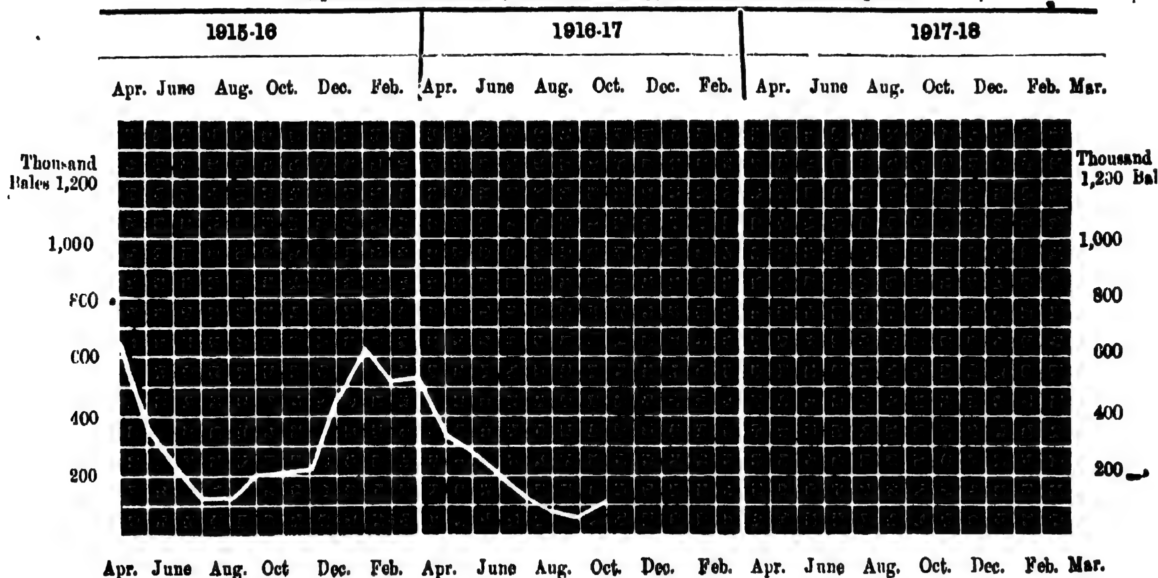
The annexed chart shows the course of the monthly imports of wheat, cotton and jute from April 1915 to October 1916 :—

IMPORTS BY RAIL, RIVER AND SEA OF WHEAT, COTTON AND JUTE FROM APRIL 1915 TO OCTOBER 1916

WHEAT
Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay and Karachi



COTTON (RAW)
Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay, Karachi and Madras ports



JUTE (RAW)
Imported into Calcutta

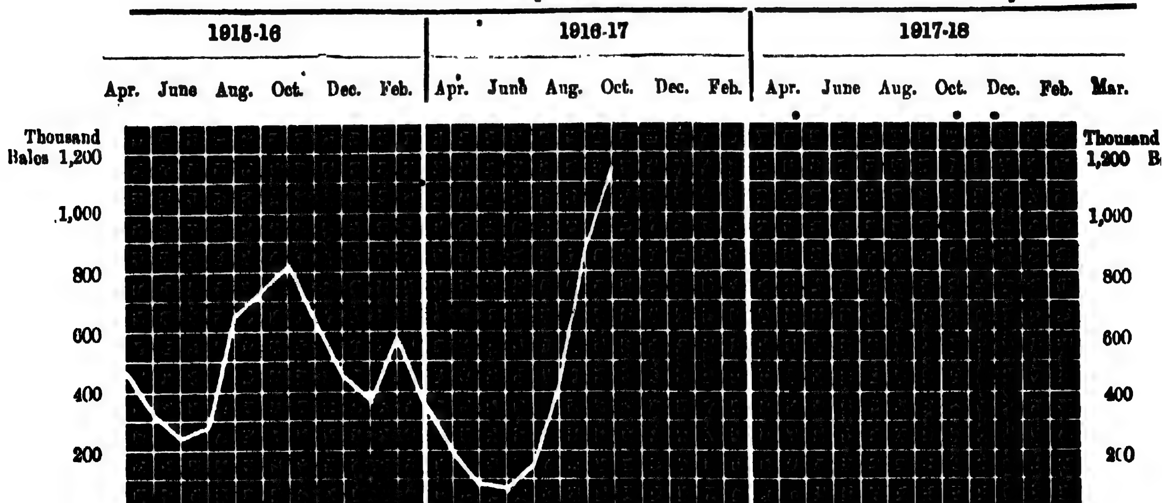


TABLE III.—Cotton, raw

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		Madras ports		TOTAL	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
	Imports in October									
	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales
By Rail and River—										
Assam	72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	72	...
Bengal	1,132	1,470	...	40	...	...	...	...	1,132	1,510
Bihar and Orissa	23	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	35
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	2,000	1,222	39,402	46,072	263	411	...	...	41,665	47,705
Punjab	102	49	14,951	3,407	21,541	3,312	...	...	36,597	6,768
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	514	845	...	...	514	845
Raj. and C. India	...	...	16,740	8,169	1	...	...	...	16,741	8,169
Bombay	97	370	29,713	6,261	...	...	543	1,236	30,353	7,867
Central Provinces and Berar	3,491	657	6,255	1,164	...	...	...	...	9,746	1,821
Nizam's Territory	...	...	8,460	872	...	...	3,910	307	12,370	679
Madras	...	431	2,584	3,340	...	...	19,640	14,469	22,224	18,240
Mysore	...	...	76	63	...	...	412	309	488	372
TOTAL	6,917	4,231	118,191	68,888	22,322	4,568	24,505	16,321	171,925	94,011
By Sea—										
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	61	3	4	...	...	2	3,295	5	3,360
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	5,630	2,421	...	...	...	...	5,630	2,421
Madras	500	...	4,101	633	...	...	...	...	4,601	633
Burma	351	91	...	...	...	...	...	...	351	91
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	20,058	4,264	...	...	...	...	20,058	4,264
Foreign Countries	1	...	185	2,081	...	...	...	...	186	2,081
TOTAL	852	152	29,977	9,403	...	...	2	3,295	30,831	12,850
TOTAL IMPORTS	7,769	4,386	148,158	78,291	22,322	4,568	24,507	19,616	202,756	106,861
	Imports from April to end of October									
By Rail and River—										
Assam	950	541	...	...	...	...	...	...	950	541
Bengal	34,254	17,513	57	125	...	...	...	...	34,311	17,638
Bihar and Orissa	937	857	...	...	...	...	...	...	937	857
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	7,468	5,079	140,345	75,464	478	432	...	...	148,291	80,975
Punjab	1,705	58	49,152	20,571	89,846	22,607	...	...	140,703	43,236
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	41,484	8,226	...	...	41,484	8,226
Raj. and C. India	449	16	147,310	96,281	14	...	...	...	147,773	96,297
Bombay	5,682	4,727	481,229	209,223	...	197	8,499	16,012	495,410	230,159
Central Provinces and Berar	23,549	32,811	164,100	145,514	...	...	...	...	187,649	178,325
Nizam's Territory	...	295	94,977	46,008	...	...	12,382	1,614	107,359	47,917
Madras	1,475	7,636	31,878	88,181	...	...	178,087	182,029	211,440	277,846
Mysore	101	...	12,073	5,159	...	...	4,683	2,408	16,857	7,567
TOTAL	76,570	69,533	1,121,121	686,526	131,822	31,462	203,651	202,063	1,533,164	989,584
By Sea—										
Bengal	10,485	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,485	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	3,828	1,132	2,161	5	1,391	57	6,848	6,581	14,228	7,775
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	81,681	25,155	...	...	...	...	81,681	25,155
Madras	7,927	6,596	32,165	18,478	...	...	...	30	40,092	25,104
Burma	4,077	964	146	188	...	...	...	...	4,223	1,152
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	187,686	151,895	...	...	24	...	187,710	151,895
Foreign Countries	2	374	3,512	5,088	...	...	54	3	3,568	5,465
TOTAL	26,814	9,066	307,851	200,309	1,391	57	6,926	6,614	341,982	216,046
TOTAL IMPORTS	102,884	78,599	1,428,472	886,835	133,213	31,519	210,577	208,677	1,875,146	1,205,630

NOTE.—Provinces named in the first column include their chief port or ports. "Madras ports" includes the ports of Madras French Ports (Pondicherry with its suburb Villianur, and Karikal, exclusive of sea imports from Non-British Ports and Foreign countries), Negapatam, Tuticorin, Calicut, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Cuddalore, Cochin, Tellicherry, Cannanore, Masulipatam, Mangalore, Quilon, Porto Novo, Badagara and Dhanushkodi

One bale of cotton is equivalent to 400 lbs.

TABLE IV.—Wheat (excluding wheat flour)*

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916	City of Bombay 1915	City of Bombay 1916	Karachi 1915	Karachi 1916	TOTAL 1915	TOTAL 1916
	Imports in October							
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	16	52	...	...	...	...	16	52
Bihar and Orissa	20	1,190	...	...	...	...	20	1,190
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	8,253	6,077	363	67	25	3,355	8,641	9,199
Punjab	842	46	1,023	536	7,406	62,700	9,271	63,2^2
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	2,254	3,345	2,254	3,345
Raj. and C. India	29	111	2,194	2,135	...	39	2,223	2,285
Bombay	...	...	1,435	3,426	...	...	1,435	3,426
Central Provinces and Berar	1,660	4,822	796	3,369	...	...	2,456	8,191
Nizam's Territory	...	...	61	346	...	...	61	346
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore	...	...	9	...	...	...	9	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	10,320	12,298	5,881	9,879	9,685	69,439	26,386	91,616
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	4	7	1	...	5	7
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	7,170	142	...	...	7,170	142
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	606	530	...	...	606	530
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	...	...	7,780	679	1	...	7,781	679
TOTAL IMPORTS	10,820	12,298	13,661	10,558	9,686	69,439	34,167	92,295
	Imports from April to end of October							
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	895	407	...	211	...	...	895	618
Bihar and Orissa	3,542	8,463	...	...	...	...	3,542	8,463
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	117,699	61,405	26,817	5,512	76,618	13,971	221,134	80,888
Punjab	21,219	4,156	24,508	19,858	451,755	525,421	497,482	549,435
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	39,821	35,690	39,821	35,690
Raj. and C. India	177	1,216	24,386	23,802	257	134	24,820	25,152
Bombay	96	10	18,903	16,399	...	...	18,999	16,409
Central Provinces and Berar	31,424	38,773	28,177	50,292	..	...	59,601	89,065
Nizam's Territory	...	...	771	1,576	...	...	771	1,576
Madras	22	5	110	10	...	...	132	15
Mysore	...	...	22	1	...	...	22	1
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	175,074	114,435	123,694	117,661	568,451	575,216	867,219	807,312
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	10	18	76	17	86	35
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	14,355	11,369	284	...	14,639	11,369
Madras	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...
Burma	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	9
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	8,427	5,201	130	...	8,557	5,201
Foreign Countries	...	3	3	...	...	2	3	5
TOTAL	...	12	22,797	16,588	490	19	23,287	16,619
TOTAL IMPORTS	175,074	114,447	146,491	134,249	568,941	575,235	890,506	823,931

* See also Table XI

TABLE V.—Rice (including paddy)*

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916	Karachi 1915	Karachi 1916	Madras ports 1915	Madras ports 1916	TOTAL 1915	TOTAL 1916
Imports in October								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	3	1	...	...	...	...	3	1
Bengal	6,391	9,533	...	...	...	64	6,391	9,597
Bihar and Orissa	525	1,802	...	...	...	146	525	1,948
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	640	241	...	...	...	...	640	241
Punjab	10	30	1,114	538	...	...	1,124	568
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	2	...	3,501	2,749	...	...	3,503	2,749
Raj. and C. India	...	...	..	.	...	...	...	...
Bombay	4	...	...	...	...	1	4	1
Central Provinces and Berar	4,749	213	...	...	...	...	4,749	213
Nizam's Territory	67	..	...	...	36	43	103	43
Madras	8,419	138	...	...	33,134	35,575	41,553	35,713
Mysore	...	...	...	...	2	247	2	247
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	20,810	11,958	4,615	3,287	33,172	36,076	58,597	51,321
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	1	.	1	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	7	19	611	218	618	237
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	266	166	...	.	266	166
Madras	1,417	...	...	...	20	17	1,437	17
Burma	25,153	49,438	3	...	1,865	3,518	27,021	52,956
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign countries	6,579	369	...	...	74	86	6,653	455
TOTAL	33,149	49,807	276	185	2,571	3,839	35,996	53,831
TOTAL IMPORTS	53,959	61,765	4,891	3,472	35,743	39,915	94,593	105,152
Imports from April to end of October								
By Rail and River—								
Assam	46	96	...	...	...	...	46	96
Bengal	71,249	70,880	...	...	4	454	71,253	71,284
Bihar and Orissa	3,064	10,801	...	...	15	1,749	3,079	12,550
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	917	340	1	25	...	1	918	366
Punjab	106	250	2,870	3,948	...	...	2,976	4,198
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	2	1	33,913	45,524	...	...	33,915	45,525
Raj. and C. India	459	.	...	...	...	...	459	...
Bombay	8	62	1	...	59	36	68	98
Central Provinces and Berar	6,931	2,628	...	...	9	51	6,940	2,679
Nizam's Territory	67	...	...	...	507	280	574	280
Madras	36,103	9,413	...	...	177,684	141,234	213,787	150,647
Mysore	...	...	...	...	65	1,310	65	1,310
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	118,952	94,421	36,785	49,497	178,313	145,115	334,080	289,033
By Sea—								
Bengal	23	[illegible]	...	...	2	37	25	37
Bihar and Orissa	78	831	...	...	...	...	78	831
Bombay	6	12	144	101	4,807	1,178	4,957	1,291
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	147	...	835	483	62	34	1,044	517
Madras	7,876	...	...	1	320	140	8,196	141
Burma	385,793	239,616	3	...	120,230	80,439	506,026	320,055
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	2
Foreign Countries	25,017	3,018	...	1	200	728	25,217	3,747
TOTAL	418,935	243,477	982	588	125,622	82,556	545,539	326,621
TOTAL IMPORTS	537,887	337,898	37,767	50,085	303,935	227,671	879,619	615,654

* One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice

TABLE VI.—Gram and Pulse

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL	
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
	Imports in October							
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2
Bengal	1,286	2,993	...	...	...	...	1,286	2,993
Bihar and Orissa	2,454	1,612	358	375	...	1,997	2,812	3,984
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	4,380	4,581	814	543	1,704	5,048	6,898	10,172
Punjab	3,680	677	2,260	650	8,241	1,725	14,181	3,061
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	66	382	66	382
Raj. and C. India	87	205	136	252	18	58	241	515
Bombay	258	40	2,472	1,658	...	...	2,730	1,698
Central Provinces and Berar	1,308	1,497	1,458	2,891	...	...	2,766	4,388
Nizam's Territory	614	610	150	432	...	...	764	1,042
Madras	117	102	2	...	...	...	119	102
Mysore	15	...	...	...	...	...	15	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	14,149	12,319	7,650	6,810	10,029	9,210	31,828	28,339
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	6	...	.	...	...	...	6
Bombay	...	...	132	20	75	166	207	186
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	40	75	33	5	73	80
Madras	33	...	2	...	...	...	35	...
Burma	...	1	75	...	...	...	75	1
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	223	100	...	...	223	100
Foreign Countries	108	2	1,699	22	2	29	1,809	53
TOTAL	141	9	2,171	217	110	200	2,422	426
TOTAL IMPORTS	14,290	12,328	9,821	7,027	10,139	9,410	34,250	28,765
	Imports from April to end of October							
By Rail and River—								
Assam	2	11	...	...	...	...	2	11
Bengal	14,808	27,878	45	196	...	...	14,853	28,074
Bihar and Orissa	21,379	13,293	1,111	824	...	2,878	22,490	16,995
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	45,808	52,821	11,734	20,978	10,828	19,668	67,370	93,467
Punjab	19,090	2,232	31,381	11,571	44,622	16,778	95,093	30,581
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	2	35	...	4,593	7,086	4,628	7,088
Raj. and C. India	805	2,257	2,733	2,658	930	233	4,468	5,148
Bombay	354	119	16,717	10,990	23	35	17,094	11,144
Central Provinces and Berar	9,029	10,246	17,410	29,461	19	...	26,458	39,707
Nizam's Territory	785	1,200	1,840	3,022	...	...	2,625	4,222
Madras	382	686	128	43	...	...	510	729
Mysore	15	...	7	26	...	...	22	26
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	111,957	110,745	83,141	79,769	60,515	46,678	255,613	237,192
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	19	8	...	...	...	...	19	8
Bombay	1	...	545	123	188	635	734	758
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	1,198	652	51	61	1,249	713
Madras	170	52	82	...	...	...	202	52
Burma	1,451	161	104	371	...	...	1,555	532
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	1,006	276	35	1	1,041	279
Foreign Countries	627	56	5,077	1,158	4	30	5,708	1,241
TOTAL	2,268	277	7,962	2,582	278	727	10,508	3,586
TOTAL IMPORTS	114,225	111,022	91,103	82,351	60,793	47,405	266,121	240,778

TABLE VII.—Linseed

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916	City of Bombay 1915	City of Bombay 1916	Total 1915	Total 1916
	Imports in October					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	...	20	...	...	...	20
Bengal	280	845	...	17	280	862
Bihar and Orissa	2,399	3,366	40	3,214	2,439	6,580
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	811	431	1,564	4,656	2,375	5,087
Punjab	...	...	5	...	5	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...	368	2,644	368	2,644
Bombay	...	...	180	1,240	180	1,240
Central Provinces and Berar	...	37	1,627	2,048	1,627	2,085
Nizam's Territory	...	...	161	3,268	161	3,268
Madras	...	...	45	10	45	10
Mysore	...	...	...	56	...	56
Total	3,490	4,699	3,990	17,153	7,480	21,852
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay		...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	36	528	36	528
Foreign Countries	1	...	29	1	30	1
Total	1	...	65	529	66	529
Total Imports	3,491	4,699	4,055	17,682	7,546	22,381
	Imports from April to end of October					
By Rail and River—						
Assam	159	1,759	...	37	159	1,796
Bengal	2,077	4,474	...	1,722	2,077	6,196
Bihar and Orissa	43,991	57,817	1,003	21,717	44,994	79,534
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	23,575	18,683	20,111	70,074	43,686	88,762
Punjab	...	...	11	47	11	47
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	5	...	5
Raj. and C. India	567	411	26,034	22,717	26,601	23,128
Bombay	...	...	5,840	8,082	5,840	8,082
Central Provinces and Berar	505	692	15,173	34,176	15,678	34,868
Nizam's Territory	...	...	14,887	21,728	14,887	21,728
Madras	...	19	213	488	213	507
Mysore	...	...	2	88	2	88
Total	70,874	83,860	83,274	180,876	154,148	264,736
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	5		1	1	6	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	3	31	3	31
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	2,001	3,322	2,001	3,322
Foreign Countries	68	...	92	64	160	64
Total	73	...	2,097	3,418	2,170	3,418
Total Imports	70,947	83,860	85,371	184,294	156,318	268,154

TABLE VIII.—Rape and Mustard Seed

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916	City of Bombay 1915	City of Bombay 1916	TOTAL 1915	TOTAL 1916
	Imports in October					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	33	32	...	...	33	32
Bengal	109	65	15	...	124	65
Bihar and Orissa	342	293	6	...	318	293
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	5,650	4,344	3,849	230	9,499	4,574
Punjab	52	...	...	...	52	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. and C. India	5	329	286	43	291	872
Bombay		29	775	663	775	692
Central Provinces and Berar	...	95	78	4	78	99
Nizam's Territory	...	...	5	2	5	2
Madras	..	26	1	...	1	26
Mysore		...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	6,101	5,213	5,015	942	11,206	6,155
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	242	...	242	...
Madras	...	...	...	..	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	..	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	12	4	12	4
Foreign Countries	...	...	102	...	102	...
TOTAL	.	...	356	4	356	4
TOTAL IMPORTS	6,191	5,213	5,371	946	11 562	6,159
	Imports from April to end of October					
By Rail and River—						
Assam	335	1,581	...	...	335	1,531
Bengal	369	550	17	17	386	567
Bihar and Orissa	1,548	3,307	6	3	1,554	3,810
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	67,754	92,472	13,438	11,287	81,192	108,709
Punjab	984	146	106	...	1,090	146
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	33	...	...	...	33	...
Raj. and C. India	314	1,468	1,795	1,282	2,139	2,750
Bombay	1,456	70	8,157	2,366	9,618	2,436
Central Provinces and Berar	83	1,552	228	686	311	2,238
Nizam's Territory	...	...	104	139	104	139
Madras	29	620	1	9	30	638
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	72,935	101,725	23,852	15,739	96,787	117,464
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	45	...	...	1	45	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	1,180	3	1,180	3
Madras	...	...	5	...	5	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	115	188	115	188
Foreign Countries	...	...	102	...	102	...
TOTAL	45	...	1,402	192	1,447	192
TOTAL IMPORTS	72,980	101,725	25,254	15,931	98,284	117,656

TABLE IX —Jute

Whence exported	Calcutta	
	1915	1916
	Imports in October	
	bales	bales
By Rail and River—		
Assam	5,814	39,296
Bengal	737,969	1,008,660
Bihar and Orissa	74,358	105,142
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	818,141	1,153,098
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	2,436	1,327
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	...	...
TOTAL	2,436	1,327
TOTAL IMPORTS	820,577	1,154,425
	Imports from April to end of October	
By Rail and River—		
Assam	103,561	86,474
Bengal	3,005,705	2,601,685
Bihar and Orissa	371,129	253,029
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	180
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	3,480,395	2,941,368
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	30,978	23,873
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	426	1
TOTAL	31,404	23,874
TOTAL IMPORTS	3,511,799	2,965,242

NOTE.—One bale of jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.

By "Calcutta" is meant the town of Calcutta with Howrah and the Kidderpore Docks. The imports exclude, therefore, imports into those jute mills which are outside this area. Such mills form the large majority of the total mills manufacturing jute.

TABLE X.—Tea

Whence exported	Calcutta 1915	Calcutta 1916
	Imports in October	
	lbs	lbs.
By Rail and River—		
Assam	27,423,113	21,398,235
Bengal	6,310,903	31,910,976
Bihar and Orissa	37,604	27,648
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	20,654	22,546
Punjab	1,481	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	..
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	.
Central Provinces and Berar	...	194
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	1,893
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	33,793,755	53,361,792
By Sea—		
Bengal	30,394	..
Bihar and Orissa	..	...
Bombay	..	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	.	...
Madras	210	8,804
Burma	..	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	..
Foreign Countries	1,317	120,341
TOTAL	31,921	129,145
TOTAL IMPORTS	33,825,706	53,490,937
	Imports from April to end of October	
By Rail and River—		
Assam	124,646,309	105,853,741
Bengal	51,050,706	64,721,254
Bihar and Orissa	221,962	153,515
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	785,155	80,476
Punjab	212,113	5,101
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	1,563
Raj. and C. India	...	658
Bombay	6,960	3,703
Central Provinces and Berar	359	2,469
Nizam's Territory	4,032	...
Madras	10,276	2,305
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	176,937,872	170,824,815
By Sea—		
Bengal	286,531	4,670
Bihar and Orissa	...	204
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	10,262	9,374
Burma	1,884	2,200
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	13,489	427,872
TOTAL	312,166	444,320
TOTAL IMPORTS	177,250,038	171,269,135

NOTE.—One maund is equivalent to 82⅐ lbs.

TABLE XI.

The following statements show the exports of (1) wheat, (2) wheat flour and (3) Total (wheat and wheat flour) from British India by sea to foreign countries during each month of the five official years 1911-12, 1912-13, 1913-14, 1914-15 and 1915-16. The figures are in thousands of tons :—

1.—Wheat.

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April	68	69	27	9	11	3(a)
May	136	107	166	24	105(a)	2
June	189	244	260	169	292(a)	42
July	266	328	318	169	187(a)	44
August	125	153	135	43	48(a)	75
September	66	232	135	56	6(a)	139
October	66	148	53	88	... (b)	151
November	74	114	47	55	... (b)	79(a)
December	97	80	22	37	... (b)	
January	102	99	20	25	... (b)	
February	75	51	10	22	2(a)	
March	97	35	9	9	1	
TOTAL	1,361	1,660	1,202	706	652	
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16
Production (in thousands of tons)	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518

NOTE.—In this statement the figures of production for one year have been placed below those of exports of the next year because the production of one year is usually exported in the next year

(a) Include exports on Government account 94,357 tons in May, 249,952 tons in June, 150,295 tons in July, 36,483 tons in August, 2,375 tons in September 1915, 1,000 tons in February, 2,595 tons in April and 19,373 tons in November 1916

(b) Exports were below 1,000 tons in these months

2.—Wheat flour.

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April	4	4	6	6	5	2
May	4	4	9	3	2	7
June	4	6	10	5	4	5
July	5	5	3	8	6	4
August	6	6	4	6	4	4
September	6	5	7	4	6	6
October	4	9	9	4	4	8
November	3	5	6	4	7	7
December	4	6	4	3	3	
January	5	7	6	5	9	
February	4	5	4	4	4	
March	3	6	6	2	4	
TOTAL	52	68	79	54	58	

3.—Total (wheat including wheat flour converted into wheat).*

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April . .	74	74	36	17	17	6
May . . .	141	113	179	29	108	12
June . . .	196	252	274	176	298	49
July . . .	273	335	329	181	196	50
August . .	133	161	141	52	54	81
September . .	74	239	145	31	15	148
October . .	72	161	66	94	6	162
November . .	79	122	55	61	10	89
December . .	103	89	27	42	4	
January . .	109	109	29	32	13	
February . .	81	59	16	28	6	
March . .	100	44	18	11	7	
TOTAL .	1,435	1,758	1,315	784	734	
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16
Production of wheat (in thousands of tons).	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518

* Ten tons of wheat are taken as equivalent to seven tons of wheat flour

NOTE (1).—On an average for the three years ending 1913-14, 4·1 per cent. of the total export of wheat (including wheat flour) was exported in April; the percentages for the other months are as follows:—May 9·6 per cent., June 16 per cent., July 20·8 per cent., August 9·7 per cent., September 10·2 per cent., October 6·6 per cent., November 5·7 per cent., December 4·9 per cent., January 5·5 per cent., February 3·5 per cent., and March 3·6 per cent.

(2) Exports of wheat (excluding wheat flour) from the ports of Calcutta, Bombay and Karachi by sea during November 1916 week by week as compared with the corresponding periods of last year are given below:—

	1915 tons.	1916 tons.
Week ending 4th November .	47	4,452*
" " 11th " .	101	22,384*
" " 18th " .	161	13,456*
" " 25th " .	107	14,450*
	416	54,742

* Inclusive of figures on Government account

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DELHI, MONDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 25th December 1916.

No. 380-C.W.D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations and additions shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

Delete existing items Nos. 41 and 49.

Insert as item 41 the following, *viz.*:—

Articles.	Destinations.	Exceptions and Exemptions.
41. Hides (raw)	All destinations except the United Kingdom, British Possessions and British Protectorates.	

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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DELHI, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

An Ordinance to provide power for enforcing the attendance of witnesses at inquiries held into any matters relating to, or connected with, elections to the Indian Legislative Council and for other purposes in connection with such inquiries.

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary to provide power for enforcing the attendance of witnesses at inquiries held into any matters relating to, or connected with, elections to the Indian Legislative Council and for other purposes in connection with such inquiries;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:— 5 & c. 6

ORDINANCE No. VIII OF 1916.

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be called the Indian Legislative Council (Elections Inquiries) Ordinance, 1916.

Power to direct inquiry and enforce the giving of evidence on oath, &c.

2. (*1*) Where, in the opinion of the Governor General in Council, it is desirable that an inquiry should be held into any matter relating to, or connected with, any election to the Indian Legislative Council, the Governor General in Council may, by order in writing, appoint any person he may specify in the order to be a Commissioner for the purpose of holding such inquiry.

(*2*) A Commissioner appointed under sub-section (*1*) shall have the same powers as are vested in a Court under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, when trying a suit in respect of the following matters:—

(*a*) enforcing the attendance of witnesses and examining them on oath or affirmation;

(*b*) compelling the production of documents; and

(*c*) issuing commissions for the examination of witnesses;

and shall be deemed to be a Civil Court within the meaning of sections 480 and 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898. V

The expression "witnesses" in this sub-section shall include parties or persons in the position of parties to such inquiry.

(*3*) A Commissioner may authorise the representation before him of any person appearing to him to be sufficiently interested in such inquiry, by counsel or pleader or otherwise as he may direct.

Witness not excused from answering from fact that answer will criminate.

3. A person examined as a witness by a Commissioner holding an inquiry under section 2 shall not be excused from answering any question put to him, upon the ground that the answer thereto will criminate or may tend directly or indirectly to criminate him, or tend directly or indirectly to expose him to a penalty or forfeiture of any kind:

Provided that no such answer which a witness shall be compelled to give shall subject him to any arrest or prosecution, or be proved against him in any criminal proceeding, except a prosecution for giving false evidence by such answer.

CALCUTTA:
The 26th December, 1916.

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 28th December 1916.

No. 1-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 147 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exempt the East Indian and the Bengal-Nagpur Railways from the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 42 of the said Act.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

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Witness not excused from answering from fact that answer will criminate.

Provided that no such answer which a witness shall be compelled to give shall subject him to any arrest or prosecution, or be proved against him in any criminal proceeding, except a prosecution for giving false evidence by such answer.

CALCUTTA :
The 26th December, 1916.

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Delhi, the 28th December 1916.

No. 65.—For the purposes of section 63 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, c. 61), and in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the Governor General is pleased to nominate Mr James Bennett Brunyate, C.S.I., C.I.E., being an official, to be an Additional Member of the said Council, in the said Act referred to as the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 66.—For the purposes of section 63 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, c. 61), and in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the Governor General is pleased to nominate Mr. Alexander Sligo Anderson Westropp, being an official, to be an Additional Member of the said Council, in the said Act referred to as the Indian Legislative Council.

The 29th December 1916.

No. 67.—For the purposes of section 63 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, c. 61), and in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the Governor General is pleased to nominate Mr James George Jennings, being an official, to be an Additional Member of the said Council, in the said Act referred to as the Indian Legislative Council.

H. M. SMITH,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

Delhi, the 27th December 1916.

No. 580-C.—The services of Major O. St. John Moses, M.D., F.R.C.S.E., I.M.S., are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

PUBLIC.

The 28th December 1916.

No. 588-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 39, sub-section (1) of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, ch. 61), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the Governor General's Executive Council shall assemble at Barrackpore in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal on the 5th January 1917 and shall thereafter reassemble at Delhi.

No. 600-C.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the admission of Havildar Mitung Tang of the Burma Military Police, attached to 1-10th Gurkha Rifles, to the third class of the Civil Division of the Indian Order of Merit for conspicuous bravery displayed by him in the following circumstances:—

At Maymyo early on the morning of the 10th July 1916 a Gurkha rifleman of the battalion ran amok, cut down a comrade in his barrack room and ran towards the married lines brandishing a *kukri* in each hand. Havildar Mitung Tang saw him and immediately picking up a piece of firewood gave chase and attacked the rifleman, who tried to cut him down. At great personal risk he succeeded in overpowering and disarming the man, and thus by his courageous conduct was instrumental in preventing what might have resulted in further and serious loss of life.

J. H. DuBOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATION.

AGRICULTURE.

Delhi, the 29th December 1916

No. 78 C.—Major A. T. Gage, I.M.S., Director, Botanical Survey of India, is placed on special duty in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture to enquire into the possibility of obtaining suitable land for cinchona cultivation with effect from the date on which his leave expires and until further orders.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 27th December 1916.

No. 726-D.—The following amendment to the rules for the examination of officers serving in the North West Frontier Province and Chilas in the Pashtu language published in the Notification by the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 1476-G., dated the 25th June 1909, is published for general information:—

In rule 2 for the words "will be liable to be passed over for promotion" substitute "may have their annual increment of pay suspended."

No. 727-D.—The following amendment to the rules for the examination of officers serving in Baluchistan in the Pashtu and Baluchi languages published in the Notification by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department No. 4/2-Est. B., dated the 22nd March 1916, is published for general information :—

In rule 4 for the words "will be liable to be passed over for promotion" substitute "may have their annual increment of pay suspended."

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Simla, the 27th December 1916.

No. 2693-Est. A.—Lieutenant R. G. Babonau, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, Senior Assistant Surgeon of the Residency Hospital at Hyderabad, held charge temporarily of the current duties of the office of the Residency Surgeon, Hyderabad, in addition to his own duties for the period from the 1st to the 9th September 1916, inclusive.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Delhi, the 27th December 1916.

No. 1415-F. E.—The services of the Honourable Mr. H. F. Howard, C.I.E., I.C.S., are placed at the disposal of the Department of Commerce and Industry, with effect from the 16th December 1916.

J. B. BRUNYATE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 23rd December 1916.

No. 1556.—The following is published for information :—

"London Gazette," dated the 22nd December 1916.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in and appointments to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, for services rendered in connection with military operations in the Field:

To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Honourable Order.

Major-General HENRY D'URBAN KEARY, C.B., D.S.O., Indian Army.

Major-General RALEIGH GILBERT EGERTON, C.B., Indian Army.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) HARRY TRISCOTT BROOKING, C.B., Indian Army.

Major-General (temporary Lieutenant-General) FREDERICK STANLEY MAUDE, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.

To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order.

Major-General MAITLAND COWPER, C.I.E., Indian Army.

Colonel ROBERT CAMPBELL STEPHEN.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) GERARD CHRISTIAN, D.S.O.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) ALEXANDER JOHN HENRY SWINEY.

Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) CHARLES EDWARD DE MANLEY NORIE, D.S.O., Indian Army.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) EVELYN CHIAPPINI PEEBLES, D.S.O.

Lieutenant-Colonel GERARD BEATTY IRVINE, Indian Medical Service.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) ARTHUR CORRIE LEWIN, C.M.G., D.S.O.

Lieutenant-Colonel THEODORE FRASER, Royal Engineers.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, for services rendered in connection with military operations in the Field:

To be Companions (additional).

Major General ARTHUR WIGRAM MONEY, C.B.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) LOCHINVAR ALEXANDER CHARLES GORDON, C.B.

Mr. THOMAS ANDREW CHALMERS, Proprietor, Assam Distillery, Jorhat.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, for services rendered in connection with military operations in the Field:

To be Additional Members of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Distinguished Order:

Commander WILLOUGHBY BAYNES HUDDLESTON, Royal Indian Marine.

Colonel ALAN EDMONDSON TATE, Army Medical Service.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) WALTER DE SAUSMAREZ CAYLEY, C.B.

Colonel GEORGE STANLEY FRAZER, Indian Army.

Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) JAMES WILLIAM O'DOWDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel ARTHUR HENRY DOPPING CREAGH, M.V.O., Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) LESLIE WARNER YULE CAMPBELL, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel ALFRED CORYTON MCCREA, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) ARCHIBALD PHILIP DOUGLAS.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel HARRY LEITH TOMKINS, D.S.O., Indian Army.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, for services rendered in connection with military operations in the Field:

To be Companions (additional).

Major AMBROSE BOXWELL, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel NATHANIEL ROBERT RADCLIFFE, D.S.O., The Devonshire Regiment.

Major WILLIAM GILLITT, M.D., Indian Medical Service.

Mr. GERVASE BUSHE POWER, Telegraph Department.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for services rendered in connection with military operations in the Field :

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.

Brevet Major BARTON EDWARD ANDERSON, Indian Army.

Captain JOHN FAULKENER HENNIKER ANDERSON, Indian Army.

Major HARLEY WENTWORTH ASHBURNER, Indian Army.

Major Sir WALTER BALFOUR BARTTELOT, Bart., Coldstream Guards.

Captain JOHN BODY, The Buffs (East Kent Regiment).

Captain (temporary Major) GEORGE WESTON BOND, Indian Army.

Captain PHILIP WILLIAM LILIAN BROKE-SMITH, Royal Flying Corps.

Brevet Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) WILLIAM DOUGLAS STUDHOLME BROWNRIGG, The Sherwood Foresters (The Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) WILLIAM NEVILLE CAMPBELL, Indian Army (retired).

Major GERALD PATRICK OGILVY CARNEGY, Indian Army.

Major LINDSAY JAMES CARTER, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

Major MALBY RICHARD HENRY CROFTON, Royal Artillery.

Captain REGINALD BARKER DE LA MOTTE, Indian Army.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) ALEXANDER EDWARD DRYSDALE, Indian Army.

Captain MAXWELL EVERETT, Royal Engineers.

Second-Lieutenant JAMES GRASSIE, The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).

Major MEREDITH ASHTON HAMER, Indian Army.

Captain WILLIAM HAYWOOD HAMILTON, Indian Medical Service.

Commander AUSTIN EDWARD HAROLD, Royal Indian Marine.

Captain DOUGLAS HARVEY, Indian Army.

Major CHARLES HOWARD HAWES, M.V.O., Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) PERCY THOMAS COLTHURST HERBERT, Royal Artillery.

Captain ROBERT DE STRETTON BERKELEY HERRICK, Indian Medical Service.

Major ROBERT KNOX HEZLET, Royal Artillery.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel HAROLD ADRIAN HOLDICH, Indian Army.

Captain (temporary Major) WILLIAM EDMUND HUME-SPRY, Indian Army.

Captain ROLAND DEBENHAM INSKIP, Indian Army.

Reverend RONALD JOHN BERESFORD IRWIN, M.A., Ecclesiastical Establishment, Bengal.

Major ROBERT JOHNSTON, Indian Army.

Major ROBERT KELSALL, Indian Medical Service.

Lieutenant ARTHUR GORDON KINCH, Royal Indian Marine.

Lieutenant-Colonel ERNEST FRANCIS KNOX, Indian Army.

Captain (temporary Major) RODERICK WILLIAM MACDONALD, Indian Army.

Lieutenant BRUCE CUNCLIFFE MARSH, Royal Indian Marine.

Reverend G. H. MARSHALL, Army Chaplains' Department.

Major HERBERT CLAUDE MCWATTERS, Indian Army.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) A. N. MINNS, Royal Army Medical Corps (Special Reserve).

Major GEORGE CHARLES MORPHETT, The Royal Sussex Regiment.

Major CHARLES OXLEY MORRIS, Indian Army.

Captain CHARLES HOWARD FEATHERSTONHAUGH NIXON, Indian Army.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) JOHN FAGAN HENSLOWE NUGENT, Indian Army.

Captain H. A. PETRE, Royal Australian Flying Corps.

Major IVAN MAXWELL CONWAY POOLE, Indian Army.

Major WILLIAM JOHN PHÆLIM PRESTON, Indian Army.

Major CHARLES REED, Royal Artillery.

Major GEORGE WHITEHILL ROSS, Indian Army.

Captain REGINALD CHARLES FRANCIS SCHOMBERG, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's).

Lieutenant CHARLES ARTHUR SCOTT, Royal Indian Marine.

Major HUBERT HAMILTON SMITH, Indian Army.

Second-Lieutenant A. SPOWERS, The East Lancashire Regiment.

Captain ERNEST KER SQUIRES, Royal Engineers.

Captain E. A. STRETCH, The Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Captain ROBERT SWEET, Indian Medical Service.

Captain NORMAN CALLENDER TAYLOR, Indian Army.

Major WALTER EDWARD WILSON-JOHNSON, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel CLIFFORD BOARDMAN WINTER, Indian Army.

Awarded the Military Cross.

Captain ROBERT M. ALLAN, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) HAROLD ARTHUR ANDREWS, Indian Army.

Lieutenant H. L. ASSIG, The Manchester Regiment.

Captain PERCIVAL HENRY HAVELOCK BAILEY, Indian Army.

Captain MONTAGU CHENEVIX BALDWIN, Indian Army.

Second-Lieutenant W. W. BARRETT, The Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Captain A. P. BOSANQUET, The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

Captain JOHN CARTWRIGHT BREWER, Indian Army.

Captain GEORGE EYRE BRUCE, Indian Army.

Captain ARTHUR NIGEL CAHUSAC, The South Wales Borderers.

Second-Lieutenant DAVID CAMPBELL, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's).

Captain JOHN CAMPBELL, Indian Army.

Captain G. R. CATTARNS, The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).

Lieutenant T. C. CHRISTIE, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders).

Captain HARRY DURIE CLOETE, Indian Army.

Captain SYDNEY BARON COATES, Indian Army.

Second-Lieutenant NORMAN KENNETH COWEY, Royal Artillery.

Captain JOHN DOUGLAS CRAWFORD, Indian Army.

Lieutenant J. F. C. DIXON, The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).

Captain (temporary Major) CHARLES ANDREW MONTAGUE DUNLOP, Indian Army.

Lieutenant E. M. DURRANT, The Connaught Rangers.
Captain GERALD EDWARD-COLLINS, Indian Army.
Lieutenant EDWARD HENRY OMMANNEY ELKINGTON, Indian Army.
Subadar Major FARMAN ALI, Bahadur.
Captain (temporary Major) GEORGE LAMBERT FARRAN, Indian Army.
Captain DESMOND CHARLES VILLIERS FITZGERALD, Indian Medical Service.
Captain WILLIAM CECIL EDWARD TREVAN FOXMALE, Indian Army.
Captain FRANK DUTTON FROST, Indian Army.
Captain H. L. GARSON, Royal Army Medical Corps (Special Reserve).
Second-Lieutenant P. J. GETHING, The Royal Warwickshire Regiment.
Captain CHARLES DALRYMPLE GILMOUR, The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).
Captain ALEXANDER GLEN, Royal Army Medical Corps (Special Reserve).
Lieutenant E. S. GOODLAND, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry).
Third Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon GOPINATH AGARWAL, Indian Subordinate Medical Department.
Captain (temporary Major) JAMES GUY BIRNIE GORDON, Indian Army.
Captain EDWARD SLADE GOSS, Indian Medical Service.
Captain DAVID JOHN GREENSHIELDS, Indian Army.
Captain WILLIAM ROBERT CLAVEY GRIFFITH, Indian Army.
Lieutenant HARVEY NEVILLE HERBERT GRIMBLE, The Leicestershire Regiment.
Subadar GUL AKBAR, Bahadur.
Lieutenant WILLIAM ANDERSON HARRIS, The East Lancashire Regiment.
Lieutenant WILLIAM CHURCH STACPOOLE HAYCRAFT, Indian Army.
Captain LEWIS MACCLESFIELD HEATH, Indian Army.
Second-Lieutenant THOMAS ANDERSON HENDERSON, The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).
Captain HENRY THOMAS HEWITT, The Connaught Rangers.
Captain JAMES HALL HISLOP, Indian Medical Service.
Captain GEORGE IVES, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.
Lieutenant GEORGE JESSEL, The Buffs (East Kent Regiment).
Second-Lieutenant FREDERICK WILLIAM GEORGE KEATINGE, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.
Second-Lieutenant F. W. KEIGHLEY, The South Wales Borderers.
Second-Lieutenant TOM KELSEY, The Connaught Rangers.
Major EDGAR CLAUDE KENSINGTON, Indian Army.
Fourth Class Assistant Surgeon JOHN DOUGALD MALCOM LAMOND, Indian Subordinate Medical Department.
Captain CHARLES JAMES SEWARD LECORNU, Indian Army.
Second-Lieutenant G. M. LOCKS, Royal Artillery.
Captain (temporary Major) CECIL JULIUS HAMILTON LYSTER, Indian Army.
Lieutenant WALTER GEORGE MACDONALD, The Devonshire Regiment.
Lieutenant D. W. MACEWEN, The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).
Captain ROBERT FORRESTER DOUGLAS MACGREGOR, Indian Medical Service.
Major HUGH FRANCIS EDWARD MACMAHON, Indian Army.
Second-Lieutenant ROBERT MAIR, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.
Lieutenant ARTHUR AYLMER MARSON, Royal Artillery.
Captain (temporary Major) JASPER MARTIN, Indian Army.

Captain KENNETH MASON, Royal Engineers.
Captain FRANCIS HERBERT MAYNARD, Indian Army.
Captain J. R. MCCRINDLE, Royal Flying Corps (Special Reserve).
Captain A. S. MCINTYRE, The Leicestershire Regiment.
Captain R. J. MCINTYRE, The Leicestershire Regiment.
Captain LIONEL HENRY MORSE, Indian Army.
Captain FRANCIS LOTHIAN NICHOLSON, Indian Army.
Captain CYRIL DUPRE NOYES, Indian Army.
Captain WILLIAM HENRY O'RIORDAN, Royal Army Medical Corps.
Second-Lieutenant (temporary Captain) WALTER PARSLEY, The Norfolk Regiment.
Captain ROBERT BERNARD PHAYRE, Indian Army.
Lieutenant (temporary Captain) CHARLES ROBERT SENHOUSE PITMAN, Indian Army.
Captain DEWAN HAKUMAT RAI, Indian Medical Service.
Subadar RUDA RAM.
Major HERMANN EDWARD REINHOLD, Indian Army.
Captain HUGH BLAKISTON RENNY, Indian Army.
Third Class Assistant Surgeon JAMES MICHAEL RODRIGUES, Indian Subordinate Medical Department.
Captain HORACE ECKFORD ROOME, Royal Engineers.
Captain HAROLD KIRKBY ROWNTREE, M.B., Indian Medical Service.
Captain JYOTI LAL SEN, Indian Medical Service.
Jemadar TARA SINGH.
Temporary Lieutenant SUNDAR DAS SONDHI, Indian Medical Service.
Captain HARRY FRANCIS DUNDAS STIRLING, Indian Army.
Lieutenant J. B. THACKERAY, Royal Army Medical Corps.
Captain D. RHYS THOMAS, The Cheshire Regiment.
Second-Lieutenant E. L. TOTTENHAM, The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment.
Captain J. J. TRAVIS, The East Lancashire Regiment.
Captain ARTHUR VINCENT VENABLES, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.
Captain F. E. VERNEY, The Devonshire Regiment.
Captain P. W. WARD, The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).
Second-Lieutenant JOHN H. WATSON, The East Lancashire Regiment.
Captain THOMAS P. WATSON, The East Lancaster Regiment.
Major J. WEINBERG, The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment).
Captain FREDERICK WALTER ARBUTHNOT WELLS, Indian Army.
Second-Lieutenant ALEXANDER FRANCIS WEMYSS, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.
Second-Lieutenant CHARLES HUGH WEST, The Worcestershire Regiment.
Captain GEORGE EDWARD WHITTALL, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.
Lieutenant (temporary Captain) MICHAEL GUY PERCIVAL WILLOUGHBY, Indian Army.
Captain ROGER COCHRANE WILSON, Indian Army.
Lieutenant D. H. FITZTHOMAS WYLEY, Royal Artillery.

To be Major-General.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) JOSEPH CAMERON RIMINGTON, C.B.

To be Brevet-Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel WILLIAM CHRISTIAN ANDERSON, C.M.G., Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel EDWARD HERBERT BOOME, Indian Army.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) HEBERT JOSÉ PIERSON BROWNE, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel OCTAVIUS WILLIAM CAREY, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) DENIS JOSEPH COLLINS, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) CHARLES HENRY DAVIES, D.S.O., Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) SISLEY RICHARD DAVIDSON, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) ALEXANDER MONTAGU SPEARS ELSMIE, C.M.G., Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel FREDERICK CHARLES RAMPINI FULTON, Indian Army.

Lieutenant ORLANDO GEORGE GUNNING, C.M.G., Indian Army.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel HERBERT REGINALD HOPWOOD, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel GEORGE ARTHUR JAMES LESLIE, C.M.G., Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) HENRY ARTHUR PEYTON LINDSAY, C.M.G., Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel SHADWELL JOHN MURRAY, The Connaught Rangers.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) ARTHUR DAVID MUSGRAVE, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel EDWARD COLLINGWOOD OGILVIE, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel FRANCIS WILLIAM PIRRIE, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) CHARLES RATTRAY, Indian Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) GEORGE SYDNEY SHEPPARD, C.M.G., Indian Army.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) WILLIAM MONTGOMERIE THOMSON, The Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's).

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) LEWIN BARLOW WALTON, Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) ARTHUR GRENFELL WAUCHOPE, D.S.O., The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).

Lieutenant-Colonel LESLIE NAPIER YOUNGHUSBAND, Indian Army.

To be Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major (temporary Brigadier-General) THOMAS ALCHIN ANDRUS, C.M.G., The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) WILLIAM SAMUEL ANTHONY, Army Veterinary Corps.

Major PERCY LANGDON BEDDY, Indian Army.

Major HEW DACRES BELGRAVE, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).

Major HORACE AKROYD CASE, The Worcestershire Regiment.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) EDMUND WILLIAM COSTELLO, V.C., Indian Army.

Major HENRY JOSEPH CROSSLEY, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) HENRY ROBERT GORDON DEACON, The Connaught Rangers.

Major ROBERT NICHOLAS DICK, The Royal Sussex Regiment.

Major ALEXANDER COBURN EDWARDES, Indian Army.

Major JOHN GEORGE FOSTER, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Major HAROLD SCOTT ERSKINE-FRANKLIN, D.S.O., Indian Army.
Major NORMAN MEREDITH GEOGHEGAN, Indian Army.
Major CECIL MAURICE GOODBODY, D.S.O., Indian Medical Service.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) WILLIAM WELCH BARROWS GOVER, The Cheshire Regiment.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) CHARLES BASIL LEES GREENSTREET, Royal Engineers.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) WILLIAM ALLARDICE HAMILTON, The Connaught Rangers.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) RICHARD NEWMAN HARDCASTLE, D.S.O., The Manchester Regiment.
Major JAMES HENRY HORTON, D.S.O., Indian Medical Service.
Major GERARD EVELYN LEACHMAN, C.I.E., The Royal Sussex Regiment.
Major WALTER STEWART LESLIE, Indian Army.
Major FREDERICK LEWIS, D.S.O., The Leicestershire Regiment.
Major ARTHUR LYSTER LONGHURST, Indian Army.
Major REGINALD KIRKPATRICK LYNCH-STAUNTON, D.S.O., Royal Artillery.
Major CECIL DELARUE MEARS, M.V.O., Indian Army.
Major HUGH STEPHENSON MOBERLY, Indian Army.
Major CHARLES WALTER ROBINSON, Indian Army.
Major MICHAEL GEORGE DOBBIE ROWLANDSON, Indian Army.
Major FRANCIS HARRY STAPLETON, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) RICHARD STUKELEY ST. JOHN, Indian Army.
Major GRAHAM WALTON, Indian Army.
Major SPENCER BURTON WATSON, Indian Army.
Major WILLIAM ALBERT WOOD, Army Veterinary Corps.

To be Brevet Majors.

Captain (temporary Major) RICHARD LOWIS BIGNELL, Indian Army.
Captain EDWARD BRADNEY, Royal Engineers.
Captain FRANCIS THOMAS DOWLING, Royal Army Medical Corps.
Captain GEORGE GILBERT CRESWICK MACLEAN, Indian Army.
Captain (temporary Major) JOHN CECIL MACRAE, D.S.O., Indian Army.
Captain THOMAS JOHN MITCHELL, Royal Army Medical Corps.
Captain SHOLTO PEMBERTON, Royal Engineers.

To be Honorary Captains.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant JAMES ANDERSON, The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).
Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant PATRICK O'BRIEN, The Manchester Regiment.
Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant NORMAN REID, The Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's).

To be granted the next higher rate of pay under Article 241, Royal Warrant.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant HARRY CAMPBELL BRODIE, The Leicestershire Regiment.
Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant JOHN ARTHUR MELLSOP, The South Wales Borderers.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 29th December 1916.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1557.—Major H. S. Moberly, 66th Punjabis, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while holding the appointment of temporary General Staff Officer, 1st Grade. Dated the 10th November 1916.

No. 1558.—Lieutenant A. R. F. Lumby, 69th Punjabis, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of temporary General Staff Officer, 3rd grade, Army Headquarters. Dated 7th December 1916.

No. 1559.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment.)

Serjeant Arthur Thomas Wilson—9th December 1916.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

Serjeant George William Hoile—18th December 1916.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

1-4th (Cumberland and Westmorland) Battalion, The Border Regiment.

No. 1560.—2nd Lieutenant A. Alexander to be temporary Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant F. H. Bettison, who has resigned his commission. Dated 22nd October 1916.

2-7th Battalion, The Hampshire Regiment.

No. 1561.—Temporary Lieutenant G. L. J. Duplessis to be temporary Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval. Dated 4th April 1916.

COMMANDS.

No. 1562.—Major-General R. Wapshare, C. B., Indian Army, to be temporary Divisional Commander, *vice* Lieutenant-General Sir M. H. S Grover, K.C.B., K.C.I.E., Indian Army. Dated the 6th December 1916.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 1563.—In Army Department Notification No. 1242, dated the 19th October 1916, publishing a list of officers, non-commissioned officers and men brought to notice by Major-General C. V. F. Townshend, C.B., D.S.O., for distinguished service during the defence of Kut-al-Amarah from the 3rd December 1915 to the 29th April 1916, the following amendment is made : —

Under 86th Heavy Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery.

For "No. 27436, Bombr. G. Moore"

Read "No. 27456, Acting Bombr. C. F. Moore."

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1564.—Temporary Second Lieutenant Carl Frederick Hollinshead Tacchella, Indian Army, is permitted to relinquish his temporary commission, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 16th October 1916.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1565.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Francis Godfrey Tranter.	Dated 15th September 1916.
Stanley Brabant Smith. Cyril Martin Connell.	Dated 6th October 1916.

Infantry Branch.

Joseph Alfred Keates.	Dated 8th September 1916.
Eric de Vere Moss.	Dated 8th September 1916, (but to rank from 23rd November 1914.)
Frederick Arthur Reginald Rivière Rea.	Dated 15th September 1916, (but to rank from 17th February 1915.)
Samuel William Steane.	Dated 30th September 1916, (but to rank from 27th February 1915.)
Richard Alexandre Charriol.	Dated 23rd December 1916.
Thomas Andrew Chalmers. Thomas Nickels. Frank Melville Rockley.	Dated 27th December 1916.

No. 1566.—Lieutenant Niall Austin McGurk, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while Commanding No. 1 Porter Corps, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, subject to His Majesty's approval.

No. 1567.—Lieutenant Augustin Mellish, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while Commanding No. 5 Porter Corps, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, subject to His Majesty's approval.

No. 1568.—Second Lieutenant Bertrand Charles Hosking, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while Commanding No. 5 Labour Corps, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, subject to His Majesty's approval.

No. 1569.—Second Lieutenant Alfred Henry Robert Holmes, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while Commanding No. 2 Porter Corps, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, subject to His Majesty's approval.

No. 1570.—Second Lieutenant James Stanislaus Thompson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while Commanding No. 3 Porter Corps, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, subject to His Majesty's approval.

No. 1571.—Second Lieutenant Robert Montford Michaelson Yeates, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while Commanding No. 6 Porter Corps, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, subject to His Majesty's approval.

No. 1572.—Second Lieutenant Humphrey Grose-Hodge, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is transferred from the Cavalry Branch to the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, with effect from the 1st December 1916.

UNATTACHED LIST.

No. 1573.—In Army Department Notification No. 1440, dated the 1st December 1916, *for* "Brien Van Dyke Havergal Shaw" *read* "Brian Van Dyke Havergal Shaw."

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1574.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Supplement dated the 8th November 1916 to the London Gazette of the 7th November 1916, pages 10825, 10826, 10827 and 10831.

War Office,
8th November 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

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Service Battalions.

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Welsh R.—Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. Bald, C.M.G. (Major, Indian Army), relinquishes his temporary rank on vacating command of a Battalion, 29th March 1916.

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Lieutenant-Colonel P. E. Ricketts, M.V.O., King George's Own Lancers, (Indian Army), vacates command of a Battalion, 9th November 1916.

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VOLUNTEER FORCE.

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City of London Volunteer Regiment.

To be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel and Commandant of No. 1 group :—

Colonel Frank Montagu Rundall, C.B., D.S.O. (late 4th Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army), 1st September 1916.

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Third Supplement dated the 13th November 1916 to the London Gazette of the 10th November 1916, pages 10951 and 10954.

War Office,
13th November 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

The higher rank granted to officers by General Officers Commanding-in-Chief in the field and the Commander-in-Chief in India to fill temporary vacancies in units due to casualties will in future be described as "acting" rank, and will be gazetted accordingly.

This decision to be retrospective as from the 25th May 1915.

The necessary alterations in the Army List will be made from time to time as returns are received and the exigencies permit.

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London Gazette dated the 14th November 1916, page 10963.

Chancery of the Order of
Saint Michael and Saint George,
Downing Street, November 14, 1916.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :—

To be an Ordinary Member of the First Class or Knights Grand Cross, of the said Most Distinguished Order :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Arthur Henry McMahon, G.C.V.O., K.C.I.E., C.S.I., on his approaching retirement from the post of His Majesty's High Commissioner for Egypt.

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Second Supplement dated the 14th November 1916 to the London Gazette of the 14th November 1916, pages 11039, 11044 and 11059.

War Office,
14th November 1916.

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His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross on the undermentioned officers and warrant officers in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

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Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Gerald Michael Fitz-Gerald, Lancers, Indian Army.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led his squadron forward under heavy fire, capturing and holding an enemy position. Later he remained behind to rescue some wounded men. He displayed courage and determination throughout.

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Extract from Fifth Supplement dated 29th June 1916, page 6478 to the London Gazette of 27th June 1916.

MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonels :—

Major P. C. R Barclay, 122nd Rajputana Infantry, Indian Army, whilst employed as a General Staff Officer, 1st Grade. 14th May 1916.

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1575.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

29th November 1916.

Edwin Harold McBride Fenn, 112th Infantry.
Arthur Gosset Crawford, 84th Punjabis.

No. 1576.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Captains to be temporary Majors.

21st December 1916.

James Leslie Rose Weir, Political Department, attached 5th Cavalry.
Gordon Hathaway Teesdale Mackintosh, 5th Cavalry.

29th December 1916.

Charles Bertram Heyworth Mansfield, 8th Cavalry.

31st December 1916.

Edward Bomford L'Estrange, 79th Carnatic Infantry.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1577.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

Basil Whitaker. Dated 31st January 1916.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 1578.—Lieutenant-Colonel T. C. Browning, Indian Army, Supernumerary List, is granted increased staff pay at the rate of Rs. 500 per mensem; with effect from the 30th December 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1579.—The following promotions are made:—

Royal Artillery Depôt, Ambala.

Havildar Ghulam Qadir to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th July 1916; to complete the establishment.

9th Bhopal Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Jai Lal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th June 1916; to complete the establishment.

15th Ludhiana Sikhs.

Colour-Havildar Mewa Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th March 1916; to complete the establishment.

28th Punjabis.

Jemadar Ghulam Sarwar to be Subadar, with effect from the 13th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

34th Sikh Pioneers.

Subadar Natha Singh, *Bahadur*, I. O. M., to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 18th October 1916, and Havildar Pritam Singh (32nd Sikh Pioneers) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

92nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Juma Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 14th January 1916, and to rank next above Subadar Abdul Akbar, Jemadars Sher Singh, Partab Singh, and Khan Zaman to be Subadars, Havildars Kahar Singh, Mihan Singh, I. O. M., and Nadar Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st November 1916; to complete the establishment.

112th Infantry.

Jemadar Ramhet Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 21st July 1916; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Colour-Havildar Ghamandi Singh (112th Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 3rd November 1916 and Havildar Gena Rawat (122nd Rajputana Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th November 1916; to complete the establishment.

58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).

No. 1580.—In Army Department Notification No. 993, dated the 8th October 1915, *for* "Havildar Safaraz" *read* "Havildar Sarfaraz."

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1581.—Major Edward Surman Peck, M.B. (retired), whose re-employment was notified in Army Department Notification No. 149, dated the 11th February 1916, has been permitted to resign, with effect from the 4th March 191 ;

No. 1582.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned temporary Lieutenant is permitted to resign the service with effect from 11th December 1916 :—

Kaikhusra Bezonji Kanga.

REWARDS.

No. 1583.—In the list of officers awarded the Military Cross published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary, dated the 23rd December 1916, *insert* the name of Captain Herbert Bowater Vernon, Indian Army, *after* that of Captain F. E. Verney, The Devonshire Regiment.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Southern Provinces Mounted Rifles

No. 1584.—Leonard Ashmall Lampard to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 11th November 1916.

Second (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1585.—Captain Charles William Ives, V. D., resigns his commission and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated the 28th September 1916.

Captain Charles Henry Alexander Stuart resigns his commission. Dated the 16th November 1916.

East Coast Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1586.—Captain Hugh Aglionby Shore to be Major, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Lieutenant Arthur Rowan, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Lieutenant Frederick Adolphus Seager to be Captain, *vice* H. A. Shore, promoted. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Lieutenant Arthur Winfield Nightingale, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Lieutenant William Victor Duke to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Second Lieutenant Reynolds Lamont Lecky, seconded, to be Captain and to remain seconded. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Second Lieutenant Eric Alan Davis to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Second Lieutenant Bertie Millar Marriott to be Lieutenant, *vice* F. A. Seager, promoted. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Second Lieutenant James Tate, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Second Lieutenant Reginald Herbert Courtenay to be Lieutenant, *vice* W. V. Duke, promoted. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Second Lieutenant Herbert Rex Uzielli to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 8th June 1916.

Assam Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1587.—Major Arthur John Cooper, V. D., to be Commandant with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, *vice* R. S. Hawkins, V. D., transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated the 1st December 1916.

ORGANIZATION.

No. 1588.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the formation, with effect from the 1st January 1917, of a volunteer corps at Aden, to be designated the "Aden Volunteer Rifles."

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Delhi, the 29th December 1916.

LEAVE.

No. 62.—Engineer E. R. Abbott, R.I.M., has been granted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India an extension of leave till the 2nd March 1917.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 63.—The following provisional promotion is made in the Royal Indian Marine with effect from the 6th December 1916 :—

To be Lieutenant.

Sub-Lieutenant Phillip Antony Curtis.

No. 64.—The following promotion is made in the Royal Indian Marine with effect from the 6th December 1916 :—

To be Lieutenant.

Sub-Lieutenant Philip Armitage Mare.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 26th December 1916.

No. 265 E.-16.—Mr. Allan Selwood Hay is appointed to the Provincial Engineer Establishment of State Railways as an Assistant Engineer with effect from the 1st October 1916 and is posted to the North Western Railway.

The 27th December 1916.

No. 83 E.-16.—With the approval of the Secretary of State for India, Mr. Robert Walter Watts, Temporary Engineer, is appointed to the Imperial Engineer Service as an Assistant Engineer, and is posted to the North Western Railway.

Delhi, the 28th December 1916.

No. 1-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 147 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exempt the East Indian and the Bengal-Nagpur Railways from the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 42 of the said Act.

Simla, the 28th December 1916.

No. 1215-3 E.-16.—The undermentioned promotions and reversions in the Superintending Engineer classes, State Railways, are ordered.

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Howard, W. H. K.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	20th July 1916.
Farnivall, F.	Superintending Engineer, 3d class, sub. *pro tem.*	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Green, H. D.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, Officiating.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Sutherland, J.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary Supernumerary.	21st September 1916.
Smyth, Lieutenant-Colonel W. C., R. E.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Wilkinson, Major C. W., R. E.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.* Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Muter, Major R. S., R. E.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub *pro tem.* Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Richards, G.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.*	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	Ditto.
Stanton, W. C.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Lines, A.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, Officiating	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Harvey, F. J.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.*	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary	1st October 1916.
Wilkinson, Major C. W., R. E.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.* Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Muter, Major R. S., R.E.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.* Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Richards, G.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.*	Ditto.
Stanton, W. C.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Heap, J. H.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	4th October 1916.
Furnivall, F.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, sub. *pro tem*	Ditto.
Pakenham Walsh, A. R.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	14th October 1916.
Harvey, F. J.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.*	Ditto.
Hearn, Major G. R., R. E.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, sub. *pro tem.* Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Barnardiston, Major E., R.E.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, sub. *pro tem.* Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Lister, E. A. C.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, sub. *pro tem.*	Ditto.
Lines, A.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	Executive Engineer	30th October 1916.

Railway Board's notification No. 1215-2 E.—16, dated the 31st October 1916, is cancelled.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 25th December 1916.

No. 380-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations and additions shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 7183-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

Delete existing items Nos. 41 and 49.

Insert as item 41 the following, *viz.* :—

Articles.	Destinations.	Exceptions and Exemptions.
41. Hides (raw) . . .	All destinations except the United Kingdom, British Possessions and British Protectorates.	

No. 429-C. W. D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 8106-W.-II, dated the 2nd September 1916, *viz.* :—

ADDITIONS.

Foran, J. H. (Langkat Oil Company), Senggora.
Holck, H. Von (Siam Packing Company), Bangkok.
Langkat Oil Company (J. H. Foran), Senggora.
Maung San Myat, Bangkok.
Peng Hak Chieng (Tia Peng Ngee), Bangkok.
Prince Royal's College, Chiengmai.
Siam Packing Company (H. Von Holck), Bangkok.
Tia Peng Ngee (Peng Hak Chieng), Bangkok.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 30th December 1916.

No. 427-C. D.—Mr. W. W. Nind, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 2nd January 1917, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the leave.

EMIGRATION.

The 30th December 1916.

No. 12930-Emi.—In pursuance of Section 116-A, [illegible] of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901, as amended by the Assam Labour [illegible] Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1915, the Governor General in Council is pleased to [illegible] the election of Mr. R. Graham as a member of the Assam Labour Board, as [illegible] of the Indian Tea Association, Calcutta, and of the Indian Tea Association, [illegible] G. Turnbull, resigned.

POST AND TELEGRAPH [illegible]

The 30th [illegible]

No. 12851.—The following reversion in the grades of Postmasters-General is made with effect from the 16th December 1916 :—

Mr. P. G. Rogers, I.C.S., Postmaster-General, officiating in the 2nd grade, on combined leave, reverts to the 3rd grade.

CUSTOMS.

The 30th December 1916.

No. 12899-C. W.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

MAKING CERTAIN ADDITIONS TO AND AMENDMENTS IN THE LIST OF ARTICLES TO BE TREATED AS CONTRABAND OF WAR.

GEORGE R. I.

Whereas, on the 14th day of October, 1915, We did issue Our Royal Proclamation specifying the articles which it was Our intention to treat as contraband during the continuance of hostilities, or until We did give further public notice ; and

Whereas, on the 27th day of January, 1916, the 12th day of April, 1916, the 27th day of June, 1916, and the 3rd day of October, 1916, We did, by Our Royal Proclamations of those dates, make certain additions to and modifications in the said list of articles to be treated as contraband ; and

Whereas it is expedient to make certain further additions to the said list :

Now, THEREFORE, We do hereby declare, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, that during the continuance of the war or until We do give further public notice, the following articles will be treated as absolute contraband, in addition to those set out in Our Royal Proclamations aforementioned :—

Diamonds suitable for industrial purposes.

Silk in all forms and the manufactures thereof ; silk cocoons.

Artificial silk and the manufactures thereof.

Quillaia bark.

Zirconium, cerium, thorium, and all alloys and compounds thereof.

Zirconia and monazite sand.

And We do hereby further declare that, as from this date, the following amendments shall be made in Schedule I of Our Royal Proclamation of the 14th day of October, 1915, aforementioned :—

For item 4, "emery, corundum, natural and artificial (alundum), and carborundum in all forms," there shall be substituted "emery, corundum, carborundum, and all other abrasive materials whether natural or artificial, and the manufactures thereof."

And We do hereby further declare that, as from this date, the following amendments shall be made in Our Royal Proclamation of the 12th day of April, 1916, aforementioned :—

For "gold, silver, paper money, and all negotiable instruments and realisable securities," there shall be substituted "gold, silver, paper money, securities, negotiable instruments, cheques, drafts, orders, warrants, coupons, letters of credit delegation or advice, credit and debit notes, or other documents, which in themselves, or if completed, or if acted upon by the recipient, authorise, confirm, or give effect to the transfer of money, credit, or securities."

And We do hereby further declare that the following articles shall, as from this date be treated as conditional contraband in addition to those set out in Our Royal Proclamations aforementioned :—

Sponges, raw and prepared.

Glue, gelatine, and substances used in the manufacture thereof.

Empty barrels and casks of all kinds and their component parts.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Government of India

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall Summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 28th December 1916, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. Hardly any rain fell outside of the Bay Islands and Burma, and in the central parts of the country temperature was appreciably low, particularly at night.

A disturbance was approaching northern India from the west at the end of the week.

2. *Burma, including the Bay Islands.*—Nearly general rain fell in the Bay Islands and Upper Burma and local rain in Lower Burma on the 27th.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—There was a light fall at Sibsagar on the 27th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—The week was rainless.

Northwest India.—Weather was dry.

The Peninsula.—Negapatam had a light shower on the 21st.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows:—

24th December Port Blair 1·20″.

26th „ Mergui 1·12″.

27th „ Port Blair 2·14″, Table Island 1·03″, Tavoy 0·82″, Mandalay 0·66″, Lashio 0·72″, Bhamo 0·59″, Myitkyina 0·51″, and Maymyo 0·87″.

4. The rainfall of the week was more than 20 per cent in excess in the Bay Islands and Burma, and was in defect by 20 per cent or more over the rest of the country with the exception of Bengal, Chota Nagpur, Bihar, Sind, Rajputana and Gujarat, where the absence of rainfall is a normal feature at this time of year.

The rainfall from the 1st December to date is in excess by more than 20 per cent in Burma, and is within 20 per cent of the normal in Mysore. No rain usually falls during this period in Bihar, Sind and Gujarat; in the remaining divisions rainfall is 20 per cent or more in defect.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 28th December 1916.			Rainfall data from 1st December to 28th December 1916.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal. This week.	Percentage departure from normal. Last week.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bay Islands	4·9	1·2	+3·7	1·9	6·5	−1·6	−25	−100
Lower Burma	0·4	0	+0·4	0·5	0·3	+0·2	+67	−67
Upper Burma	0·4	0	+0·4	0·6	0·4	+0·2	+50	−50
Assam	0	0·1	−0·1	0·2	0·3	−0·1	−33	0
Bengal	0	0	0	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Orissa	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·4	−0·4	−100	−100
Chota Nagpur	0	0	0	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Bihar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
United Provinces, East	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·3	−0·3	−100	−100
United Provinces, West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·3	−0·3	−100	−100
Punjab, East and North	0	0·2	−0·2	0	0·4	−0·4	−100	−100
Punjab, South-West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·3	−0·3	−100	−100
Kashmir	0	0·5	−0·5	0·2	1·4	−1·2	−86	−78
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·4	−0·4	−100	−100
Baluchistan	0	0·2	−0·2	0·1	0·9	−0·8	−89	−86
Sind	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	−100
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Central India, West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Central India, East	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·3	−0·3	−100	−100
Berar	0	0·2	−0·2	0	0·6	−0·6	−100	−100
Central Provinces, West	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·4	−0·4	−100	−100
Central Provinces, East	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·2	−0·2	−100	−100
Konkan	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Bombay Deccan	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·3	−0·3	−100	−100
Hyderabad, North	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·3	−0·3	−100	−100
Hyderabad, South	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·1	−0·1	−100	0
Mysore	0	0·1	−0·1	0·5	0·5	0	0	+25
Malabar	0	0·2	−0·2	0·3	1·3	−1·0	−77	−78
Madras, South-East	0	1·0	−1·0	2·3	4·3	−2·0	−47	−30
Madras Deccan	0	0·1	−0·1	0	0·4	−0·4	−100	−100
Madras Coast, North	0	0·2	−0·2	0·3	1·4	−1·1	−79	−75

GILBERT T. WALKER,

Director General of Observatories.

Dated the 28th December 1916.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 23rd December 1916.

Burma.—No rain fell during the week. Reaping of winter rice is progressing in Upper Burma. Sowing of pulses and miscellaneous island crops and cultivation of spring rice are proceeding. Gathering of groundnut and plucking of cotton is nearly completed. Standing crops are good. Cattle are healthy. The price of unhusked rice (new crop) is Rs. 100 per hundred baskets and is almost normal.

Assam.—The weather during the week was seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continues and its outturn is good. Plucking and manufacturing of tea have been finished and pruning is in progress. Pressing of sugarcane and plucking of cotton continue and harvesting of pulses has commenced. Prospects of sugarcane, pluses and cotton are fair to good. Insects are causing damage to rice in Nowgong. Fodder is insufficient in parts of Sylhet. Cattle disease is reported from four districts. The price of common rice has again fallen slightly.

Bengal.—No rain fell during the week. Harvesting of winter rice is in full swing and sowing of spring crops is nearly completed. The prospects of standing crops are generally reported to be fairly good. Cattle disease exists in three districts. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 1·3 per cent. as compared with that of the preceding week.

Bihar and Orissa.—The week was rainless. Harvesting of paddy continues. Pressing of sugarcane is in progress. Standing crops are doing well. The average price of common rice has fallen as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from thirteen districts. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—The week was rainless. Need for rain is beginning to be felt in parts of north and west of the province. Irrigation of spring crops, irrigation and weeding of poppy and pressing of, and preparation of land for, sugarcane continue. Standing crops are doing well and prospects continue to be favourable. Agricultural stock is in good condition and there is very little cattle disease. Fodder and water are sufficient. Markets are full. The general level of prices remains practically unchanged with a fall in thirteen districts and a rise in five.

Punjab.—The weather during the week remained dry; rain is wanted for spring crops everywhere. Pressing of sugarcane and picking of cotton are in progress. The yield is generally normal to good. Standing sugarcane, cotton, wheat and other spring crops are generally in good condition. Late sowings of irrigated wheat continue in a few districts and are normal or above normal. Germination is good. *Toria* is being harvested. The yield is generally normal. Cattle are healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary and range between normal and scarcity rates. Prices of wheat:—Ambala 8⅞, Lahore and Rawalpindi 9, Ferozepore 9¾ and Lyallpur 10 seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—The week was rainless; rain is badly required for autumn sowings in the Peshawar and Dera Ismail Khan districts. The weather is cold. The condition of standing irrigated and unirrigated crops is average in the whole province. Sowing of spring and harvesting of autumn crops are proceeding. The outturn of latter is reported to be above average in the Peshawar district and average in the Bannu district. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is not running. Public health is good but malarial fever is still prevalent in Peshawar though decreasing. Prices of food stuffs are high but falling in the case of wheat and barley and rising in the case of gram in the Peshawar district. In the Dera Ismail Khan district the price of gram is slightly falling while that of wheat is rising.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell in some parts. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8¼ to 14 and maize from 15 to 24 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is good. Cattle disease still prevails in the Ranbirsinghpura tahsil. Fodder is sufficient.

Kashmir.—The week was rainless. Spring sowings are in progress. Cattle are generally healthy and water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are normal.

Rajputana.—The weather is cold and clear. Standing crops are good. Sowing and irrigation of spring crops continue. Prospects are good. The condition of agricultural stock is healthy except in one place in Kotah and some villages of Ajmer-Merwara where cattle disease is reported to be prevalent. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are rising in Dungarpur, Banswara, Jhalawar and Jaipur; falling in Shahpura, Kotah, Kishangarh, Karauli and Merwara and stationary elsewhere.

Central India.—The weather is clear and cold. Harvesting of autumn and sowing of spring crops continue. Standing crops and their probable outturn are fair to good. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are rising in Bhopal and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—No rain fell during the week. The weather remains clear and cool. Harvesting and threshing of autumn crops and picking of cotton continue. Sowing of spring crops is nearly completed and prospects are all that can be desired. Fodder and water are sufficient and agricultural stock is thriving. Variations in prices are unimportant.

Feudatory States:—Standing crops are in good condition.

Bombay.—Standing crops are thriving but have been slightly damaged by frost in two talukas of Larkana and by locusts in two talukas of Nawabshah. Autumn harvesting generally continues. Spring sowing is progressing in parts of Sind and Gujarat. Cotton picking continues in Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Nawabshah, Khandesh, Ahmednagar, Sholapur and Kathiawar. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is generally sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation purposes is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains have slightly fallen in Sind and Deccan and are generally steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—There was no rain during the week. Autumn and early rice crops are being harvested; the latter is suffering from blight in parts of the Medak and Karimnagar districts. Groundnuts are being picked. Spring crops are being weeded. Germination is satisfactory. Cattle disease prevails in fourteen taluqs. Prices of food grains are almost constant. The highest price of *jawari* in districts is 8 seers per rupee in Warangal and the lowest 26 seers per rupee in Usmanabad.

Mysore.—No rain fell during the week. The price of rice has fallen in Mysore and of *ragi* in Chitaldroog and of rice and *ragi* in Tumkur. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of harvested paddy, *ragi*, sugarcane and cotton is fair to normal. The prospects of season are generally good. Cattle are healthy in the greater part of the State and water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—The condition of the rice crop is good. Picking of cardamom and coffee continues. Prices of food grains are high. Public health is fair. Cattle disease is prevailing in parts. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—No rain fell during the week; it is required in the southern districts. Standing crops are fair to good generally except in parts of two districts where they have been affected by floods or cyclone and in parts of three others where they are withering or have withered for want of rain. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. Water supply is insufficient in parts of Kurnool, Anantapur, South Arcot, Chittoor, North Arcot and Southern parts and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is sufficient. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Delhi, the 29th December 1916.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 23rd December 1916 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI	...	......	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND.	Northern	Bombay City	15	12
		Ahmedabad City	3	2
		Kaira District	36	21
		Surat Town and Port	46	41
		Surat District	12	6
		Broach Port	...	1*
		Bhiwandi Port	2	2
	Central	Ahmednagar District	552	422
		West Khandesh District	524	384
		East Khandesh District	200	150
		Poona Town	97	80
		Poona District	764	641
		Nasik District	283	238
		Satara District	549	385
		Sholapur Town	265	203
		Sholapur District	613	486
	Southern	Pen Port	5	4
		Kolaba District	1	1
		Belgaum District	381	225
		Hubli Town	99	86
		Dharwar District	435	265
		Kanara District	2	1
		Bijapur District	380	267
	Sind	Karachi Town and Port	1	1
	Political Charges.	Baroda State	16	22
		Mangrol Port	2	...
		Kathiawar Agency	19	13
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	438	321
		Satara Agency	18	10
		Bijapur Agency	4	5
		Savanur State	7	5
		Akalkot State	13	9
		Bhor State	85	59
		TOTAL	5,888	4,368

* Imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MADRAS PRESIDENCY.	...	Madras City	...	1(d)
		Anantapur District	12(a)	5(d)
		Bellary District	122	88(d)
		Chittoor District	1	...
		Coimbatore District	394(d)	287(b)
		Mangalore Port	3	8
		Kurnool District	3(c)	8(c)
		Salem Town	42	34
		Salem District	109(e)	69(c)
		North Arcot District	220(f)	129(e)
		Madura District	20	20(a)
		TOTAL	926	618
BENGAL PRESIDENCY.	...	......	...	...
BIHAR AND ORISSA.	Patna	Patna City	7	7
		Patna District	47	50
		Gaya District	21	8
		Shahabad District	110	75
	Tirhut	Saran District	270	203
		Champaran District	1	1
		Muzaffarpur District	26	23
		Darbhanga District	42	23
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	180	133
		Bhagalpur Town	2	2
		Bhagalpur District	32	23
		TOTAL	738	558
UNITED PROVINCES.	Meerut	Saharanpur District	4	4
		Muzaffarnagar District	11	6
	Rohilkhand	Moradabad District	1	1
		Pilibhit District	*	*
	Allahabad	Cawnpore City	*	*
		Cawnpore District	*	*
		Fatehpur District	*	*
		Allahabad District	169	169
	Jhansi	Jalaun	4	2
	Benares	Benares District	*	*
		Jaunpur District	*	*
		Ghazipur District	371	167
	Gorakhpur	Ballia District	232	203
		Gorakhpur District	145	53
		Basti District	57	43
		Azamgarh District	187	167
	Lucknow	Unao District	*	*
		Rae Bareli District	78	61
		Sitapur District	9	5
		Hardoi District	12	12
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	*	*
		Gonda District	46	43
		Sultanpur District	22	22
		Partabgarh District	*	*
		Bara Banki District	*	*
		TOTAL	1,348	961

(a) One imported. (b) Two imported. (c) Three imported. (d) Four imported. (e) Five imported. (f) Eight imported.

In the return for the week ending 9th December 1916, against Salem District, *for* 52 deaths *read* 48 deaths.

In the return for the week ending 9th December 1916, against Bhagalpur District, *read* 63 cases, 29 deaths *for* 2 cases, 1 death.

In the return for the week ending 9th December 1916, *add* Bhagalpur Town 2 cases, 1 death, and Patna City, 3 cases, 3 deaths.

In the return for the week ending 9th December 1916, against Ballia District, read 191 deaths *for* 190 deaths.

In the return for the week ending 9th December 1916, *add* the following :—

	Cases.	Deaths.
Moradabad District	1	1
Benares District	37	28
Ghazipur District	308	154
Basti District	35	33
Azamgarh District	147	122
Lucknow District	2	2
Rai Bareli District	36	42
Hardoi District	18	12
Fyzabad District	4	2
Partabgarh District	12	9

*Report not received.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB.	Ambala	Ambala District	12	12
	Jullundur	Ludhiana District	10	5
	Lahore	Gurdaspur District	10	4
	Rawalpindi	Rawalpindi District	1	2
	Native States.	Jind State	3	1
		TOTAL	36	24
BURMA.	Pegu	Rangoon Town	8	8
		Tharrawaddy District	25	25
		Pegu District	1	...
		Prome District	28	28
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	2	2
		Henzada District	7	6
		Maubin District	2	2
	Tenasserim.	Toungoo District	1	...
		Thaton District	1	1
	Magwe	Magwe District	6	3
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	1	1
	Meiktila	Kyaukse District	9	7
		Yamethin District	14	13
		Myingyan District	13	11
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	3	3
		TOTAL	121	110
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nagpur	Nagpur Town	86	84
		Nagpur District	432	338
		Bhandara District	22	17
		Wardha District	99	75
		Chanda District	5	5
		Balaghat Town	3	3
	Jubbulpore.	Jubbulpore Town	26	22
		Jubbulpore District	4	4
	Nerbudda	Nimar District	203	185
		Betul District	8	2
		Chindwara District	1	...
	Chhatisgarh.	Raipur Town	4	1
		Bilaspur Town	27	25
	Berar	Amraoti District	90	75
		Yeotmal District	49	37
		Akola District	226	164
		Buldana District	231	88
		TOTAL	1,516	1,125
ASSAM	...		...	...
COORG	...	Coorg	...	...

In the return for the week ending 9th December 1916, against Buldana District, *for* 166 cases *read* 167 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE.	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	51	43
		Bangalore City	38	35
		Bangalore District	97	82
		Mysore City	20	15
		Mysore District	59	41
		Hassan District	21	16
		Kadur District	20	12
		Shimoga District	38	21
		Chitaldroog District	47	31
		Tumkur District	8	7
		Kolar Gold Fields	19	17
		Kolar District	32	23
		TOTAL	450	343
HYDERABAD STATE.	...	Aurangabad District	404	365
		Bir District	165	122
		Parbhani District	192	156
		Nander District	209	155
		Gulbarga District	168	146
		Raichur District	59	35
		Usmanabad District	31	11
		Atrafibaldah Sarf-i-Khas District	115	102
		Bidar District	17	16
		Medak District	60	58
		Mahbubnagar	11	7
		Nalgonda District	28	18
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	934	792
		TOTAL	2,393 (a)	1,983 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA.	...	Indore City	157	99
		Indore Residency Bazars	11	4
		Indore State	8	4
		Dhar State	3	1
		Bagli State	1	2
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	38	29
		Mhow Cantonment	7	8
		TOTAL	225 (b)	147 (b)
RAJPUTANA.	...	Ajmer District	9	8
		TOTAL	9	8
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......	...	...
BALUCHISTAN.	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	18,650	10,245

(a) From the 11th to the 17th December 1916.
(b) For the week ending 9th December 1916.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

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PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller-General, etc.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 10th October 1916.

On and after 18th November and until further notice, Parts I, IV, V and VI of the *Gazette of India* and the Weather and Crop Report will be published in Delhi. Parts II and III will continue to be published in Calcutta. All notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts should be addressed to the Publisher at Delhi and Calcutta, respectively.

Attention is invited to the following Circular Memorandum of the Government of India, Home Department, of August 1901:—

"It has been brought to the notice of this Department that matter for the *Gazette of India* is sometimes sent to the Press late on Friday evenings for publication in the next day's *Gazette* and that this involves considerable inconvenience to the Press and expense to Government. In the Circular Memorandum of this Department, No. 777—79, dated 9th February 1870, the Government of India directed that all notifications or other matter intended for insertion in the *Gazette of India* should be delivered at the Press not later than 2 P.M. on Friday, and that any papers sent thereafter must be certified to be extremely urgent in order to ensure their appearance in the next day's *Gazette*. The undersigned is directed to request that these orders may be more strictly observed in future, and that Departments will refrain from sending to the Press as extremely urgent any papers which can without harm or inconvenience be held over for the next *Gazette*.

J. P. HEWETT,
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O. F. JENKINS,
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For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	23 „

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	R
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For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 „

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	R
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NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 10th June 1908.

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E. ATKINSON, LIEUT.-COL., R.E.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

NOTICE.

An examination for first and second class Coal Mine Manager's Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a canditlate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad, E. I. Ry., and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 21st January 1917.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and *ex-officio* President of the Board of Examiners.

DHANBAD;
20th October 1916.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Receipts in the North-West Frontier Province for October 1916 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1916-17.

Revenue and Receipts.	Budget Estimate for 1916-17.			Receipts in October 1916.	Receipts from 1st April to 31st October 1916.		
	Imperial.	Special.	Total.		Imperial.	Special.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Land Revenue	...	22,27,000	22,27,000	6,698	...	10,36,862	10,36,862
II.—Opium	...	49,000	49,000	4,460	...	29,447	29,447
IV.—Stamps	...	6,84,000	6,84,000	46,793	...	3,83,808	3,83,808
V.—Excise	...	3,19,000	3,19,000	26,127	...	2,02,801	2,02,801
VI.—Provincial Rates	...	2,000	2,000	779	...	1,314	1,314
VII.—Customs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
VIII.—Income Tax	6,000	2,12,000	2,18,000	39,405	3,459	1,12,921	1,16,380
IX.—Forest	...	2,21,000	2,21,000	73,552	...	1,27,236	1,27,236
X.—Registration	...	44,000	44,000	2,585	...	26,537	26,537
XI.—Tribute from Native States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XII.—Interest	30,000	...	30,000	817	17,293	...	17,293
XVIA.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	...	1,50,000	1,50,000	15,642	...	1,52,413	1,52,413
XVIB.— Ditto —Jails	...	45,000	45,000	2,009	...	25,148	25,148
XVII.—Police	...	49,000	49,000	1,114	...	16,762	16,762
XIX.—Education	...	24,000	24,000	2,075	...	1,41,119	1,41,119
XX.—Medical	...	8,000	8,000	5,793	...	6,344	6,344
XXIA.—Agriculture	...	6,000	6,000	...	...	560	560
XXIB.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	...	1,000	1,000	367	...	387	387
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation, etc.	...	21,000	21,000	3,002	...	15,722	15,722
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing	...	23,000	23,000	6	...	11,340	11,340
XXV.—Miscellaneous	...	1,23,000	1,23,000	18,095	...	49,206	49,206
XXIX.—Irrigation—Major Works—Direct Receipts	5,37,000	4,13,000	9,50,000	36,028	2,81,624	2,81,624	5,63,248
XXX.—Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXXI.—Civil Works	...	1,50,000	1,50,000	11,417	...	80,560	80,560
Total Revenue and Receipts	5,73,000	47,71,000	53,44,000	2,96,704	3,02,376	27,02,111	30,04,487
Add—Debt Accounts	...	...	...	96,54,538	...	...	5,79,17,658
Total	...	...	...	99,51,242	...	...	6,09,22,145
Opening Cash Balance	...	...	...	(b)26,13,450	...	...	(a)24,36,019
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	1,25,64,692	...	...	6,33,58,164

(a) On 1st April 1916. (b) On 1st October 1916.

W. ALDER,
Accountant-General, Punjab.

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,
LAHORE;
The 20th December 1916.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Expenditure in the North-West Frontier Province for October 1916 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1916-17.

EXPENDITURE.	BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1916-17.			Disbursement in October 1916.	DISBURSEMENT FROM 1ST APRIL TO 31ST OCTOBER 1916.		
	Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.		Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.—Refunds and Drawbacks	10,000	10,000	20,000	967	8,257	8,258	16,515
2.—Assignments and Compensations	9,000	9,000	18,000	188	4,641	4,640	9,281
3.—Land Revenue	3,90,000	2,99,000	6,89,000	71,974	2,30,801	1,67,497	3,98,298
6.—Stamps	12,000	12,000	24,000	1,181	6,040	6,040	12,080
7.—Excise	9,000	9,000	18,000	1,150	4,028	4,028	8,056
10.—Income Tax	1,000	...	1,000	63	230	231	461
11.—Forest	59,000	60,000	1,19,000	6,585	23,262	23,263	46,525
12.—Registration	6,000	6,000	12,000	896	3,582	3,581	7,163
13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14.—Interest on other obligations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18.—General Administration	2,61,000	1,20,000	3,81,000	25,777	1,38,244	59,509	1,97,753
19A.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	4,20,000	2,25,000	6,45,000	54,580	2,56,002	1,27,617	3,83,619
19B.— Ditto —Jails	1,37,000	1,37,000	2,74,000	25,703	86,977	86,978	1,73,955
20.—Police	10,85,000	10,86,000	21,71,000	1,73,722	6,25,010	6,25,009	12,50,019
22.—Education	2,72,000	2,72,000	5,44,000	22,620	1,99,422	1,99,421	3,98,843
23.—Ecclesiastical	54,000	...	54,000	3,703	26,764	...	26,764
24.—Medical	2,25,000	2,08,000	4,33,000	46,859	81,600	77,455	1,59,055
25.—Political	20,26,000	18,37,000	38,63,000	2,71,623	10,27,330	9,45,864	19,73,194
26A.—Agriculture	47,000	47,000	94,000	8,482	18,549	18,549	37,098
26B.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	5,000	6,000	11,000	661	2,145	2,144	4,289
27.—Territorial and Political Pensions	61,000	...	61,000	4,764	34,224	...	34,224
28.—Civil, Furlough and Absentee Allowances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29.—Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	98,000	97,000	1,95,000	17,179	52,472	52,473	1,04,945
30.—Stationery and Printing	62,000	62,000	1,24,000	5,266	26,709	26,709	53,418
32.—Miscellaneous	21,000	20,000	41,000	3,205	12,262	12,262	24,524
33.—Famine Relief	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36.—Reduction or Avoidance of Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42.—Major Works—Working Expenses	12,17,000	2,83,000	15,00,000	58,570	1,52,510	1,52,509	3,05,019
43.—Minor Works and Navigation	32,000	32,000	64,000	560	6,091	6,092	12,183
45.—Civil Works	12,09,000	12,03,000	24,12,000	4,51,217	4,72,068	4,72,068	9,44,136
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	77,28,000	60,40,000	1,37,68,000	12,57,505	34,99,220	30,82,197	65,81,417
Add— Debt Accounts	...	...	...	86,68,870	...	...	5,41,38,430
TOTAL	...	...	...	99,26,375	...	...	6,07,19,847
Balance on 31st October 1916	...	...	...	26,38,317	...	...	26,38,317
GRAND TOTAL	...	..	...	1,25,64,692	...	...	6,33,58,164

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB;
LAHORE,
The 20th December 1916.

W. ALDER,
Accountant-General, Punjab.

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OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTICE.

Quetta, the 5th December 1916.

No. 3894.—Tenders are hereby invited for the contract to manufacture spirit of the strengths of 10° and 20° underproof (flavoured and plain) at the Quetta Government Distillery, for a period of two years from the 1st April 1917 to the 31st March 1919.

2. The total issue of country spirit from the Quetta Distillery during recent years has been :—

Year.	QUANTITY IN GALLONS.			
	10° UNDERPROOF.		20° UNDERPROOF.	
	Plain.	Flavoured.	Plain.	Flavoured.
1914-15.	9,383	14,262	6,442	260
1915-16.	10,427	16,573	6,492	125
1st April to 30th September 1916.	4,921	8,585	3,740	34

3. Each tender must be sealed, and addressed to the Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan, and must be accompanied by a deposit of rupees one thousand. The cover containing the tender should be superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive right to manufacture country spirit at the Quetta Distillery", and should be sent so as to reach the Revenue Commissioner at Quetta before 12 o'clock noon on the 29th day of January 1917, after which no tender will be considered. The deposits of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned.

4. For full particulars and the form of tender apply to the Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan, Quetta.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 23rd December 1916.

No. 4022-R.—In accordance with rule 10 of the rules for the grant of licenses to prospect for minerals and of mining leases published in the Resolution of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 7552—7581—121, dated the 15th September 1913, it is hereby notified that in exercise of the power conferred on him by rule 19 of Honourable the Agent to the Governor-General's order No. 4695-R. M., dated the 31st December 1915, the Revenue Commissioner is pleased to renew the certificates of approval granted to (i) Khan Bahadur Burjorjee D. Patel, C.I.E., of Quetta, and (ii) Mr. Tikamdass Girdharidass of Quetta under the abovementioned rules.

A. B. DEW, Lieut.-Col.,
Offg. Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan.

COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

FORM B.

Notice under Section 6 of the Talukdars Loan Regulation (II of 1911).

Whereas Kamdar, Kharwa estate in Ajmer-Merwara has applied on behalf of the estate for a loan under this Regulation, all persons having claims against Thakur Gopal Singh, Istimrardar of Kharwa, or his immoveable property are called upon to submit a statement of the same in writing in Form C below, to the Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara, within 6 months from the date of the publication of this notice.

Every claim against the said Thakur or his immoveable property (other than a claim on the part of the Government) not submitted to the Commissioner in compliance with this notice, shall, save in the cases provided for by Sections 6 and 13 of the Indian Limitation Act, 1908, be deemed for all purposes and on all occasions to have been duly discharged, unless in any suit or proceeding instituted by the claimant or by any person claiming under him in respect of any such claim, it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that he was unable to comply with the directions contained in this notice.

Every claim so admitted by the Court shall, notwithstanding any Law, Contract, decree or award to the contrary, cease to carry interest after the expiry of 6 months from the date of the publication of this notice.

2. With effect from the date of the publication of this notice, the consequences prescribed in Sections 7, 8, 16, 17 and 18 of the Regulation, a copy of which is published herewith, shall also ensue.

Copy of Sections 7, 8, 16, 17 and 18.

7. With effect from the date of the publication of a notice under Section 6, Sub-Section (1), the following consequences shall ensue, namely :—

(*a*) the applicant shall be incompetent to transfer or create any charge on, or interest in, his property or any part thereof, or to enter into a contract which may involve him in any pecuniary liability ; and

(*b*) all suits and proceedings in any Civil Court in respect of any claim against the applicant shall be stayed, and no fresh suit or proceeding shall be instituted in respect of any such claim in any Civil Court.

8. Nothing in Section 7, clause (*a*), shall—

(*a*) apply to debts due for liabilities incurred to Government,

(*b*) apply to debts or liabilities which are incurred for necessaries for the maintenance of the applicant or his family, or for the due observance of funeral and other ceremonies to the extent approved by the Commissioner, or

(*c*) affect the capacity of the applicant to enter into a contract of marriage,

provided that he shall not incur in connection with such contract of marriage any pecuniary liability except such as the Commissioner, having regard to the personal law to which he is subject, and his rank and circumstances, may, in writing, declare to be reasonable.

16. (1) No suit shall be brought in any Civil Courts against any Talukdar upon any promise made after he has repaid a loan under this Regulation, to pay any debt contracted during the period between the grant and the repayment of such loan, or upon any ratification made after such loan has been repaid of any promise or contract made during such period, whether there is or is not any new consideration for such promise or ratification.

(2) Nothing in Sub-Section (1) shall apply to the debts or liabilities specified in Section 8.

17. (1) If any Talukdar to whom a loan has been granted under this Regulation—

(*a*) infringes any condition imposed under Section 13, Sub-Section (1), clause (*b*), or

(*b*) attempts to do any act, which, under Section 7, clause (*a*), he is incompetent to do,

the Chief Commissioner may by order in writing declare such Talukdar to be disqualified from managing his own property, and such Talukdar shall be deemed to be a landholder who is disqualified to manage his own property within the meaning of the Ajmer Government Wards Regulations, 1888, and the Court of Wards shall thereupon assume the superintendence of the property of such Talukdar.

(2) The Court of Wards shall withdraw its superintendence from any property of which it has assumed superintendence under Sub-Section (1) as soon as all instalments of the loan have been repaid to Government with the interest thereon.

18. In each of the following cases, namely :—

(a) when a loan made under Section 13 has been repaid to Government with the interest thereon, or

(b) when the amount so lent with interest has been recovered by the management of the property under Section 17, or

(c) when an order rejecting an application has been passed under Section 13, the Commissioner shall notify, in the *Gazette of India* and in such other manner as the Chief Commissioner may, by special or general order, direct, that the Talukdar has ceased to be subject to the disabilities mentioned in Section 7, with effect from the date of the publication of such notification.

C. C. WATSON,

Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

DATED AJMER,

The 13th December 1916.

FORM C.

Under Section 9 of the Ajmer Talukdars Loan Regulation (II of 1911).

Name of creditor with caste and residence.	Name and title of debtor.	Amount of loan advanced, and date of advancement thereof.	Rate of interest.	Amount received.		Balance due.		Reference to bonds or khatas.	Remarks.
				Principal.	Interest.	Principal.	Interest.		

Signature of Creditor.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 16TH TO 22ND DECEMBER 1916.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	COINAGE OF BRITISH INDIA GOVERNMENT COINS. Receipts. Purchased silver.	Receipts. Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Receipts. Native State coins.	Receipts. Total.	Coinage. New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	Coinage. New rupees made over to Native State.	Coinage. Total.	Balance of Bullion and Coin. New coin ready for delivery.	Balance of Bullion and Coin. Currency Bullion.	Balance of Bullion and Coin. Other Government Bullion.	Balance of Bullion and Coin. Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Balance of Bullion and Coin. Total.	Coinage for Egyptian Government. Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Coinage for Egyptian Government. Piastres coined and paid over.	Coinage for Egyptian Government. Closing balance of Bullion.	Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government. Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government. Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government. Closing balance.
Calcutta	24	1	...	25	25	...	25	10	(a) 18	23	1	52	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	32	1	...	33	43	...	43	...	(b) 110	2	1	113	9	9	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 116 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(b) Exclusive of 39 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, LT.-COLONEL, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT;
Calcutta, the 28th December 1916.

SENIOR GOVERNMENT INSPECTOR OF RAILWAYS, CIRCLE NO. 7.

NOTIFICATION.

Madras, the 18th December 1916.

No. 551. All communications intended for the combined office of the Senior and Junior Government Inspectors of Railways, Circle No. 7, Madras, should, from 1st January 1917, be addressed to "Lloyd's Road, Royapettah, Madras."

A. ROWLAND,
Senior Government Inspector.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 8th December 1916.

No. 8183-*C. & I.*—The following draft amendment, which it is proposed to make in the rules made under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, which were issued in Punjab Government Notification No. 90, dated 15th February 1909, is published for criticism. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th January 1917, together with any remarks or suggestions received on or before that date :—

Draft amendment.

In rule I, Part I, of the said rules, add :—

"(b) 'District Magistrate' includes in cases where the Local Government so directs 'Additional District Magistrate' in respect of such areas as it may so order."

The 21st December 1916.

No. 8526-*Home.*—The following return of births and deaths registered at the under-mentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 16th December 1916 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi . .	225,471	107	98	205	58	52	110	...	...	...	39	7	45	1	18	...	14	19	33	47·28	25·37
	Notified Area	3,673	2	2	4	2	3	5	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	56·62	70·78
	Total .	229,144	109	100	209	60	55	115	...	...	...	43	8	45	1	18	...	14	20	34	47·42	26·10

The 23rd December 1916.

No. 8583-*C. & I.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (1 of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, and in supersession of notification No. 2225-C. & I., dated the 1st April 1916, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to direct that no exciseable article, exceeding the quantity for the time being declared to be the limit of retail sale, shall be imported, exported or transported, except under a pass issued in accordance with the rules for the time being in force in the Delhi Province for such imports, exports and transports, and, with reference to the first proviso to the said section, the Chief Commissioner is pleased further to direct that the foregoing prohibition shall apply to all duty-paid foreign spirit manufactured in India.

No. 8595-C. & I.—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in the Delhi Province are published for information :—

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the head-quarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending 15th December 1916. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82⅐ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs.	A.	P.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs.	A.	P.
Rice, unhusked	2	4	0	Cotton seed	2	15	0
,, husked	5	8	0	Ghi	59	8	0
Wheat	4	11	0	Flour (Wheat)	5	0	0
Barley	3	3	0	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8	0	0
Oats	...			Turmeric (unground)	18	0	0
Jowár	2	14	0	Salt	2	0	0
Bajra	2	14	0	Raw Hides (Cow)	80	0	0
Maize	2	14	0	Bran	2	4	0
Gram	3	3	0	Grass (dry)	1	0	0
Arhar Dál	4	4	0	Bhusa (white)	1	2	0
Linseed	6	0	0	Jowár Stalks	0	8	0
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4	12	0	Bengal Coal	0	10	0
Poppy-seed	...			Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand)	2	4	6
Til (jinjili seed)	6	6	0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	(a)250	0	0
Sugar (raw), Gur — Lawae	7	0	0	Sheep, per score	80	0	0
Sugar (raw), Gur — Desi	6	4	0				
Cotton (cleaned)	26	0	0	Bejhar	3	3	0

The increase in rates is generally due to market fluctuations.

(a) The increase in prices is due to export.

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 15th December 1916.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee. Srs.	Chts.	ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee. Srs.	Chts.
Wheat	8	4	Maize	13	8
Barley	12	0	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	9	0
Rice — Best sort	3	0	Firewood	60	0
Rice — Common sort	5	0	Salt — Wholesale	19	0
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum)	13	8	Salt — Retail	17	0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum)	13	8	Gur — Lawae	5	4
			Gur — Desi	6	0
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)	...		Cotton (unginned)	4	0
Kangni (Setaria Italica)	...		Bejhar	12	0
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	12	0			

The increase in rates is generally due to market fluctuations.

No. 8617-*Education*.—In accordance with the provisions of Section 24 of the Punjab Municipal Act, III of 1911, it is hereby notified that the following person is appointed under Section 12 of the said Act a member of the Municipal Committee, Delhi, in the province of Delhi:—

Muhammad Islam Ullah Khan *vice* Dr. M. A. Ansari, M.D., resigned.

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATION.

Rajputana Agency Camp, the 22nd December 1916.

No. 1338-*C*.—1147.—Munshi Harbilas Sarda, Judge, Small Cause Court, Ajmer, is granted privilege leave for 40 days with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

2. Munshi Madan Gopal, Registrar, Small Cause Court, Ajmer, is appointed to officiate as Judge, Small Cause Court, Ajmer, during the absence of Munshi Harbilas Sarda on leave or until further orders.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 22nd December 1916.

No. 4010-*R*.—Mr. B. C. Fernandes, an Extra Assistant Commissioner and Registrar of the office of the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

No. 4011-*R*.—Bhai Kabul Singh, *s. p. t.* Superintendent of the office of the Revenue Commissioner and Registrar of the Court of the Judicial Commissioner in Baluchistan, is appointed to officiate as an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 5th grade and Extra Assistant Commissioner and Registrar of the office of the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

The 23rd December 1916.

No. 4027-*R*.—Khan Sahib N. Muhammad Gul Khan, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 5th grade and Extra Assistant Commissioner, Barkhan, is suspended with effect from the forenoon of the 1st December 1916.

No. 4028-*R*.—M. Hurmat Ali Shah, a Tahsildar of the 3rd (provisional 2nd) grade and Tahsildar, Barkhan, is appointed to hold charge of the current duties of the office of the Extra Assistant Commissioner, Barkhan, in addition to his own duties with effect from the forenoon of the 1st December 1916.

No. 4052-*R*.—Rai Sahib L. Bhola Nath, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 5th grade and Extra Assistant Commissioner, Lower Zhob, is granted privilege leave for one month and 15 days with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

No. 4053-*R*.—L. Moti Ram, a Tahsildar of the 3rd grade and Tahsildar, Killa Saifulla, is appointed to officiate as an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 5th grade and is posted as Extra Assistant Commissioner, Lower Zhob, with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 19th December 1916.

No. 3967-*R*.— In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 24 of the Excise Regulation, 1915 (I of 1915), as in force in the territories administered by the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan as such Agent, the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to direct that on and after the 1st April 1917, the following shall be the rates of still-head duty to be paid in respect of spirit removed from the distillery at Quetta:—

(1) For consumption in the Quetta Town:—

10° U. P.	Rs. 6-3	per gallon.
20° U. P.	Rs. 5-8	do.

(2) For supplies in bond for consumption in the Nasirabad and Railway Sub-Division:—

10° U. P.	Rs. 3-15	per gallon.
20° U. P.	Rs. 3-8	do.

(3) For consumption in all other areas:—

10° U. P.	Rs. 5-1	per gallon.
20° U. P.	Rs. 4-8	do.

Provided—

(I) that, in the case of spirit issued from the distillery direct to special permit holders still-head duty shall be levied at Rs. 6-12 and Rs. 6 per gallon of spirit 10° and 20° U. P. respectively; and

(II) that, in the case of spirit 20° U. P. specially manufactured for and issued direct from the distillery to Indian troops, still-head duty shall be levied at Rs. 4-8 per gallon.

No. 3968-*R*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 62 (2) (*g*) of the Excise Regulation, 1915 (I of 1915), as in force in the territories administered by the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan as such Agent, the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to prescribe the following procedure for the payment of still-head duty leviable in respect of spirit removed from the distillery at Quetta:—

1. In the case of spirit transported in bond for consumption in the Nasirabad and Railway Sub-Division, the still-head duty shall be leviable before the spirit is removed from the bonded warehouse at Jhatpat and not at the time of its removal from the distillery at Quetta. In all other cases the still-head duty shall be paid before spirit is removed from the distillery.

2. The still-head duty leviable shall be paid into the Quetta Treasury, or the most convenient sub-treasury, or where there is no sub-treasury to the person duly appointed to receive it by the Political Agent or Deputy Commissioner of the district. No payment shall, however, be received for the issue of spirit in quantities of less than 5 gallons at a time from the distillery at Quetta, or less than 2 gallons at a time from the bonded warehouse at Jhatpat, nor for a fraction of a gallon.

3. The presentation of a receipt in the subjoined form, at the distillery at Quetta or the bonded warehouse at Jhatpat, shall be a sufficient authority for the issue of the spirit covered by such receipt.

The Receipt Form.

Receipt for duty on country spirit to be removed from the Quetta Distillery. / Jhatpat Bonded Warehouse.

No. Date.

Received from ________________________ the sum of Rs. ________________ being still-head duty on ________ gallons of country spirit as detailed below:—

Details of spirit:—

Seal.

Treasury Officer of Quetta.
Sub-treasury Officer of————
Designation of other authorised Officer.

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,

First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 20th December 1916.

No. 3984-*R*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), and with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules issued with his Notification No. 2308, dated 29th April 1909, as subsequently amended, regulating the possession and transport of petroleum in British Baluchistan :-

"In rule 6, chapter IX, Part II, of the said rules for the figures "500" in the 2nd line the figures "2000" shall be substituted."

By order,

A. N. L. CATER,
Secretary.

SURVEY OF INDIA—NORTHERN CIRCLE.

NOTIFICATION.

Mussoorie, the 11th December 1916.

No. 6.—Mr. Duni Chand Puri, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 2 months, under Articles 216 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from 2nd January 1917 or any subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

C. L. ROBERTSON, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Offg. Superintendent, Northern Circle.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 23rd December 1916.

No. 348-*G.-Camp*.—Mr. W. Davies, Superintendent (temporary and Supernumerary), Military Accounts Department, is appointed as a temporary Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, with effect from the 15th July 1916, for duty under the orders of the Field Controller of Military Accounts, Indian Cavalry Corps, Indian Expeditionary Force "A".

No. 349-*G.-Camp*.—Mr. A. Royal, Superintendent (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 9th (Secunderabad) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 16th December 1916.

No. 350-*G.-Camp*.—Mr. S. Venugopal Chetty, officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 9th (Secunderabad) Division, reverts to his own grade, with effect from the 16th December 1916.

No. 351-*G.-Camp*.—Mr. W. J. Davids, B.A., a senior Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Madras, who is on deputation in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 6th (Poona) Division, as a gazetted officer, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 3rd January 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant General.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Rangoon Circle are stated to have been destroyed, and payment of their value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the numbers. Any other person claiming a right to them is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

NOTES WHOLLY DESTROYED.

Register No.	Number of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
II. (D)./82 of 15/16	K. C./3 47001 to „ 47100 K. C./3 48001 to „ 48200 K. C./8 01101 to „ 01200	For Rs. 10 each.	Mg We, Agent of W. Shwe Kha, Couret House Road, Gyobingauk, Burma.

J. J. LATTA,
Assistant Accountant General, in charge, Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
Rangoon, the 22nd December 1916.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE

NOTIFICATIONS.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 22nd December 1916.

No. 46.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave in India, on Medical Certificate, with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name.

Temporary Lieutenant P. R. Morgan, R. I. M. . . . . 3 months and 20 days from 21st October 1916.

No. 47.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave in India, on Medical Certificate, with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name.

Temporary Lieutenant C. B. Barfoot, R. I. M. . . . . 2 months from 9th December 1916.

C. W. RAMSAY,
Offg. Director, Royal Indian Marine.

II C

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
717—1916	Harry Charles Putman	Anglo-Indian	Lower Parel	Engine Driver in the B., B. & C. I. Railway	19th	December	1916	19th	December	1916
718—1916	Fardunji Gustadji Moollan	Parsi	Khetwadi 14th Lane	Clerk in the employ of the Indian Hotels Company, Ltd.	20th	„	„	20th	„	„
719—1916	Dinonath Anandrao Mahimkar	Hindu	2nd Carpenter Street	Clerk in the Sorting Department, General Post Office, Bombay.	21st	„	„	21st	„	„
720—1916	Shaukar Sadoba Wadke	„	Mohim Bazar Road	Clerk in the employ of Messrs. Scott & Co.	„	„	„	„	„	„
721—1916	Ramgaribsing Jugbandansing Thakoor.	„	No. 40, Apollo Street Fort	Lately doing business in partnership with Jungbhadursing Shiwramsing as Ice and Soda water, etc., Shop-keepers in the name of Ramgarib Jugbandansing and now servant in the employ of E. D. Sassoon & Co.	„	„	„	„	„	„
722—1916	Salebhai Amirudin Bora	Mahomedan	Nagdevi Street	Formerly Cutlery Merchant doing business in partnership with Abedin Amirudin under the name of Abedin Amirudin and Brothers and now unemployed.	„	„	„	„	„	„
723—1916	Shiwa Boodur Pithwa and Lilla Gober Pithwa.	Hindu	Delisle Road	1st Debtor, Blacksmith in the B., B. & C. I. Railway and the 2nd Debtor, lately Blacksmith in the employ of Messrs. Richardson and Crudas and now unemployed.	22nd	„	„	22nd	„	„

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT
Bombay, this 23rd day of December 1916.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 162 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 14th December 1916.

In the matter of Shaik Mohamed Hashim of No. 14, 39th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Shaik Mohamed Hashim an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 13th day of December 1916.

CASE No. 207 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 12th December 1916.

In the matter of Ko Ko Gyi, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ko Ko Gyi, Translator of Chief Court, residing at No. 45, 16th Street, Rangoon, on the 11th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ko Ko Gyi.

CASE No. 208 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 13th December 1916.

In the matter of P. Govindan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by P. Govindan, unemployed, residing at No. 43, Sule Pagoda Road, Rangoon, on the 12th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said P. Govindan.

CASE No. 64 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 18th December 1916.

In the matter of Maung Yin Maung, Silversmith, residing at No. 29, Godwin Road, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Maung Yin Maung an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 15th day of December 1916.

CASE No. 209 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 16th December 1916.

In the matter of D. Maduranayagam, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by D. Maduranayagam, clerk, residing at No. 10, 110th Street, Kalabasti, Rangoon, on the 14th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said D. Maduranayagam.

CASE No. 210 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 18th December 1916.

In the matter of Karamkunnath Sanker Menon, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Karamkunnath Sanker Menon, trader, residing at No. 73A, Thompson Street, Rangoon, on the 16th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Karamkunnath Sanker Menon.

CASE No. 211 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 18th December 1916.

In the matter of Mahomed Esoof, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mahomed Esoof, at present a civil prisoner in the Rangoon Central Jail, on the 18th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mahomed Esoof.

CASE No. 212 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 18th December 1916.

In the matter of N. Govindarajuloo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by N. Govindarajuloo, Clerk, of No. 48, Dhobydine, Rangoon, on the 18th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said N. Govindarajuloo.

CASE No. 213 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 19th December 1916.

In the matter of Kyee Swan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kyee Swan of No. 154, Kamakasit Village, Rangoon, on the 19th day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kyee Swan.

CASE No. 214 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 21st December 1916.

In the matter of Talugdhar Singh, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Talugdhar Singh, Durwan, residing in Police Court Building, Shafraz Road, Rangoon, on the 21st day of December 1916, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Talugdhar Singh.

(*Illegible*),
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 195 OF 1916.

Dated the 21st December 1916.

Re Raghunath Dass and Deonath Dass, both of no occupation and both residing at No 32, Cross Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business in co-partnership with the Insolvents Brijnath Ganga Prosad Sohan Lal Ram Chand the Insolvents Chogan Lall Gopinath Balkissen Shewkissen Ramkissen Kunga Lall Harruck Chand Gopal Dass Tulsi Dass Domany Chuni Lall Mati Lall, the infants Mohan Lall Mukund Lall Bilashi Lall Rm Rutton Chand, Rutton Suraj Rutton, Rutton Lall Mamoo, Govind Lall Kissen Lall and Khoka as merchants and Commission Agents at No. 174, Harrison Road, in the said town of Calcutta, under the name and style of Rajroop Premsook Dass and also in co-partnership with each other and with the aforesaid persons and with one Bagrang Lal at Bombay under the name and style of Premsook Dass Gopinath and in co-partnership with each other and with the aforesaid persons and with the said Bajrang Lall still carrying on business at Cawnpore in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh under the name and style of Srinath Sunkernath.

Ex parte the debtor. N. C. Bose—Attorney for the Insolvents.

On the 15th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 198 OF 1916.

Dated the 21st December 1916.

Re Adeian Eugeno Manuel, formerly residing at No. 57, Free School Street, in the town of Calcutta, and at present residing at No. 14, Marquis Street in Calcutta aforesaid, an officer in the employ of the Sheriff of Calcutta.

Ex parte the debtor. Khogendra Nath De—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 19th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 199 OF 1916.

Dated the 21st December 1916.

Re Panchanun Basu, residing at No. 173, Cornwallis Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business of a Contractor under the name and style of P. N. Bose & Co., at present doing nothing.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 19th day of December 1916, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

SUIT No. 61 OF 1916.

Dated the 21st December 1916.

In the matter of Insolvency of Byramjee A. Ghandhy of Delhi, Debtor.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Byramjee A. Ghandhy to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 8th January 1917.

SUIT No. 72 OF 1916.

Dated the 16th December 1916.

In the matter of insolvency of Kanwar Sain, son of Kanahia Lal, caste Kalal Hawaili Hader-Quli Khan, Bazar Chandni Chawk, Delhi, Debtor.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Kanwar Sain to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 11th January 1917.

RAHIM BAKHSH,

Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 7th Gloucestershire Regiment (attached British Convalescent Section), dated at Poona, this 21st day of November 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—2074, Private, Redquist, E.
Age—Not known.
Height—Not known.
Colour of—Complexion, hair, and eyes—Not known.
Trade—Not known.
Date of enlistment—6th of August 1914.
Place of enlistment—Not known.
Parish and County in which born—Not known.
Date of desertion or absence—Midnight, 21st November 1916.
Place of desertion or absence—Poona.
Marks—Nil.
On furlough—Calcutta.
Under three years' service.

H. DE M. LEATHES,

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Supply and Transport Corps, dated at Lucknow, this 6th day of October 1916.

Number, Rank, and Name—(Temporary Sergeant) Blake, A.
Age—30 years.
Height—5 feet 6 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, hair and eyes—Not known.
Trade—Seaman, 12 years in R. Navy, discharged on completion of service 1913.
Date of Enlistment—29th July 1916.
Place of Enlitsment—Allahabad.
Parish and county in which born—Newbury, Reading, Berkshire, England.
Date of Desertion or absence—6th October 1916.
Place of Desertion or absence—Allahabad.
Last Address—C/o Mr. F. West, E. I. R., Allahabad.
Address of Next to Kin—Mrs. Mabel-Beatie, 28, Rylance Street, Manchester, England.
Marks—Nil.
On furlough.
Under six months' service.

F. L. BENNETT, R.G.A.,

Commanding 51st Company, R. G. A.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified, under Section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that on or about the 6th day of October 1916 the undermentioned treasure was found by Subbanayakan and Sinnandy while they were digging earth for Rangi Chetti in the mandai of Tevanapuram hamlet of Tekkampatti of Avanashi taluk.

	Weight.	*Value.*
		Rs.
(1) ⅛ of gold sinthakku	Rs. 2 and 1¼ panavadai.	30
(2) ⅛ of gold karai		
(3) 1 gold thali		
(4) 2 gold ear olais		
(5) 2 gold ingots	Rs. 1¾ and 1¼ panavadai.	15
		45

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Coimbatore at his office at Coimbatore on Friday, the 15th June 1917, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

E. B. ELWIN,
Collector.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 23rd December 1916.

No. 6558-T.—Mr. J. V. Robbins, Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, was granted privilege leave from the 8th September 1916 to the 6th December 1916.

The following officiating promotions were sanctioned during the absence of Mr. Robbins :—

Name.	Rank.		Period.	
	From	To	From	To
Mr. J. C. Pereira	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, 1st class.	8th September 1916 7th October 1916.	21st September 1916. 6th December 1916.
" Ram Gopal Chobey	Telegraph Master	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	8th September 1916.	12th October 1916.
" J. W. Steele	Ditto	Ditto	13th October 1916	6th December 1916

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 29th December 1916.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 22nd December 1916.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (Purchase Price).		TOTAL.	REMARKS.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R (a)	R (b) (c)	R	
Calcutta	1,12,83,500	27,67,92,960	28,80,76,460	3,16,42,810	89,87,535	70,02,833	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	29,01,82,225	55,72,65,349	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R30,24,81,571. (c) Includes treasury bills purchased under Section 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R20,51,82,225.
Cawnpore	...	1,98,72,155	1,98,72,155	1,23,87,218	1,82,17,290	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,06,04,508	
Lahore	...	6,03,80,155	6,03,80,155	1,66,24,315	2,11,08,780	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,77,33,095	
Bombay	1,35,51,385	22,59,31,270	23,94,82,655	3,99,10,144	4,47,45,908	1,31,90,258	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,78,46,310	
Karachi	...	2,66,75,040	2,66,75,040	57,73,392	36,84,195	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94,57,587	
Madras	39,36,310	10,19,49,575	10,58,85,885	98,25,478	1,17,79,042	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,16,04,520	
Rangoon	...	5,50,83,895	5,50,83,895	2,64,03,071	98,93,730	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,62,96,801	
	2,87,71,195	76,66,85,050	79,54,56,245	14,37,66,428	11,84,16,480	2,01,93,091	11,92,50,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	29,01,82,225	79,08,08,170	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			53,48,075	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									7,00,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			79,01,08,170								TOTAL RESERVE R		79,01,08,170	

Gold worth £86,000 (R12,90,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 22nd December 1916.
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M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

Return showing the Wholesale and Retail Prices of Cereals, Pulses, Oilseeds, Sugar (Raw), Salt, etc., in India by Districts for the fortnight ending 15th November 1916

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SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending the 15th November 1916 as compared with the corresponding period of 1915.

Province.	Rice (Common)		Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 15th November of																			
	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Burma	100	80	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	86	100	94	100	97	100	100	...	...	100	112
Assam	100	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	111	100	83	100	130
Bengal	100	91	100	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	95	100	86	100	105	100	95	100	122
Bihar and Orissa	100	73	100	76	100	59	100	62	100	79	100	88	100	70	100	115	100	106	100	107
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	92	100	91	100	86	100	76	100	84	100	87	100	77	100	109	100	88	100	130
Delhi	100	83	100	104	100	95	100	89	100	92	100	100	100	81	100	112	100	117	100	136
Punjab	100	95	100	103	100	94	100	86	100	96	100	110	100	79	100	120	100	97	100	315
North-West Frontier Province	100	95	100	100	100	86	100	79	100	104	100	102	100	73	100	106	100	119	100	196
Sind and Baluchistan	100	105	100	107	100	92	100	94	100	88	100	92	100	92	100	118	100	93	...	...
Bombay	100	95	100	90	100	80	100	83	...	...	100	88	100	87	100	110	100	86	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	92	100	95	...	...	100	90	...	...	100	93	100	77	100	119	...	...	100	122
Madras	100	106	...	...	...	...	100	103	...	...	100	96	100	74	100	102	100	66	100	106
India	100	91	100	96	100	85	100	85	100	90	100	95	100	81	100	111	100	95	100	148

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 15th November 1916 as compared with the previous fortnight.

Province.	Rice (common).		Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending																			
	15th Nov. 1916	30th Nov. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	30th Nov. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	30th Nov. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	30th Nov. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	30th Nov. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	30th Nov. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	30th Nov. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	30th Nov. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	30th Nov. 1916	15th Nov. 1916	30th Nov. 1916
Burma	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100
Assam	100	94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	102	100	95	100	104
Bengal	100	97	100	108	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	109	100	100	100	100	100	98	100	108
Bihar and Orissa	100	91	100	100	100	100	100	95	100	90	100	99	100	100	100	100	100	97	100	98
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	100	100	114	100	106	100	108	100	114	100	99	100	103	100	101	100	87	100	116
Delhi	100	100	100	122	100	108	100	107	100	107	100	104	100	100	100	104	100	123	100	123
Punjab	100	104	100	112	100	102	100	106	100	109	100	110	100	100	100	99	100	104	100	143
North-West Frontier Province	100	94	100	109	100	91	100	106	100	112	100	106	100	100	100	92	100	118	100	130
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	119	100	103	100	101	100	102	100	103	100	106	100	108	100	106	100	106	...	...
Bombay	100	100	100	105	100	92	100	111	...	...	100	104	100	100	100	99	100	107	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	101	100	117	...	...	100	106	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	94	...	...	100	97
Madras	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	101	...	...	100	100	100	99	100	96	100	100	100	100
India	100	100	100	109	100	100	100	104	100	105	100	108	100	101	100	99	100	108	100	112

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅐ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certai[n] selected markets during the fortnight ending 30th November of the years 1914, 1915 and 1916.

Marts.	WHEAT (*Triticum sativum*)			RICE (common)			JAWAR (*Andropogon sorghum*)			BAJRA (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			GRAM (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	1914	1916	1915	191[4]
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Calcutta	4 14 0	5 2 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 14 0	5 0
Bombay	5 1 8	6 2 2	...	4 15 1	4 15 1	4 12 2	2 14 0	3 3 8	...	3 9 7	4 3 9	...	3 9 7	4 0 4	...
Karachi	4 12 0	4 7 0	5 1 9	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 6	4 0 0	3 9 0	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	5 10 1	5 4 10	5 10 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 3 4	4 13 5	5 (
Rangoon	4 14 2	...	4 9 8	3 8 7	4 3 10	3 11 [illegible]	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 14 1	4 9 3	5 [illegible]
Dacca	...	...	6 0 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna	3 12 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	3 6 0	5 5 3	4 8 0	2 3 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	3 1 0	...	...	3 1 0	3 10 0	3 1[illegible]
Ranchi	5 4 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 1 0	4 4 0	4 1[illegible]
Cuttack	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 9 0	3 15 4	3 15 4	4 14 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 11	4 5 9	4 [illegible]
Benares	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 12 2	5 1 6	6 0 7	5 11 7	...	3 6 10	3 7 10	...	3 11 8	3 5 4	3 1 7	4 0 1	4
Cawnpore	4 9 0	5 0 0	5 6 0	5 2 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	2 7 0	2 13 0	2 9 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	3 5 0	4
Meerut	5 2 9	4 13 0	5 2 6	5 12 6	5 11 0	5 8 3	2 15 6	...	3 1 3	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 1 3	3 7 6	3 5 3	4
Agra	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 11 5	6 6 4	6 10 8	6 6 4	2 12 1	3 3 2	2 10 [illegible]	3 1 3	3 12 11	3 1 2	3 6 5	3 3 2	4
Lucknow	4 9 2	5 0 0	5 3 6	4 3 4	4 13 6	4 7 1	2 6 9	3 5 4	2 12 2	2 12 9	3 8 9	2 11 9	2 13 9	3 8 9	4
Ferozepur	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 11 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 4 0	...	3 7 9	...	3 1 3	3 13 0	3 8 0	3 3 3	3 1 3	3 1
Lahore	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 14 9	3 3 3	3 1 3	...	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 1
Amritsar	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	2 9 3	...	...	3 4 0	...	...	3 9 6	3 2 3	3 1
Rawalpindi	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	5 10 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	3 7 0	4 2 0	3 3 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 1
Lyallpur	4 6 0	4 2 0	4 9 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 1 0	3 [illegible]
Ambala	4 12 0	4 6 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	2 13 9	3 10 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	3 6 0	2 13 0	3 [illegible]
Delhi	5 0 0	4 13 0	5 6 0	5 8 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	2 15 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 11 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 3 3	4
Peshawar	4 4 3	4 6 2	4 3 10	5 9 5	5 13 11	6 7 5	2 2 8	3 9 10	1 12 11	3 3 9	3 11 6	3 9 10	3 9 6	3 8 0	3
Quetta	5 0 3	4 13 6	4 8 1	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 4 6	2 15 4	...	...	...	...	...	
Poona	4 11 9	5 8 11	5 14 10	5 12 4	6 7 4	5 4 0	2 9 1	2 13 7	2 12 11	3 10 4	3 9 9	3 0 11	3 10 5	4 2 3	5
Ahmednagar	3 10 9	4 4 8	...	...	5 8 7	5 4 8	...	2 7 9	2 4 10	...	2 10 10	2 6 3	3 9 8	...	
Ahmedabad	4 9 0	5 5 4	5 14 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	2 6 0	3 3 2	3 4 0	2 15 0	4 3 4	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 2	4
Nagpur	4 5 0	4 9 7	4 11 4	4 6 8	4 9 10	4 3 8	2 11 10	2 6 5	3 0 8	...	...	...	3 7 6	3 14 0	4
Jubbulpur	4 6 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 3 4	5 0 0	4 7 1	...	...	2 5 7	...	...	...	3 10 2	3 12 11	4
Godavari	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Malabar	...	...	...	5 4 11	5 2 10	5 3 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916
Burma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	37·43	51·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy		...	38·55	32·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	32·99	38·23	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	..	...	35·36	42·38	48·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	35·16	45·07	82·05	88·89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	34·41	49·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	35·75	41·29	68·08	68·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	34·41	43·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	32·99	44·14	45·07	51·61	...	...	...	...	19·69	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	35·75	50·39	...	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*—															
Surma—															
(Balaganj) Sylhet	22·5	35	42·5	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	22·5	27·5	42·5	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	25	26,25	50·62	53·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	...	30	50	52·5	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	27·5	35	57·5	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	32·5	38·75	61·87	75	48·75	51·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	32·5	35	40	55	50	57·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	26·25	20	52·5	51·37	50	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	22·5	27·5	52·5	57·5	38·12	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	30	22·5	57·5	70	55	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Bihar and Orissa* —															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpur	..	...	37.5	52·5	47·5	52·5	...	...	35	52·5	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	44·37	66·56	38·12	53·12	...	...	25	31·87	...	...	..	...	...
Bihár, south —															
Patna	...	...	33·75	53·28	37·5	50	...	...	26·25	44·37	21·87	35	30·62	...	30·78
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	39·58	39·58	40·73	50·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
AGRA—															
Eastern—															
Benares	27·13	28·23	50·91	60·86	39·32	48·91	47·13	58·07	27·86	37·07	...	34·27	...	37·29	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	23·5	26·25	51·25	52·5	45·62	50	51·87	55	30	36·87	24·37	28·12	30	35	...
Jhánsi	...	...	51·56	54·27	46·51	49·24	..	...	27·34	32·55	23·23	28·75	29·9	31·37	...
Western—															
Meerut	28·59	28·59	57·81	56·87	51·72	48·12	57·19	55·16	33·28	33·28	29·69	...	37·97	37·10	...
Agra	...	61·51	63·90	66·67	53·33	53·33	61·56	62·76	30·73	35·52	27·55	31·96	30·78	38·07	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	22·5	26·25	40	45	45·62	46·41	51·87	58·12	29·06	33·12	27·5	35	30	34·37	...
OUDH—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	42·08	48·41	45·73	50	57·19	58·96	27·6	...	24·22	33·33	27·97	35·47	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	23·75	30·62	51·56	61·4[illegible]	43·44	51·67	...	...	...	39·06	...	35·47	..	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

…e figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

…GI	MAIZE		GRAM		ARHAR DÁL		OATS		COTTON SEED		LINSEED		MUSTARD AND RAPESEED		DISTRICTS
…15	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
..	...	...	61·54	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
..	...	...	65·98	59·26	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
..	...	...	38·79	45·71	57·14	69·56	49·61	62·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
..	...	...	60·95	75·29	68·82	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
..	...	...	47·06	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
..	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
..	18·71	21·84	35·96	34·97	64·63	68·82	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
..	...	...	34·41	34·41	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
..	...	...	69·56	57·14	...	72·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	52·5	...	...	Sylhet (Balaganj)
															Brahmaputra—
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·5	40	Goálpára
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46·25	52·5	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
..	...	...	50	55	70	75	...	...	...	...	100	80	55	65	Chittagong
..	...	...	...	...	60	70	...	...	...	...	65	100	70	70	Dacca
															Deltaic—
..	...	...	36·25	38·75	52·5	65	...	...	...	...	65	55	50	57·5	Calcutta
															Western—
.	...	...	38·75	43·75	50	60	...	...	...	...	70	55	55	50	Burdwan
..	...	...	43·75	46·25	65	75	...	...	...	...	55	50	52·5 to 62·5	75	Midnapur
															Northern—
..	...	...	...	...	60	80	...	...	...	...	60	47·5	61·25	61·87	Pabna
..	...	...	76·25	70	75	67·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
..	22·5	26·25	37·5	39·37	42·5	70	30	41·87	...	...	65	52·5	50 to 55	45 to 50	Bhágalpur
..	23·44	30	32·66	40	50	66·56	21·87	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
…·78	20·94	28·59	30·62	36·25	43·75	59·37	21·25	40	...	...	70	57·5	49·37	50	Patna
															Orissa—
..	...	...	38·07	43·54	55·62	68·07	33·65	48·54	...	...	...	...	61·04	68·07	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) AGRA—
															Eastern—
..	26·25	31·15	30·99	40·05	42·4	62·97	...	...	...	...	50·05	48·38	51·2	47·92	Benares
															Central—
..	24·37	30	30	33·12	44·37	57·5	40	52·5	24·37	24·37	66·25	50	50	46·87	Cawnpore
..	22·66	26·51	29·79	30·09	...	...	...	...	...	25·59	...	...	...	...	Jhánsi
															Western—
..	29·69	30	34·09	33·28	48·44	56·72	...	...	...	...	57·19	61·56	47·03	46·87	Meerut
..	26·67	29·58	34·01	31·08	57·18	61·51	...	...	26·67	25	59·22	51·56	50	53·33	Agra
															Submontane, west—
..	...	26·87	30	35·62	40	56·25	...	...	25	24·06	63·75	45·62	48·12	46·87	Shahjahánpur
															(b) OUDH—
															Southern—
..	24·22	...	28·59	35·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	61·41	...	57·19	51·56	Lucknow
															Northern—
.	22·97	33·33	27·5	33·75	...	61·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER—contd.

DISTRICTS	SESAMUM (*Til* or *jinjili*)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (*Gúr*)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURMERIC		GRASS	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1[illegible]
Burma—														
Tenasserim—														
Mergui	...	...	581·82	640	...	...	27·47	21·26	...	...	...	...	...	
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25·7	25·7	...	...	...	...	...	
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457·14	457·14	...	...	24·62	32	...	...	...	...	...	
Pegu (deltaic)—														
Rangoon	...	...	581·82	533·33	...	...	32·47	28·7	...	...	...	...	...	
Maubin	...	...	492·31	492·31	...	...	40	53·78	...	...	...	...	...	
Bassein	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·71	32	...	...	...	...	...	
Pegu (inland)—														
Henzada	...	...	533·33	492·31	...	...	35·75	28·57	...	...	...	...	...	
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·16	36·16	...	...	...	...	...	
Upper Burma—														
Mandalay	...	...	640	640	...	...	39·02	36·57	...	...	...	...	...	
Pakokku	...	...	581·82	581·82	...	...	45·89	33·83	...	...	...	...	...	
Arakan—														
Akyab	...	...	711·11	581·82	...	...	30·77	36·36	...	...	...	...	...	
Assam—														
Surma—														
Sylhet (Balaganj)	...	...	550	500	62·5	97·5	31·25	25	...	...	...	...	...	
Brahmaputra—														
Goálpára	...	...	560	520	75	80	35	26·67	...	...	...	...	...	
Gauhati	...	...	560	505	75	90	35	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	
Bengal—														
Eastern—														
Chittagong	...	...	540	530	80	90	28·75	28·75	...	...	...	...	...	
Dacca	...	...	580	590	110	110	32·5	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	
Deltaic—														
Calcutta	...	...	520	490	65	70	29·75	23·75	...	...	...	...	...	
Western—														
Burdwan	...	...	510	440	72·5	60	28·12	20	...	...	...	...	...	
Midnapur	...	...	550 to 600	520 to 650	85	87·5	33·75	26·56	...	...	...	...	...	
Northern—														
Pabna	...	...	490	550	83·44	120	36·87	30	...	...	...	...	...	
Rangpur	...	...	560	540	100	70	40	30	...	...	...	...	...	
Bihar and Orissa—														
Bihar, north—														
Bhágalpur	80	80	650	470	65	65	30	26·87	140	120	...	...	...	
Muzaffarpur	...	...	533·12	457·5	50	40	26·56	25	160	266·56	...	...	...	
Bihar, south—														
Patna	49·37	45·62	480	400	55	60	28·75	27·5	20	20	...	...	5	
Orissa—														
Cuttack	65·62	68·07	533·33	495·21	68·59	53·83	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	
United Provinces—														
(a) AGRA—														
Eastern—														
Benares	52·4	48·91	510·26	510·26	62·97	102·5	20·82	24·48	...	...	...	...	...	
Central—														
Cawnpore	65	52·5	490	440	72·5	66·25	25	17·5	112·5	102·5	145	66·25	...	
Jhánsi	51·09	19·06	522·5	441·25	62·81	80	23·44	20·47	...	...	...	...	2·5	
Western—														
Meerut	53·28	...	492·34	457·19	61·25	53·28	26·56	19·53	...	...	...	...	...	
Agra	66·67	63·96	581·77	457·13	80	76·15	25	17·84	120	160	150	115	7·5	
Submontane, west—														
Shahjahánpur	57·5	51·25	460	460	46·26	46·25	30	19·37	180	170	140 to 170	110 and 125	...	
(b) OUDH—														
Southern—														
Lucknow	...	...	500	470	...	...	26·67	20	...	...	...	85	...	
Northern—														
Fyzabad	...	...	472·5	440	50	...	25	20·78	...	...	...	...	3·75	

(…e figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw 1916	Straw 1915	Jawar stalks 1916	Jawar stalks 1915	Bhusa (white) 1916	Bhusa (white) 1915	Bran 1916	Bran 1915	Sheep, per score 1916	Sheep, per score 1915	Plough bullocks, per pair 1916	Plough bullocks, per pair 1915	Kerosene oil, per tin 1916	Kerosene oil, per tin 1915	Districts
														Burma—
														Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	18·29	25·6	...	...	...	...	2·62	3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9	...	...	...	...	2·56	2·25	Moulmein and Amherst
														Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	32·99	32·90	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71·43	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Bassein
														Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
														Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	28·83	28·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·06	Pakokku
														Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·62	2·44	Akyab
														Assam—
														Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·95	1·94	(Balaganj) Sylhet
														Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·37	2·75	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·03	2·19	Gauhati
														Bengal—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·81	1·81	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·78	2·28	Dacca
														Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·59	2·17	Calcutta
														Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·78	2·28	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·69	2·16	Midnapur
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·81	2·19	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·5	Rangpur
														Bihar and Orissa—
														Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	...	...	22·5	27·5	...	...	...	...	2·03	1·98	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	...	10	10	25	26·56	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·05	Muzaffarpur
														Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	11·25	6·87	18·12	17 5	...	...	...	...	2·03	2	Patna
														Orissa—
·62	5·62	...	...	...	...	7·5	7·5	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·22	Cuttack
														United Provinces—
														(a) AGRA—
														Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	24·27	28·59	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·5	Benares
														Central—
...	...	...	...	9·37	6·56	26·25	28·75	65	65	...	...	2·97	2·41	Cawnpore
5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·12	2·19	Jhánsi
														Western—
...	...	...	...	10	7·19	30·16	26·56	...	...	...	...	3·12	2·56	Meerut
·5	12·5	...	...	6·67	10	30·73	30·16	...	...	100	80	3·06	2·69	Agra
														Submontane, west—
...	...	...	...	10	10	35·62	40	50 and 80	80 and 50	50 and 80	40 and 100	3·12	2·56	Shahjahánpur
														(b) OUDH—
														Southern—
...	...	...	...	7·84	11·25	23·12	24·69	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·48	Lucknow
														Northern—
·87	-	...	...	...	11·25	...	...	...	...	50	0	3·06	2·44	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER—*continued*

DISTRICTS	RICE, UNHUSKED		RICE, HUSKED		WHEAT		FLOUR (WHEAT)		BARLEY		JAWAR		BAJRA		R…
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	191…
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer	26·67	26·07	...	...	54·37	54·48	...	...	34·79	40·94	22·31	34·01	30·88	43·12	..
Delhi— Delhi	22·5	...	55	66·25	50	48·12	52·5	51·25	33·12	35	29·37	33·12	31·87	36·87	..
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	26·72	32·03	50	57·19	41·09	48·28	44·37	47·03	30·78	32·03	...	34·84	30·78	38·12	..
Central— Lahore	28·59	30·78	50	51·56	45·78	44·37	51·56	50	30·16	29·69	32·03	30·78	31·41	33·12	..
Submontane— Amritsar	30·62	32·66	52·5	55	43·75	43·12	50	44·37	35	...	25·78	...	32·5	...	..
Northern— Rawalpindi	...	...	55	60	46·25	45	50	50	28·75	32·5	25	30	34·37	41·25	..
Western— Lyallpur	..	...	55	52·5	43·75	41·25	47·5	45·62	30	30	...	...	...	...	..
Multan	27·5	29·37	45·62	48·75	44·37	42·19	48·44	45·62	35	35·47	26·56	33·59	33·28	37·19	..
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshâwar	..	...	55·88	58·7	42·66	48·85	46·72	44·74	24·84	28·96	21·67	36·15	32·34	37·19	..
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	58·18	...	46·25	45·16	50·94	...	31·41	...	29·01	28·28	28·44	33·44	..
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karâchi	...	...	50	52·5	47·5	44·37	...	...	...	...	30	31·25	32·81	40	..
Shikârpur	26·87	...	72·5	64·37	44·37	41·56	...	...	36·25	41·56	30·62	32·5	30·62	37·5	..
Quetta	...	...	...	...	48·91 to 51·41	47·5 to 49·37	70 to 75	74·37 to 84·37	35·20	36·25	35	32·81	...	...	..
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	40·52	28·38	49·43	49·43	50·78	61·35	...	...	33·85	41·25	23·75	32·29	35·09	43·34	.
Deccan and Karnâtak— Dharwar	...	...	53·33	...	35·1	39·84	...	...	...	...	24·27	16·15	...	...	.
Sholapur	...	...	50·62	49·06	36·03	43·85	...	...	...	...	21·3	20·78	27·76	28·65	.
Poona	..	...	57·71	64·58	47·84	55·57	...	...	...	50·47	25·18	28·49	36·46	36·09	.
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	...	...	...	55·36	36·72	42·92	...	...	...	...	...	24·84	...	26·77	.
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	39·48	39·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32·29	.
Gujarat— Surat	...	...	...	...	...	53·33	...	...	...	...	29·53	35·31	30·26	41·82	.
Ahmedabad	...	...	70	65	45·62	53·33	...	...	28·75	37·19	23·75	31·98	29·87	42·08	.
Central Provinces*—															
Western— Nagpur	...	...	44·19	46·12	43·12	46	57·12	66·62	...	...	27·37	24	...	...	.
Central— Jubbulpore	...	...	42·06	50	43·75	51·62	53·31	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Eastern— Raipur	35	37	40	29	45	44	52	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	42·56	46·37	38·87	43·62	...	...	...	...	19·62	27·06	...	...	.
Amrâoti	...	...	44·44	49·69	46·25	48·56	...	...	...	...	13·44	25·94	...	...	.
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31·8	31·9	...	34·1	.
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Central— Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25·8	23·1	...	...	.
Cuddapah	39·6	39·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·6	26·5	30·5	25·9	.
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
East Coast, south— Madras	33·1	31·1	56·8	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Tanjore	34·7	34·7	48·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Southern— Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·8	35	40·4	35·1	
Mysore—															
Mysore	22	25	56	62	48	56	60	60	...	...	24	24	...	...	.
Bangalore	22	24	60	56	54	56	67·76	67·76	...	...	28	28	...		.

* The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the price of cleaned rice

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dal		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	
															Rajputana—
..	26·67	35·57	34·79	37·34	...	.	.	..	...	...	92·86	94·06	...	[illegible]	*Eastern—* Ajmer
...	29·37	31·57	31·87	32·03	42·5	52·5	...	52·5	30·62	28·75	60	52·5	47·5	47·5	**Delhi—** Delhi
															Punjab—
...	29·69	30·78	32·03	30·78	66·72	80	...	...	30·75	29·69	66·72	66·72	...	...	*Southern—* Ferozpur
...	30·78	30·78	33·91	32·03	50	61·56	36·41	48·44	30·16	30	55·16	55·16	50	48·44	*Central—* Lahore
	29·69	...	35·94	31·41	...	...	...	..	30·94	30	...	...	...	50	*Submontane—* Amritsar
..	32·5	31·87	36·25	34·37	...	...	...	..	...	...	63·75	47·5	45	45	*Northern—* Rawalpindi
...	28·12	30	35	30·62	...	.	...	...	27·5	35	...	...	51·25	45	*Western—* Lyallpur
.	26·56	30	33·28	31·25	60	76·25	36·87	37·81	28·44	29·06	60	50	47·5	52·5	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
..	31·2	30·05	35·94	35	43·07	58·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	49·22	47·4	Peshâwar
...	28·44	...	36·56	36·09	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·75	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27·19	26·87	...	...	...	...	Karâchi
...	...	...	34·37	37·5	...	65	...	...	30	26·25	...	...	...	36·25	Shikarpur
	35 to 40	42·5	...	...	63·28 to 72·03	68·75 to 78·75	62·5	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
...	...	...	35·99	40·21	55·31	63·7	39·27	51·77	25·52	25·52	78·59	60·73	...	...	*Konkan—* Bombay
.	...	...	42·15	45·05	...	...	...	...	22·19	16·67	...	...	...	...	*Deccan and Karnátak—* Dharwar
..	...	...	34·84	43·54	44·43	63·75	...	...	...	15·83	68·8	54·22	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	36·51	41·41	...	72·45	...	...	...	22·81	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	...	.	36·04	...	...	53·59	...	...	...	...	68·8	...	...	..	*Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—* Ahmednagar
..	...	-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15·83	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Gujarat—* Surat
...	...	...	36·25	36·35	67·5	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
...	...	...	34·69	38·75	46·31	57·12	...	...	23·75	20·62	...	58·56	...	...	*Western—* Nagpur
..	...	...	36·37	38·06	45·69	49·69	44·44	44·44	28·56	20	64	48·5	...	...	*Central—* Jubbulpore
...	...	...	32	34·12	41	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
															Berar—
...	...	...	32·19	36·12	39·69	50	...	...	19·06	18·62	67·56	...	...	...	Akola
...	..	...	36·12	37·25	40·44	49·69	...	...	21·44	18·56	79·69	...	...	...	Amráoti
															Madras—
...	...	...	51·5	60·7	...	.	...	...	36	21·9	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
29·9	...	...	...	...	31·9	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	Salem
...	...	..	46·3	46·3	35·3	46·3	...	...	28·8	23·8	...	..	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
24·5	...	...	...	...	30·6	47·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
...	...	...	42·1	48·4	...	...	58·3	63·4	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
23·9	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	61·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
..	...	...	...	...	35	37·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
															Mysore—
25	...	...	23	34	60	80	70	70	...	..	...	...	...	...	Mysore
24	...	...	30	32	56	80	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	Bangalore

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TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER—concluded.

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass	
	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915	1916	1915
Rajputana—														
Eastern—														
Ajmer	57 19	61·56	640	549·11	74·22	100	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	18·07
Delhi—														
Delhi	63·75	67·5	560	480 to 517·03	70	60	23·75	17·5	80	80	180	112·5	10	12·5
Punjab—														
Southern—														
Ferozpur	..	66 72	544·69	492·34	80	72·66	50	20	123·12	133·28	133·28	94·06	...	...
Central—														
Lahore	61·56	66 72	630	533·28	66·72	61·56	42·03	15·94	114·22	114·22	152·84	114·22	10	10
Submontane—														
Amritsar	63·75	65	630	480	53·12	55	47·5	14·69	...	...	155	80	...	12·5
Northern—														
Rawalpindi	.	...	580	452·5	52·5	70	41·25	13·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—														
Lyallpur		..	565	475	58·75	62·5	50	15	...	...	...	.	...	10
Multan	55	57·5	557·5	446·25	66·56	66·56	53·28	16·72	110	110	190	137·5	10	10
N.-W. Frontier Province—														
Peshawar	.	...	511·98	482·97	77·13	64·63	30·05	15·36	110·36	136·15	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	..	..	673·75	...	48·59	...	32·71	...	...	...	...	...	13 33	...
Sind and Baluchistan—														
Karachi	...	..	...	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	..	...	637·5	520	66·25	71·56	...	...	45·62	60	...	...	...	...
Quetta	.	.	556·25 to 600	475 to 550	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—														
Konkan—														
Bombay	65·73	64·27	628·59	500	122·45	125·16	...	.	...	...	152·4	93·85	8·38	12·81
Deccan and Karnátak—														
Dharwar	40·62	.	...	...	85·99	95·99	...	...	...	...	...		..	..
Sholapur	...	..	442·19	367·19	100	110·68	...	...	91·93	...	173 18	...	.	.
Poona	...	..	501·77	470·16	82·55	106·15	...	...	210·52	203·49	183·33	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—														
Ahmednagar	50·36	51·87	483·33	454·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	..	53·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Gujarat—														
Surat	...	...		464·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	600	440	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	..
Central Provinces—														
Western—														
Nagpur	71·12	...	500	433·31	...	...	27·5	21·87	83·31	83·31	..	110	..	...
Central—														
Jubbulpore	48·5	47·06	470	420	...	...	23·5	22·19	72·69	80	177·75	88·87	4·44	...
Eastern—														
Raipur	..	...	470	420	...	...	29	26·25	160	140	90	66	...	...
Berar—														
Akola	54·75	51·75	574	400		...	26·62	18·87	100	95·25	...	...	...	...
Amráoti	61·5	56 94	560	400	...	...	25	20	142·19	124·44	...	...	...	...
Madras—														
South, central—														
Coimbatore	72·4	77·5	503 1	487·8	70·4	102·4	17·5	19·5	...	...	192	96	...	..
Salem	..	...	483	488	...	...	...	...	171·3	171·3	91·4	91·4	...	...
Central—														
Bellary	62	58	503·1	507·9	95·7	119·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	493·4	427·7	...	...	...	..	...	...	148·3	80·7	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82·8	164·5	148	75·2	...	...
East Coast, central—														
Nellore	...	...	466·7	450	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, south—														
Madras	...	70·8	559·6	559·6	67·5	98·8	15	14·1	185	181·7	119·3	74·1	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	466·7	...	...	23·4	17·3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	540·5	540·5	...	...	20·6	18·8	123·4	123·4	...	...	...	...
Southern—														
Madura	66·7	84·2	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	..
Mysore—														
Mysore	72	72	480	514·27	102·86	111·41	...	...	214·27*	214·27*	137·13	77·13	5·1	4·72
Bangalore	64	60	548·54	582·86	77·13	120	...	...	240*	274·27*	85·68	102·86	8·8	8·8

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 103 per 10 maunds.

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw 1916	Straw 1915	Jawar stalks 1916	Jawar stalks 1915	Bhusa (white) 1916	Bhusa (white) 1915	Bran 1916	Bran 1915	Sheep, per score 1916	Sheep, per score 1915	Plough bullocks, per pair 1916	Plough bullocks, per pair 1915	Kerosene oil, per tin 1916	Kerosene oil, per tin 1915	Districts
														Rajputana— *Eastern—*
...	8·59	...	14·53	...	...	36·41	...	...	...	80 to 90	80 to 90	3·25	2·56	Ajmer
														Delhi—
...	...	5	15·62	11·25	8·75	22·5	25	...	40 and 50	200	150	2·28	2·19	Delhi
														Punjab— *Southern—*
...	...	...	...	7·97	8·91	25	23·44	142	112·5	225	175	3·19	2·59	Ferozepur
														Central—
...	...	...	...	11·41	8·44	29·06	27·5	150	150	170	170	3·25	2·62	Lahore
														Submontane—
...	...	7·97	...	11·25	9·37	23·75	24·22	120	120	...	...	3·25	2·75	Amritsar
														Northern—
...	...	...	...	12·5	10	...	...	90	90	120	120	3·41	2·44	Rawalpindi
														Western—
...	...	...	...	10	7·97	23·75	23·12	112	100	180	140	3·22	2·81	Lyallpur
...	...	5	10	10	6·44	27·19	25	112	100	...	...	3·12	2·67	Multan
														N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	...	...	...	6·15	6·77	24·53	26·77	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·44	2·92	Peshāwar
...	...	...	...	15	...	23·59	...	...	...	...	...	3·62	2·87	Dera Ismael Khan
...	...	...	...											**Sind and Baluchistan—**
...	...	...	...	9·37	7·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·72	2·22	Karāchi
				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·52	Shikārpur
...	...	...	...	12·5	8·44	29·37	28·12	120 to 220	100 to 200	...	...	2·97	2·5	Quetta
														Bombay— *Konkan—*
...	..	...	...	...	...	21·41	26·77	...	...	...	...	2·84	2·28	Bombay
														Deccan and Karnātak—
...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	85	82·5	...	...	3	2·37	Dharwar
...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·09	2·41	Sholapur
...		...	...	...	...	...	28·59	...	...	...	..	2·8	2·8	Poona
														Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34·27	...	...	...	...	2·08	2·08	Ahmednagar
...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		2·91	2·42	Dhulia
														Gujarat—
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	Surat
..	...	...	...	...	.	25	22·5	...	...	...	...	3·25	2·5	Ahmedabad
														Central Provinces— *Western—*
..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	70 to 80	...	125 to 200	2·37	2·12	Nagpur
														Central—
	...	...	...	...	...	80	30·75	60	60	70	70	2·19	1·87	Jubbulpore
														Eastern—
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·25	2·25	Raipur
														Berar—
	...	...	8·25	...	..	...	...	97	88	60	56	2·81	2·19	Akola
	...	...	6·12	...	...	...	...	70	50	70	50	2·31	2·19	Amrāoti
														Madras— *South, Central—*
7	7·7	4	4	...	...	90·4*	90·4*	100†	100†	60	60	2·98	2·25	Coimbatore
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·73	2·14	Salem
														Central—
	...	10·8	10·3	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	140	140	3	2·33	Bellary
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	2·8	2·28	Cuddapah
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·31	2·75	Karnul
														East Coast, Central—
7	5·7	...	...	...	...	...		...	..	...	...	2·06	1·79	Nellore
														East Coast, South—
	...	...	...	...	...	27·9	24·5	105†	195†	...	...	2	1·73	Madras
	...	...	...	...	...	13·6	5·4	170†	90†	...	...	2·71	2·13	Tanjore
	...	...	...	...		38·2	41·1	...	..	...	...	3·06	2·52	Trichinopoly
														Southern—
	15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	60	60	2·69	2·06	Madura
														Mysore—
[illegible]		4·48	4·48	...	..	40	40	50 to 100	100	50 to 100	100	3·5	2·78	Mysore
	8·8	4·27	...	...	...	33·8	33·8	160	160	120 to 150	120 to 150	2·62	2·62	Bangalore

* Superior quality

† Sheep or goat

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half month of report	Previous half month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Morgui	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 8	11 8	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 11	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	10 1	9 11	10 13	10 6	...	...	...	...
Maubin	4 10	4 10	...	...	9 12	9 12	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 10	11 7	11 7	...	...	...	...
Henzada	5 9	5 9	...	...	10 —	10 —	10 12	10 12	...	...	...	...
Promo	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 2	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	10 9	10 9	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	8 4	7 8	...	...	8 9	8 9	11 3	11 3	17 14	17 14	...	...
Bhamo	...	...	...	...	9 12	9 2	11 3	9 12	...	...	...	...
Pakókku	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 7	14 —	14 —	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	8 —	9 2	12 12	12 12	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu	3 8	3 8	...	...	8 —	6 8	9 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	9 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	8 —	5 8	...	8 —	...	...	...	...
Cachar	4 —	4 —	...	...	5 8	5 4	6 8	6 6	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	7 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Manipur	16 —	15 —	...	...	20 —	20 —	22 —	22 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	8 —	8 8	...	...	4 4	4 4	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati) *	...	7 —	...	...	...	5 12	...	7 12	...	...	...	...
Darrang *	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	...	7 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Backerganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	7 4	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 14	6 12	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 6	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 14	5 14	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 11	...	...	...	...
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

* Figures have not so far been reported.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dal (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma –
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 13	...	...	4 9	4 15	10 2	10 2	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	9 9	11 1	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 9	9 9	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Henzada
...	...	...	...	9 11	9 1	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	9 8	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	4 13	4 13	8 5	8 5	Thayetmyo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	18 5	18 5	5 14	5 14	8 9	8 9	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakôkku
...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	42 12	42 12	15 10	15 10	9 6	9 6	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 4	11 6	11 6	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 —	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	Akyab
												Assam –
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 4	...	..	6 —	6 8	10 8	10 8	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	6 —	5 12	11 —	11 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	8 3	7 12	8 14	8 14	6 8	6 4	9 8	9 12	Khási and Jaintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	..	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	20 —	19 —	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	11 —	11 —	6 8	7 —	11 —	11 —	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	9 —		...	...	7 —	...	10 8	Kámrúp (Gauh
...	...	...	...	...	8 —	...	...	...	5 8	...	9 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 4	6 8	9 —	9 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	..	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 4	9 —	9 —	Lakhimpur
												Bengal –
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 8	10 8	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5	6 8	10 10	12 8	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 8	11 12	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5	5 5	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 8	12 —	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 8	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 8	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 1	7 1	11 —	11 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	12 8	Hooghly
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	6 6	11 4	13 —	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	10 —	10 8	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.- RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice: Best sort		Rice: Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	7 4	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 14	...	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...
Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 11	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	6 —	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 10	...	...	...	...
Bhágalpur	8 4	8 —	9 4	10 —	...	...	10 —	...	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	8 12	9 14	14 4	14 4	...	...	8 11	8 4	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	10 —	10 —	16 —	15 8	...	...	8 12	6 —	...	...	...	...
Sáran	9 —	10 —	16 —	14 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Champáran*	...	11 —	...	19 —	...	...	...	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas	7 —	7 4	10 —	11 —	...	...	10 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	9 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Gaya	9 —	9 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	15 —	13 —	...	...
Patna	10 8	11 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	11 4	10 8	18 —	16 8	13 —	12 —
Shahabad	9 —	9 8	13 —	12 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum	8 —	9 8	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Mánbhum	7 4	9 8	10 —	10 8	...	...	10 4	8 —	...	...	...	...
Ranchi	7 8	9 8	10 —	12 —	...	...	8 6	8 6	...	...	10 —	10 —
Palámau	9 2¼	9 13½	15 12	12 6	...	...	10 2	8 7	...	...	...	...
Hazáribágh	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	9 10	9 10	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balasore	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	8 —	10 8	...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	8 —	9 8	12 —	12 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	15 —	12 —	12 —
Benares	9 8	9 12	13 9	13 13	5 9	5 9	7 7	7 7	14 1½	...	12 7	...
Ghazipur	9 8	9 8	13 4	11 14	5 4	5 4	8 4	8 8	16 6	15 11	13 12	13 12
Jaunpur	8 12	9 14	14 —	13 14	3 12	3 12	10 —	7 6	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	8 4	9 12	13 —	13 8	4 8	4 8	7 12	8 4	13 4	15 8	12 4	13 4
Central—												
Bánda	9 —	9 10	12 12	12 12	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 10	17 8	17 8	12 14	15 8
Fatehpur	8 6	10 4	15 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	11 —	14 —	...	12 4	15 —
Hamirpur	9 —	9 2	10 2	10 2	4 12	4 12	6 12	6 12	15 8	15 8	13 2	13 14
Jalaun	10 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	7 —	16 —	16 —	13 8	14 8
Cawnpore	8 4	9 4	12-14	18 —	...	...	7 -	7 —	16 4	16 12	13 —	14 —
Jhansi	8 5½	9 6½	14 6	15 1½	4 11	4 13½	7 8	7 8½	16 15½	19 4½	13 2	16 15
Etáwah	9 12	9 14	13 10	18 10	3 —	3 —	9 —	9 —	14 12	14 10	15 —	14 —
Farrukhabad	8 6	9 14	12 5	13 10	4 1	4 1	9 9	8 14	...	...	11 15	13 10
Mainpuri	8 8	9 4	12 8	12 4	5 —	4 —	10 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	11 8	14 —
Etah	8 12	10 —	11 8	12 8	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	12 4	14 —	12 4	18 8
Western—												
Meerut	7 8	9 12	12 —	12 8	3 —	3 —	6 12	7 4	13 —	14 8	10 —	14 —
Agra	7 —	8 12	12 8	12 8	6 —	6 —	...	...	14 —	16 —	12 8	15
Muttra	8 4	10 —	12 12	14 —	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	17 —	16 —	14 8	17 —
Aligarh	9 —	9 8	11 8	12 —	3 8	3 8	5 —	5 —	13 8	15 —	11 8	16 —
Bulandshahr	8 6	9 4	12 —	12 4	3 —	3 —	5 7	5 7	13 8	15 8	18 —	12 —
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	9 12	9 10	15 10	15 10	5 3	5 13	8 7	8 7	14 5	13 —	...	12 5
Azamgarh	8 12	9 8	13 8	14 8	6 —	6 —	10 8	9 4	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	10 12	11 2	14 4	14 —	7 4	7 4	11 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Basti	9 12	11 —	15 —	15 8	6 8	6 8	8 4	11 4	...	...	...	...

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[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 8	11 12	Bankura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 —	13 —	13 4	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	7 —	11 —	12 12	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	10 —	10 8	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	11 —	14 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	...	8 8	9 12	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 12	9 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	9 —	10 8	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...		...	...	6 10	6 10	11 —	12 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	9 8	9 8	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 12	8 —	8 —	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	8 —	10 —	20 —	20 —	6 8	6 8	10 —	12 —	Purnea
...	...	...	...	10 4	10 —	...	16 —	9 4	9 4	13 4	13 4	Bhágalpur
13 8	13 8	...	...	12 1	12 1	17 9	15 6	7 11	7 11 to 8 4	12 1	12 1	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	16 —	15 8	7 8	7 8	14 8	14 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	16 —	17 —	12 —	12 —	11 8	12 —	Sáran
...	...	...	...	...	14 —	...	19 8	...	7 —	...	11 —	Champáran
												Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	7 8	9 8	22 —	20 —	7 —	8 —	11 —	13 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	17 —	14 —	10 8	10 —	12 4	12 4	Monghyr
19 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	12 —	18 —	17 —	8 8	8 8	13 —	12 4	Gaya
...	...	13 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	18 8	16 —	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 8	Patna
...	...	...	...	12 —	10 8	14 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	14 —	16 —	8 3	9 —	10 8	11 —	Mánbhum
16 —	17 —	...	...	9 12	9 12	14 —	18 —	6 —	6 4	10 —	11 —	Ranchi
...	...	...	...	12 6	13 8	21 15	20 4	10 2	9 8	12 6	...	Palámau
18 —	18 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	16 8	17 —	7 12	7 8	11 —	11 —	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	9 3	9 3	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 3	7 3	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	9 4 to 9 8	9 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	11 6	13 —	Balasore
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	11 —	...	7 — to 8 —	7 — to 8 —	14 8	14 8	Sambalpur
												United Provinces—
												(*a*) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	12 —	14 —	16 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	16 —	Mirzapur
...	...	10 5	10 5	12 11	12 11	15 8	14 10	8 1½	8 1½	13 8	13 8	Benares
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 9	16 14	15 11	8 6	8 6	14 7	14 7	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 13	16 —	16 12	9 8	9 12	15 14	15 14	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 12	...	...	9 8	10 4	16 8	17 —	Allahabad
												Central—
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 12	...	...	8 4	8 4	14 8	16 8	Banda
...	...	...	...	12 8	13 4	...	...	9 8	10 —	14 —	16 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	13 6	13 10	...	...	9 —	8 4	14 12	14 12	Hamirpur
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	...	...	8 —	8 —		...	Jalaun
...	...	12 8	12 8	12 13	12 13	16 4	17 12	9 —	8 12	14 8	17 8	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 —	17 7	19 15½	7 —	7 2½	16 8	17 8	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 14	15 —	15 —	9 4	9 4	16 —	16 —	Etáwah
...	...	...	...	12 5	13 10	15 —	16 6	9 9	8 14	13 10	18 7	Farrukhabad
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	15 —		10 —	10 —	15 —	16 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 4	15 —	9 —	9 —	13 8	18 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 —	11 8	13 8	8 —	8 8	15 —	19 8	Meerut
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 12	14 —	16 8	6 8	7 —	16 —	19 —	Agra
...	...	...	...	12 4	13 8	17 —	20 12	10 —	11 —	18 —	18 —	Muttra
...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 —	15 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 8	12 12	14 —	8 —	7 8	16 —	17 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 5	15 10	16 14	9 2	8 7	13 —	16 14	Ballia
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 —	16 —	8 12	8 —	12 —	12 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	14 8	...	8 12	8 12	14 —	13 8	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	16 12	16 —	10 —	9 8	16 —	16 —	Basti

TABLE No. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces— *continued*												
(a) Agra—*continued*												
Submontane, rest—												
Shahjahanpur	...	...	...	14 8	3 —	3 —	10 —	10 8	...	17 —	...	...
Budaun	9 4	9 7	11 4	11 14	3 6	3 8	7 8	7 6	14 —	15 8	12 8	13 10
Pilibit	9 —	10 2	...	14 —	4 8	4 8	9 —	11 —	...	...	14 12	12 8
Bareli	9 10	10 1	13 2	13 10	3 12	3 12	9 5	9 10	14 13	15 —	13 4	13 12
Moradabad	9 4	9 15	12 4	12 8	4 4	4 4	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 4	12 8	13 —
Bijnor	8 8	9 8	13 8	13 8	3 —	3 4	6 —	6 8	...	...	11 4	12 4
Muzaffarnagar	8 12	10 —	13 2	13 2	7 10	7 10	9 —	9 —	13 2	13 2	12 1	13 2
Saharanpur	9 —	9 13	12 4	11 11	3 7	3 7	6 6	7 7	...	..	12 12	13 13
Dehra Dun	8 8	9 —	13 8	14 —	...	...	7 8	8 —	13 —	13 —	10 8	10 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal	7 —	7 —	9 8	9 8	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —
Almora	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	3 —	3 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Garhwál	5 4	5 6	9 —	9 —	3 —	3 —	4 12	4 8	...	...	...	...
(b) Oudh—												
Southern—												
Partabgarh	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 8	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 8	14 —	16 —	12 —	12 —
Sultanpur	10 8	10 8	14 8	14 8	5 —	5 —	10 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Rae-Bareli	9 10	10 —	13 12	14 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	9 12	16 —	17 —	15 —	17 —
Unao	8 —	9 12	12 8	13 12	4 8	4 8	9 12	9 —	16 —	15 —	14 —	14 12
Lucknow	8 8	9 14	14 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	14 —	15 8
Hardoi	8 8	10 4	13 12	14 8	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	17 8	12 12	15 8
Northern—												
Fyzabad	8 14	10 —	13 14	14 4	...	...	7 4	6 14	14 12	15 —	11 —	10 12
Barabanki	9 12	10 13	15 —	15 8	4 6	4 10	10 2	9 14	17 —	15 —	12 5	13 —
Gonda	8 12	10 8	14 8	15 —	4 8	4 8	9 4	9 4	14 8	15 —	14 8	15 —
Bahraich	9 8	10 8	17 —	17 —	5 —	5 —	9 12	8 8	22 —	...	17 —	17 8
Sitapur	8 12	10 —	14 4	16 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	14 —	16 8
Kheri	8 8	11 —	14 —	15 —	3 —	3 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	18 —	14 12	18 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	7 12	8 7	9 13	10 7	4 7	4 14	5 1	5 10	16 13	18 13	8 13	9 10
Ajmer*	...	8 4	11 4	11 —	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	17 —	18 —	12 —	13 —
Kishangarh	7 8	8 —	11 —	11 4	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	18 —	17 —	14 —	15 —
Tonk	8 8	8 6	11 11	11 14	4 4	4 5	5 5	5 7	16 —	17 4	14 14	16 8
Jaipur	8 6	9 2	12 5	12 —	5 —	4 12	5 4	5 4	16 12	19 6	13 2	14 10
Karauli	8 7	8 7	15 —	15 10	7 8	7 8	8 12	8 12	...	23 12	16 9	18 12
Dholpur	8 11½	9 7	14 5½	14 3½	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	17 8	18 3½	15 11	16 14
Bharatpur*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Alwar*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nasirabad	8 4	8 8	...	..	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	17 —	18 —	12 —	14 —
Western—												
Bikaner	7 8	9 —	12 —	13 —	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	15 —	14 —	11 —	10 8
Jaisalmer	7 3	7 7	...	...	4 1	4 4	5 2	5 5	12 5	12 12	10 4	10 10
Jodhpur	7 1 and 8 4	7 4 and 8 8	12 —	...	5 6	5 —	...	6 4	16 3 to 19 0	23 —	13 6 and 13 15	12 12 and 14 12
Central India—												
Indore	10 —	10 4	11 —	11 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	22 —	23 —	13 —	14 —
Neemuch	9 —	10 8	...	..	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	20 —	22 —	12 —	14 —
Gwalior	9 —	9 8	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	7 12	9 8	11 8	12 8	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	13 —	14 —	12 —	14 —
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	8 4	10 8	13 —	14 8	...	..	7 —	7 —	16 —	18 —	14 —	16 —
Ferozepur	9 8	10 4	13 —	12 8	...	..	7 8	7 8	...	...	12 8	13 8
Central—												
Lahore	8 8	9 8	13 —	13 4	...	...	7 12	8 —	12 4	12 12	10 12	11 —
Gujranwala	10 —	10 4	13 8	15 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Gujrat	10 —	10 8	13 —	15 —	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	13 —	15 —
Jhelam	9 4	10 8	14 8	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 —	15 —	13 —	13 8

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[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Bagi (Eleusine coraçana)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian millet (Setaria italica)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (Cicer arietinum)		Maize (Zea Mays)		Arhar Dál (Cajanus Indicus)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												United Provinces—continued
												(a) Agra—continued
												Submontane, west—
...	15 —	14 8	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	10 —	9 8	...	16 —	Shahjahanpur
...	...	12 11	14 12	11 1	11 3	15 4	16 6	7 12	8 —	15 —	17 —	Budaun
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 8	...	...	8 —	7 8	16 —	16 —	Pilibit
13 —	...	...	...	11 13	12 13	16 2	16 12	9 —	8 10	17 4	17 15	Bareli
...	...	...	...	11 10	11 14	14 8	16 12	8 12	8 12	17 —	18 4	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	10 12	11 4	...	...	7 8	7 4	12 8	16 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 1	12 1	14 4	5 8	5 8	16 8	17 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	11 7	12 4	13 13	16 8	8 8	8 8	14 —	17 8	Sahâranpur
12 —	12 —	...	...	11 4	12 —	15 —	15 —	10 —	10 —	9 —	10 8	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Naini Tal
9 8	9 8	...	...	7 8	7 12	...	...	5 8	5 8	9 8	10 —	Almora
...	...	...	...	5 12	6 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	6 8	Garhwál
												(b) Oudh—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	10 —	11 —	Partábgarh
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	13 —	14 —	Sultanpur
20 —	20 —	11 —	12 —	13 12	14 —	13 8	14 —	10 —	10 —	12 —	16 —	Rae-Bareli
...	...	8 4	...	13 —	13 12	16 —	19 8	8 8	8 8	13 8	16 8	Unao
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 8	16 —	18 —	10 —	10 —	14 —	16 —	Lucknow
...	...	14 —	19 —	12 12	15 —	17 8	19 8	10 —	10 8	12 8	16 —	Hardoi
												Northern—
		11 12	12 8	14 —	14 6	16 12	17 4	8 12	8 6	15 8	15 8	Fyzabad
20 —	20 —	14 5	17 —	16 4	15 13	18 4	18 —	9 2	9 10	16 —	16 2	Barabanki
...	...	...	...	14 8	15 —	17 8	20 —	8 8	8 8	16 —	16 —	Gonda
...	...	7 —	7 —	17 —	16 —	18 —	21 —	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	Bahraich
...	...	16 —	18 —	14 8	16 8	16 —	19 —	9 —	9 8	14 —	18 —	Sitapur
19 8	20 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	17 —	18 —	9 —	9 —	16 —	18 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	8 14	9 10	9 8	10 7	17 12	19 3	6 5	6 15	13 —	14 9	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	5 —	5 —	11 4	11 8	14 —	16 —	...	...	16 —	18 —	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	10 12	10 8	14 4	16 —	...	...	15 8	20 8	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	9 9	9 12	14 14	18 4	...	...	19 2	23 12	Tonk
...	...	15 2	11 —	11 8 and 14 2	11 12 and 13 2	15 3	19 6	10 —	9 14	18 5	19 14	Jaipur
...	...	...	20 —	11 4	10 4	...	22 8	...	...	14 —	18 2	Karauli
...	...	8 8	8 8	12 8½	12 3	...	...	7 14	7 12	17 13½	18 8	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bharatpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Alwar
.	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	17 —	21 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	17 —	17 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 6	...	...	...	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	11 2 to 13 2	12 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	17 —	17 —	Jodhpur
												Central India—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 8	22 —	23 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Indore
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Neemuch
...	...	15 —	14 —	13 —	13 8	...	...	9 —	9 6	16 —	17 —	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 8	13 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	16 —	20 —	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	13 4	14 8	...	...	...	...	19 —	19 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	12 —	13 —	13 —	15 —	5 8	5 8	7 —	12 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	10 12	10 8	11 8	12 4	12 8	13 8	7 12	8 —	9 —	10 8	Lahore
...	...	...	...	11 12	12 12	...	...	...	...	8 12	13 8	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 —	14 —	14 8	...	...	8 —	14 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	10 4	11 8	14 —	14 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	13 —	Jhelam

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Punjab—*continued*												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	8 8	9 4	13 —	18 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 —	15 —	14 —	16 —
Rohtak	9 —	9 8	13 —	18 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	15 8	18 —	14 4	16 —
Karnál	8 12	9 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	...	10 —	11 8
Submontane—												
Ambala	8 2	10 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 12	7 12	14 —	14 —	10 12	10 12
Ludhiana	8 8	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	15 8	15 —	11 —	11 —
Jullundur	8 8	10 8	11 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 —	16 —	10 —	11 —
Hoshiárpur	8 12	10 12	12 8	13 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	14 —	14 —	9 8	9 8
Gurdáspur	10 8	11 —	11 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	14 —	15 —	...	...
Amritsar	9 —	10 12	11 4	13 14	...	...	7 6	7 12	15 8	21 4	12 —	...
Siálkot	9 8	10 8	12 8	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	13 —	...
Hills—												
Simla	7 4	8 4	10 —	10 12	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	10 —	9 4
Kángra	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	8 6	9 14	13 12	14 8	...	...	7 —	7 8	15 8	15 8	11 7	13 —
Attock	9 —	10 8	15 —	16 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	13 —	14 —
Western—												
Sháhpur	9 4	10 4	13 8	15 8	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	13 —	14 —
Jhang	8 —	10 —	13 4	13 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	15 —	18 —	11 8	12 —
Lyallpur	9 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Multan	8 12	10 —	11 —	12 4	...	...	8 8	8 8	14 8	15 8	11 8	14 —
Montgomery	8 4	9 6	11 —	12 —	...	...	7 8	6 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —
Muzaffargarh	9 12	10 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	9 4	10 —	13 2	13 9	...	...	9 8	9 8	15 —	15 —	14 6	15 8
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	8 8	10 2	14 8	15 —	3 9	3 9	8 4	8 8	...	...	9 8	9 8
Pesháwar	8 5	10 7	16 —	16 15	4 9	4 9	...	6 13	18 8	18 4	12 —	12 —
Kohát	8 13	9 13	14 3	14 10	3 13	3 14	8 15	8 15	15 5	15 5	13 —	14 13
Bannu	10 5	11 9	15 15	15 10	4 3	4 3	8 2	8 12	16 4	20 —	12 8	15 —
Dera Ismael Khan	...	9 1	12 8	12 8	3 7	3 6	6 14	6 4	13 8	15 —	13 12	13 12
Tochi	12 —	12 —	24 —	25 8	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Kurram	10 8	11 —	18 8	19 8	8 8	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	11 —	11 —	17 —	18 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	7 13	8 12	11 12	10 12	3 2	3 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	8 —	8 —	...		6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	11 —	10 8
Hyderabad	8 —	9 —	...	...	7 8	8 —	8 8	9 —	14 —	14 —	12 12	13 —
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	8 8	9 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	14 —	16 —	12 —	12 8
Shikárpur	8 8	9 —	...	...	4 14	5 —	5 6	5 8	12 —	14 —	12 —	13 —
Upper Sind Frontier	8 8	9 4	...	...	6 4	6 4	6 12	6 12	11 —	12 —	13 —	16 —
Quetta	...	8 — to 8 3	10 12	10 15	3 2	3 2	6 8	6 8	10 13	11 3½	12 13	11 7
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	7 5	6 13	...	...	5 1	5 5	7 4	6 12	12 8	12 8	11 —	11 —
Ratnagiri	6 3	6 3	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 3	7 3	12 9	12 9	10 4	10 14
Alibág	6 5	6 5	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 3	7 3	...	...	8 5	8 5
Bombay	*7 —	*7 10	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 6	6 6	12 4	12 4	8 5	8 5
Thanna	8 13	8 13	...	...	6 6	6 6	6 15	6 15	14 3	14 3	12 12	12 12
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	10 11	...	...	...	6 13	7 12	...	8 10	16 1	..	12 3	12 3
Belgaum	8 8	9 5	...	...	6 5	6 13	7 8	7 8	13 8	13 —	13 13	13 13
Satara	9 11	9 11	...	...	4 7	4 13	5 14	5 14	14 —	14 —	12 13	12 13
Sholapur	10 10	11 2	...	...	6 15	6 15	7 9	7 9	18 2	16 5	13 8	14 6
Bijapur	11 2	11 2	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 13	7 13	18 10	18 10	15 6	15 6
Poona	8 6	8 6	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 11	6 11	...	16 13	10 13	10 13
Khandesh and N.-E Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	10 5	10 5	..	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	17 14	17 14	12 10	12 10
Násik	8 14	10 5	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	...	10 2	11 10
Dhulia	...	10 3	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	13 13	13 13	11 2	...
Jalgaon	8 3	8 7	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	15 12	16 10	14 —	14 —
Gujarat—												
Surat	6 15	6 15	...	...	5 1	5 5	6 15	6 15	12 15	13 14	12 —	12 —
Broach	7 8	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	11 —	11 8
Kaira	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	16 —	16 —	15 —	13 8
Baroda	7 4	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	9 8	10 —
Ahmedabad	8 —	8 8	...	...	4 4	4 8	5 —	5 8	15 —	16 —	12 8	13 —
Godhra	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	13 —	13 —
Disa	8 —	9 4	...	...	4 12	4 12	5 4	5 4	13 8	20 —	11 —	12 —
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	8 8	10 —	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 8	5 8	13 —	15 —	10 —	10 8
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	8 7	9 9	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	16 8	18 9	...	...
Hoshangabad	9 11	9 11	...	...	3 4	3 —	8 9	8 9	15 3	15 3	...	...
Betul	9 6	10 2	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 5	8 5	16 —	19 11	...	...
Chhindwara	8 7	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 10	8 2	8 12	15 7	19 —	...	...
Nagpur	8 15	10 8	...	...	4 14	5 3	8 12	9 2	14 4	15 7	...	...
Wardha	9 6	10 —	...	...	4 11	5 2	8 10	8 15	15 10	18 —	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*) Half-month of report	Ragi or Marua Previous half-month	Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*) Half-month of report	Kangni Previous half-month	Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*) Half-month of report	Gram Previous half-month	Maize (*Zea Mays*) Half-month of report	Maize Previous half-month	Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*) Half-month of report	Arhar Dál Previous half-month	Salt Half-month of report	Salt Previous half-month	Districts
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	12 8	13 —	13 —	14 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	20 —	Gurgáon
...	...	...	...	13 4	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	15 —	18 —	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	13 8	15 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	17 —	Karnál
												Submontane—
15 8	15 8	9 12	9 12	11 8	12 12	14 —	15 4	7 12	7 12	9 8	10 8	Ambala
...	...	7 8	7 8	12 —	13 —	14 —	16 8	6 —	6 —	10 —	11 8	Ludhiána
...	...	9 —	9 —	11 4	13 —	14 —	16 8	...	...	8 12	11 8	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	11 8	13 8	13 12	17 4	...	...	7 —	10 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	12 —	14 —	16 —	...	...	6 —	11 —	Gurdáspur
...	...	12 4	...	11 —	12 8	13 4	15 —	7 10	8 —	8 —	10 8	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	10 8	11 8	13 —	14 8	...	...	8 8	11 —	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	9 4	10 8	12 —	12 8	5 12	5 8	6 —	7 —	Simla
...	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	18 —	18 —	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 —	Kángra
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	10 12	11 12	12 —	13 8	...	6 8	9 —	12 —	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 12	14 —	15 —	6 —	6 —	11 —	13 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 12	15 —	16 —	6 4	6 4	11 —	11 —	Sháhpur
13 —	13 —	11 8	11 8	11 4	12 4	15 —	17 —	...	...	6 8	10 —	Jhang
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 8	14 —	18 —	7 —	7 —	7 —	12 —	Lyallpur
...	...	12 8	11 8	11 8	12 4	14 8	16 4	6 8	6 8	7 —	11 4	Multan
...	...	...	...	11 10	12 2	14 —	14 —	...	...	9 —	12 8	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...	7 —	13 —	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 8	...	5 —	4 6	4 6	12 —	12 —	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province—
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	12 —	15 8	...		7 8	11 4	Hazára
...	...	11 12	10 7	11 —	11 11	12 12	14 8	9 2	9 2	13 —	19 8	Peshάwar
...	...	10 —	10 —	10 6	10 15	13 10	15 8	...	...	15 5	21 —	Kohát
...	...	...	...	11 4	12 8	15 10	17 8	...	...	15 10	20 5	Bannu
...	...	...	...	10 12	11 4	13 12	12 8	...	...	13 —	15 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	...	...	15 —	18 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	16 —	15 —	...	...	13 —	14 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	13 —	15 —	...	...	12 —	10 8	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 10	12 —	...	...	...	...	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	10 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Karáchi
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 4	6 8	16 —	16 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	11 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	10 4½	10 10½	9 7 to 10 11	9 11½ to 10 14	5 2½ to 5 13½	5 — to 5 12	9 12	11 8	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
13 8	14 7	...	...	9 2	9 10	...	...	6 12	6 12	16 7	14 10	Karwar
10 2	10 2	...	...	9 7	9 7	...	...	6 12	6 12	18 3	18 3	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 5	6 5	17 9	17 9	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	...	9 —	9 5	...	...	6 2	6 14	15 10	15 10	Bombay
10 12	10 12	...	...	9 6	9 6	...		5 15	5 15	17 14	17 14	Thanna
												Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	9 6	10 5	...	...	7 15	7 15	13 4	12 3	Dharwar
16 13	16 13	...	...	8 11	9 11	...	...	7 5	7 5	14 1	14 1	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	11 6	12 2	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 2	14 11	Satara
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 14	...	...	8 6	7 9	15 12	16 8	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	7 14	7 14	13 13	17 11	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 1	10 1	...	...	6 14	6 14	15 15	15 15	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	11 5	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 12	13 12	Ahmednagar
13 13	14 15	...	...	11 8	11 8	...	...	7 4	7 4	15 7	15 7	Násik
...	...	...	...	8 2	9 12	...	...	7 9	7 9	14 —	14 —	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 5	8 5	14 4	14 7	Jalgáon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	10 10	11 2	...	...	5 12	5 12	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	21 5	21 5	Broach
17 —	15 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	24 —	24 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 —	6 12	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	9 12	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	22 8	22 8	Ahmedabad
16 —	20 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	8 —	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	80 —	80 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	7 7	7 15	14 14	15 12	Nimar
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 1	...	...	9 2	9 2	16 —	16 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 5	7 5	14 —	14 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 5	7 15	14 —	14 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 4	7 15	12 —	13 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	9 6	9 6	13 13	17 —	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916—*concluded*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
Central Provinces—*continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	8 8	9 9	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 13	6 13	16 —	16 —	...	...
Saugor	8 8	9 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 4	8 4	14 —	17 8	...	...
Damoh	9 2	10 2	...	...	6 11	6 11	8 5	8 2	17 1	18 5	...	...
Jubbulpore	9 —	9 10	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Mandla	9 —	11 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	8 —	9 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bálághát	9 4	9 15	...	...	5 7	5 7	9 10	9 10	...	...	...	...
Bhandára	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	...	8 15	8 15	16 10	20 3	...	...
Chánda	9 1	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 6	8 12	16 10	16 10	...	...
Eastern—												
Biláspur	8 9	10 11	...	...	8 —	8 9	9 14	10 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	8 2	11 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Drug	8 8	10 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 8	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	11 6	10 11	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 14	6 6	20 5	21 10	...	...
Akola	9 11	9 11	...	...	3 10	3 10	7 14	7 14	18 15	18 15	...	...
Amráoti	8 2	9 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 1	9 —	...	18 —	...	...
Yeotmal	9 6	9 15	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 10	8 10	19 —	20 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	7 7	7 7	9 —	9 —	4 1	4 1	9 5	9 5	14 —	14 —	15 1	15 1
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 14	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	7 7	...	...	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	13 5	9 4	10 4
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 2	...	...	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	16 10	16 10	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 14	15 4	9 2	10 8
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godávari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 10	7 2	...	...	20 4	22 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 6	11 6	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 15	7 11	10 7	10 7	10 8	10 —
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	12 8	12 8	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 15	6 15	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	11 13	13 —
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	12 5	12 5
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	10 3	11 —	12 5	12 5
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	12 3	13 5	11 5	11 10
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	11 —	...	...
Mysore—												
Mysore	8 —	8 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Bangalore	7 —	7 —	8 6	8 6	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 —	5 12	6 —	6 —	5 4	5 4	7 —	7 4	...	...	...	...
Aden	5 1	5 1	...	...	4 10	4 7	5 1	4 13	9 5	9 5	8 —	[illegible]

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Bunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces —*continued*
												Central—
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 15	...	...	7 14	7 5	14 —	14 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 8	...	...	6 12	6 12	15 —	15 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	12 6	11 11	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 —	14 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	16 —	...	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	12 1	12 1	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 —	14 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	10 3	10 14	...	...	7 13	7 13	10 13	10 13	Bálághát
...	...	...	...	9 10	9 10	...	...	6 6	7 4	10 11	10 4	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	8 15	8 15	...	...	8 12	8 12	13 13	13 13	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	9 14	10 11	10 11	10 11	Biláspur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 8	11 —	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	...	...	7 11	7 11	12 9	14 5	Buldána
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 6	8 6	11 6	11 6	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	9 12	9 12	16 —	16 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 1	9 1	14 13	14 13	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad—
18 4	18 4	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 14	17 10	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	15 11	15 11	S. Canara
												South, central—
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 7	17 5	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	Salem
												Central—
19 13	16 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 14	16 14	Bellary
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 3	18 3	Anantapur
14 15	15 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 3	14 3	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 —	12 5	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
15 15	15 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 10	17 —	Ganjam
14 13	14 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Vizagapatam
14 14	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
11 12	11 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 2	21 2	Guntur
12 14	12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 14	12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 15	22 11	Madras
13 11	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 12	22 6	Chingleput
16 4	16 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 11	N. Arcot
12 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
13 5	13 5	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	18 6	15 6	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
14 13	14 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 4	20 11	Tinnevelly
13 5	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 6	19 6	Madura
												Mysore—
16 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 12	6 12	14 —	14 —	Mysore
15 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
17 —	16 8	...	...	16 8	17 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	18 —	13 —	Coorg
...	...	...	...	7 7	7 9	...	...	6 3	6 1	32 —	32 —	**Aden**

WHEAT-PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE SECOND HALF OF NOVEMBER 1916.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	FORTNIGHT ENDING 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11
	Calcutta (Club No. 2):	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5
	Aligarh	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 12 3	4 12 7
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 11 9	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5
	Index Numbers (a)	100	100	102	103	104	105

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs.

Fortnight ending										
31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3
4 3 6	4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7
5 2 6	5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0
4 3 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0
4 2 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0
3 12 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0
4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0
4 11 0	5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0
4 7 6	4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10
4 13 8	5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0
4 9 0	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6
4 2 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0
4 13 6	5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4
4 2 3	4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3
4 9 2	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6
4 8 1	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7
4 9 1	4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4
4 1 7	4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5
5 5 7	5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5
3 11 6	3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10
4 1 0	4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2
...	...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2
4 12 4	...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0
4 12 4	4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6
3 14 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0
4 8 0	4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6
5 0 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0
5 1 4	5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6
5 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7
4 9 0	4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0
110	115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (White)*	5 4 3	4 12 3	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3	4 6 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy).	4 15 2	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...	...
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 3 6	4 13 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0	4 12 0
Punjab	Lahore	4 13 6	4 3 3	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 6	4 0 0
	Ferozepur	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0
	Lyallpur	4 10 0	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0	4 0 0
	Amritsar	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 7 9	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0
	Multan	4 6 0	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 6	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0	4 6 0
	Ambala	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	4 5 0
Delhi	Delhi	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 9 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 15 3	4 13 11	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5	4 6 5
	Aligarh	4 8 8	4 3 6	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5	4 9 4
	Cawnpore	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0
	Meerut	4 8 6	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 3 6
	Shahjahanpur	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0
	Agra	4 11 3	4 7 1	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1	4 7 1
	Fyzabad	4 9 2	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 6
	Lucknow	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 10
	Jubbulpore	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2	4 8 2
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10	4 7 2
	Akola	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7	3 15 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 8 7	4 8 7	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10	3 13 4
Baluchistan	Quetta	5 2 0	4 15 6	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3	4 0 5
Bombay	Poona	5 7 10	5 6 2	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4	5 4 1
	Ahmednagar	4 1 1	...	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1	4 13 9
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
	Dharwar	3 3 5	3 7 0	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9	3 8 1
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 8 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 9
	Ranchi	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
	Cuttack	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 11 3
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
	Mandalay	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 11 3	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2	4 7 1
	Index Numbers (a)	114	109	103	104	104	106	107

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*contd.*

Fortnight ending											
31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9
...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11
4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0
4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0
4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
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4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
4 6 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3
4 7 5	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7
4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0
4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 13 0	4 12 0
4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6
4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8
4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10
4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10
4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5
3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2
4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8
3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1
5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1
4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11
4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6
3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4
4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0
5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7
4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7
108	114	111	114	116	115	117	118	117	117	118	117

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	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6
Punjab	Lahore	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3
	Ferozepur	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3
	Lyallpur	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0
	Amritsar	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 6	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3
	Multan	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0
	Rawalpindi	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0
	Ambala	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0
Delhi	Delhi	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11
	Aligarh	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1
	Cawnpore	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0
	Meerut	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6
	Agra	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 8 4
	Fyzabad	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3
	Lucknow	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10
	Jubbulpore	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2
	Raipur	...	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2
	Akola	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1
Bombay	Poona	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11
	Ahmednagar	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2
	Amedabad	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
	Dharwar	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0
	Bhagalpur	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Ranchi	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0
	Cuttack	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4
Bengal	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 12 7
	(Median Average)	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1
	Index Numbers (b)	117	114	113	101	95	92	92	92	92

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% rfl.

(a) Prices at ports after 30th November 1916.

Ports	Rate per	On 5th December 1916. Rs. A. P.	On 15th December 1916. Rs. A. P.	On 22nd December 1916. Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 13 9	4 13 9	4 14 3
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Possy)	"	4 15 0	4 13 0	4 12 3
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	5 1 6	5 0 0	4 14 0

(b) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*concld.*

	Fortnight ending												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 30th November 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	On 15th October 1916	On 31st October 1916.	On 15th November 1916.	On 30th November 1916.	
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
1	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 3	4 13 3	+5
2	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	4 14 10	+7
3	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0	5 2 6	+11
4	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 9 3	+12
5	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 1 9	+8
6	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	4 6 0	+ 0
7	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	+23
8	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 7 0	+11
9	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 10 0	+17
10	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 12 0	+21
11	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	5 0 0	+22
12	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11	*Nil*
13	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	4 11 7	+15
14	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 9 0	+11
15	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	5 2 9	+29
16	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	4 9 0	+17
17	4 8 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	5 5 4	+20
18	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 5 6	+11
19	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 2	+14
20	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 5 0	+16
21	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	4 6 0	+8
22	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	4 8 0	+25
23	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	*Nil*
24	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	3 12 7	4 4 3	+13
25	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	5 0 3	+4
26	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7	...	4 11 9	...
27	3 9 10	3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 1	3 10 9	+5
28	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	+6
29	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	3 8 2	—4
30	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 12 0	+8
31	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	—5
32	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	*Nil*
33	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	+17
34	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	*Nil*
35	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	*Nil*
36	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
37	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	4 8 1	—11
	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 0	+11
	92	90	93	92	94	97	97	95	94	94	97	110	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 30th November as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915 :—

	1916.			1915.		
	15th November	30th November.	Increase or Decrease.	15th November.	30th November.	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	114	+14	100	99	—1
Punjab . .	100	113	+13	100	100	*Nil*
United Provinces .	100	114	+14	100	100	*Nil*
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	119	+19	100	97	—3

B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5¼	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING

31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8
7 8	6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12
9 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12
10 0	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12
10 4	9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0
9 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4
9 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12
9 12	7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0
8 8	8 6	8 1⅓	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5
8 4	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4
8 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0
8 8	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0
8 12	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14
9 8	8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4
9 8	8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2
8 4	8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15
8 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4
9 8	8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0
7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6
10 0	9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2
9 13	9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10⅓	8 2¼	7 4¼	7 1	7 8¼
6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2
7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0
10 0	9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8
9 0	8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8
8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0
7 14	7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9
7 8	7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12
8 8	8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12
112	120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 0	9 0	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12
	Ferozopur	8 0	9 8	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12
	Amritsar	7 14	8 8	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0
	Rawalpindi	8 12	8 14	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12
	Lyallpur	8 8	9 8	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12
	Multan	9 0	10 4	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4
	Ambala	7 8	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6
Delhi	Delhi	7 12	9 0	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0
United Provinces.	Benares	7 13	7 13	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8
	Cawnpore	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Meerut	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8
	Agra	8 0	8 8	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Lucknow	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Aligarh	8 2	8 14	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4
	Shahjahanpur	8 12	9 10	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14
	Fyzabad	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 15	8 15	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15
	Jubbulpore	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Akola	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	7 13	8 1	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0
Bombay	Poona	6 13	7 2	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8
	Bhagalpur	8 12	8 14	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	8 14
	Muzaffarpur	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0
	Cuttack	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5
	(Median Average)	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers(a)	116	112	106	106	108	109	112

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* [**The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.**]

Fortnight ending										
31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12
9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8
10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 13	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11
8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12
8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0
8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4
8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12
9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4
9 10	9 0	9 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0
8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14
8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6
9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11
10 2	9 13¾	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8	9 0¾	8 4¾	8 4½	8 6	8 9½
7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3
7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14
8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0
10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0
8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4
7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0
7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3
5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14
8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
112	116	116	116	120	118	120	120	120	120	120

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th January 1916. sr. ch.	31st January 1916. sr. ch.	15th February 1916. sr. ch.	29th February 1916. sr. ch.	15th March 1916. sr. ch.	31st March 1916. sr. ch.	15th April 1916. sr. ch.	30th April 1916. sr. ch.	15th May 1916. sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0
	Bombay*	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8	10 12
	Ferozepore	9 0	9 6	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Amritsar	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12	12 12
	Rawalpindi	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0	10 12
	Lyallpur	9 8	9 8	8 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0	12 12
	Multan	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4	12 4
	Ambala	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8	11 12
Delhi	Delhi	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0
United Provinces	Benares	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8	8 15	...
	Cawnpore	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	9 8	10 0	10 8	10 8
	Meerut	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4
	Agra	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4	9 4
	Lucknow	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4
	Aligarh	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	11 0
	Shahjahanpur	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12	12 8
	Fyzabad	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4	11 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11	10 0
	Jubbulpore	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4	11 14
	Raipur	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4
	Akola	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8	10 8
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1	9 1
Bombay	Poona	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	10 14
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Bhagalpur	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0	10 0
	Muzaffarpur	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Ranchi	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 8
	Cuttack	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12	8 4
	(Median Average)	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 0½	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6
	Index Numbers (a)	120	120	118	116	106	96	96	96	92

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*concld.* **[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]**

Fortnight ending: 31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	On 31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 30th November 1916 compared with preceding fortnight.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	*Nil*
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 0	+9
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0	9 12	9 8	8 8	+12
11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 4	9 8	+8
11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12	10 9	10 12	9 0	+19
10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6	10 10	9 14	8 6	+18
12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11	10 0	10 0	9 0	+11
11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	+14
11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 2	+23
10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 8	7 12	+23
9 12	9 12	...	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10	9 10	9 12	9 3	+6
10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	8 4	+12
11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 9	10 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 12	7 8	+30
9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 [illegible]	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	7 0	+25
10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14	8 8	+16
11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 0	+6
12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	10 12	10 6	9 0	+15
10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12	10 0	10 0	8 14	+13
10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	8 15	+14
11 14	13 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 8	9 10	9 0	+7
11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	8 2	+35
9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	*Nil*
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14	10 7	9 5	+12
9 0¾	9 0	9 0	9 2¼	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6	8 8	8 1½	8 1½	7 15¾	+1
8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	*Nil*
9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	*Nil*
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	+6
11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	10 11	+5
11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	10 8	+10
10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5	9 6	8 0	8 4	—3
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	7 8	+27
9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	*Nil*
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 8	8 4	—9
10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	8 8	+15
96	96	92	94	96	96	98	97	96	96	96	98	112	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th November as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1916 and 1915 :—

	1916. 15th November	1916. 30th November	1916. Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	1915. 15th November.	1915. 30th November.	1915. Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	115	+15	100	100	*Nil*
Punjab . .	100	114	+14	100	100	*Nil*
United Provinces.	100	112	+12	100	102	+2
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	111	+11	100	95	—5

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	Karachi. White (5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red). Price.		Index Numbers.	Karachi. Red (5% barley, 3% dirt and 92% red). Price.		Index Numbers.	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissy). Price.		Index Numbers.	Calcutta (Club No. 2). Price.		Index Numbers.
	s.	d.		s.	d.		s.	d.		s.	d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31	6	100	31	3	100	32	9	100	34	9½	100
" 6th August "	31	3	99	31	0	99	32	10½	100	34	9½	100
" 3rd September "	34	6	110	34	3	110	...		...	34	10½	100
" 1st October "	35	9	113	35	1¼	112	33	7	103	...		...
" 5th November "	38	9	123	38	0	122	34	9½	106	41	8¾	120
" 3rd December "	40	0	127	39	0	125	35	10½	110	44	4	127
" 30th " "	44	3	140	41	6	133	40	7½	124	...		...
" 7th January 1915	42	6	135	39	6	126	41	0	125	47	4	136
" 4th February "	45	0	143	43	0	138	42	1	128	48	10	140
" 25th " "	50	0	159	48	0	154	41	2	126	50	10	146
" 4th March "	44	6	141	42	6	136	38	4	117	49	10	143
" 1st April "	42	0	133	39	0	125	35	8¼	109	40	10¼	117
" 6th May "	37	6	119	36	9	118	38	5	117	34	4½	99
" 3rd June "	36	6	116	35	9	114	39	7¼	121	34	10½	100
" 2nd July "	34	0	108	33	3	106	...		..	35	10½	103
" 23rd " "	34	9	110	34	0	109	38	6¼	118	37	1½	107
" 6th August "	34	9	110	34	0	109	...		...	38	7¼	111
" 27th " "	36	0	114	35	0	112	41	4½	126	39	4½	113
" 3rd September "	36	3	115	35	3	113	42	1	128	40	10	117
" 29th " "	38	0	121	37	3	119	40	0	122	40	4½	116
" 8th October "	37	6	119	36	9	118	39	5½	120	40	10½	117
" 5th November "	37	9	120	37	3	119	40	4	123	42	4	122
" 3rd December "	36	9	117	36	6	117	39	6	121	41	10	120
" 7th January 1916	37	4½	119	37	1½	119	39	11	122	42	4	122
" 4th February "	34	9	110	34	6	110	38	9	118	37	10	109
" 3rd March "	33	9	107	33	6	107	37	5	114	38	10	112
" 7th April "	30	9	98	30	6	98	35	3	108	32	11	95
" 5th May "	28	10½	92	28	7½	92	33	8	108	32	11	95
" 12th " "	34	3	109	30	0	96	33	8	103	32	5	93
" 2nd June "	30	3	96	30	0	96	34	7	106	33	3	96
" 9th " "	30	0	95	29	9	95	32	3	98	33	11	95
" 16th " "	29	0	93	28	9	92	32	7	99	32	8	94
" 23rd " "	28	6	90	28	3	90	32	7	90	32	2	92
" 30th " "	29	0	92	28	9	92	33	4	102	32	8	94
" 7th July "	29	9	94	29	6	94	34	0	104	32	5	93
" 14th " "	32	0	102	31	9	102	33	8	108	33	2	95
" 21st " "	32	9	104	32	6	104	34	5	105	32	8	94
" 28th " "	33	6	106	33	3	106	35	6	108	33	4½	96
" 4th August "	34	0	108	33	9	108	35	6	108	32	10½	94
" 11th " "	35	0	111	34	6	110	36	0½	110	34	1½	98
" 18th " "	35	3	112	34	3	110	36	5	111	34	4½	99
" 25th " "	35	10½	114	34	10½	112	36	5	111	34	4½	99
" 31st " "	36	3	115	34	3	113	36	2½	111	33	4½	96
" 8th September "	35	4½	112	34	4½	110	36	7½	112	34	1½	98
" 15th " "	35	4½	112	34	4½	110	35	10½	110	34	1½	98
" 22nd " "	34	0	108	33	0	106	35	6	108	34	1½	98
" 29th " "	34	0	108	33	0	106	34	9½	106	34	1½	98
" 5th October "	34	0	108	33	0	106	33	8	103	...		...
" 13th " "	35	6	113	34	6	110	34	9½	106	34	1½	98
" 20th " "	34	3	109	33	3	106	34	4	105	34	1½	98
" 27th " "	35	6	113	34	6	110	35	2	107	34	1½	98
" 3rd November "	36	3	115	35	3	113	37	0	118	34	11	100
" 10th " "	36	9	117	35	9	114	37	0	113	34	11	100
" 17th " "	36	6	116	35	6	114	36	7	112	36	10	106
" 24th " "	37	9	120	36	9	118	39	2	120	37	10	109
" 1st December "	38	6	122	37	6	120	39	3	120	41	1	118
" 8th " "	38	9	123	37	9	121	39	4	120	40	7	117
" 15th " "	38	9	123	37	0	121	38	4	117	39	10	114
" 22nd " "	39	0	124	38	0	122	38	0	116	38	10	112

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades, taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi. Price.	Choice White Karachi. Index Numbers.	Red Karachi. Price.	Red Karachi. Index Numbers.	Delhi. Price.	Delhi. Index Numbers.	Choice White Bombay. Price.	Choice White Bombay. Index Numbers.	Club No. 1. Price.	Club No. 1. Index Numbers.	Club No. 2. Price.	Club No. 2. Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914 .	39 6 July-Aug.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st August " .	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914.	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October " .	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November " .	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December " .	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th " " .	Nominal	...	...	..	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	..	..	50 6 April-May sellers.	100
30th " "	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	103
8th January 1915 .	52 3 Do.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
4th February " .	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th " " .	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	128
4th March " .	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	118
8th April " .	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	127
6th May " .	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	129
12th " " .	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do	127	68 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June " .	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
2nd July " .	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
23rd " " .	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August " .	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
27th " " .	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
3rd September " .	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	..	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th Sept. 15 to 18th April 16.	No sellers	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916 .	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...
19th May 1916 .	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th June 1916 .	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd " " .	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..
27th " "	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
From 29th June to 7th July '16.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916 .	58 6 July-Aug.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " " .	59 0 Do.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th " " .	61 3 July-Aug. sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th August " .	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th " " .	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th " " .	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..
25th " " .	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st " " .	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September " .	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th " " .	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " " .	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th " " .	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October " .	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th " " .	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st " " .	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th " " .	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November " .	79 0 paid	200	Do.	...	79 6 sellers.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th " " .	80 0 passage.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Nominal.	157	..	...	...	...	...	...
17th " " .	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	..	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th " " .	81 0 paid	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st December " .	82 0 buyers.	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th and 15th Dec. 1916	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th December 1916 .	82 0 paid.	208	81 6 paid.	163	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " " .	No sellers.	...	Nominal.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...

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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

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Final General Memorandum on the INDIGO Crop of 1916-17.

This memorandum is based upon reports received from provinces containing practically the whole area under indigo in British India. The figures refer to the crop which is now being marketed.

The total area is estimated at 756,400 acres, which is 114 per cent in excess of the finally revised acreage (353,100 acres) of last year. All the provinces show an increase in the area sown, the largest increases being in the United Provinces and in the Punjab.

The total yield of dye is estimated at 95,500 cwts, as against 55,100 cwts, the finally revised estimate of last year, or an increase of 73 per cent.

The present estimate of yield, as against the final figures of last year, shows an increase of 267 per cent in the Punjab, 252 per cent in the United Provinces, 117 per cent in Bombay and Sind, 53 per cent in Bihar and Orissa, and 46 per cent in Madras.

The season has not, on the whole, been favourable for the crop except in the Punjab and Bombay and Sind. Heavy rainfall and floods adversely affected the crop in the United Provinces and in parts of Bihar and Orissa and Madras.

Details for the provinces are given below :—

Provinces.	Estimated total Yield.		Acreage.		Average yield per acre.	
	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16.
	cwts.	cwts.			lbs.	lbs.
Bihar and Orissa	10,900	7,100	80,600	60,800	15	13
Madras	59,100	40,500	449,900	222,000	15	20
Punjab	9,900	2,700	57,400	21,400	19	14
United Provinces	14,100	4,000	159,300	43,200	10	10
Bombay and Sind (including Native States).	1,300	600	7,000	4,100	21	16
Bengal	200	200	2,200	1,600	10	14
TOTAL*	95,500	55,100	756,400	353,100	14	17

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Bihar and Orissa (**37·9 per cent** of the total area under indigo in British India).—The total area sown is estimated at 80,600 acres as against 60,800 acres last year, or an increase of nearly 33 per cent. According to the estimates furnished by the Bihar Planters' Association for Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga, and by the District Officers for the remaining four districts, the crop of the province is estimated at 10,900 cwts (16,300 factory maunds), as against 7,100 cwts (10,600 factory maunds) last year, or an increase of 53 per cent. In the important districts of North Bihar, the weather conditions before harvest were, on the whole, normal, although some damage was done by drought in May and June. The harvesting began at the usual time but some of the crop was destroyed by floods, and the outturn in places turned out less than what was anticipated in the preliminary forecast.

Madras (**33·4 per cent** of the total area under indigo in British India).—The total area sown with the indigo crop is reported to be 449,900 acres, which is more than twice the finally revised area of last year. The largest areas have been grown in the districts of Guntur, Kistna (Nandigama taluk), Kurnool, Cuddapah, and Nellore. The area grown in South Arcot and Chingleput also shows a large increase. The total yield is estimated at 59,100 cwts, as against 40,500 cwts, the revised figure of last year, or an increase of 46 per cent. Heavy rains in Guntur and the Deccan districts have seriously damaged the crop, so that the yield of dye per acre is poor and the quality mostly indifferent. In North Arcot, Salem, and Chittoor, the season was more favourable. On the whole, however, this year's crop is much inferior to that of last year.

Punjab (**15·1 per cent** of the total area under indigo in British India).—The total area under indigo is estimated at 57,400 acres, which is 168 per cent above the finally revised estimate of last year. The total yield is estimated at 9,900 cwts, as against 2,700 cwts last year, or an increase of 267 per cent. Climatic conditions were favourable and harvesting began on the normal dates in all districts.

United Provinces (**21·4 per cent** of the total area under indigo in British India).—The total area is now reported to be 159,300 acres, as against 43,200 acres, the revised area of last year, or an increase of 269 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 14,100 cwts, of which a certain proportion is *kutcha* indigo and consumed locally. This is 252 per cent in excess of last year's estimate. In the western districts the early sown crop did well, but the crop sown late suffered from continuous wet weather. In the eastern districts heavy rainfall and floods damaged the indigo crop. From the latest factory reports it appears that the provisional estimate made in the October forecast was too high, and that the average yield will not exceed 70 per cent of the normal. The provincial Director believes this to be due partly to the wet season and partly to the inexperience of many of the manufacturers, who were making dye for the first time.

Bombay and Sind (**1·7 per cent** of the total area under indigo in British India).—The total area sown is now estimated at 7,000 acres (including 4,300 acres in the Khairpur State), which is 71 per cent in excess of the area of last year. The total yield is estimated at more than double that of the previous year (1,300 cwts, as against 600 cwts last year). The crop throve well under good inundation, and was very fair in Sukkur and good in Khairpur.

Bengal (**0·3 per cent** of the total area under indigo in British India).—The total area and outturn are 2,200 acres and 200 cwts, as compared with 1,600 acres and 200 cwts last year.

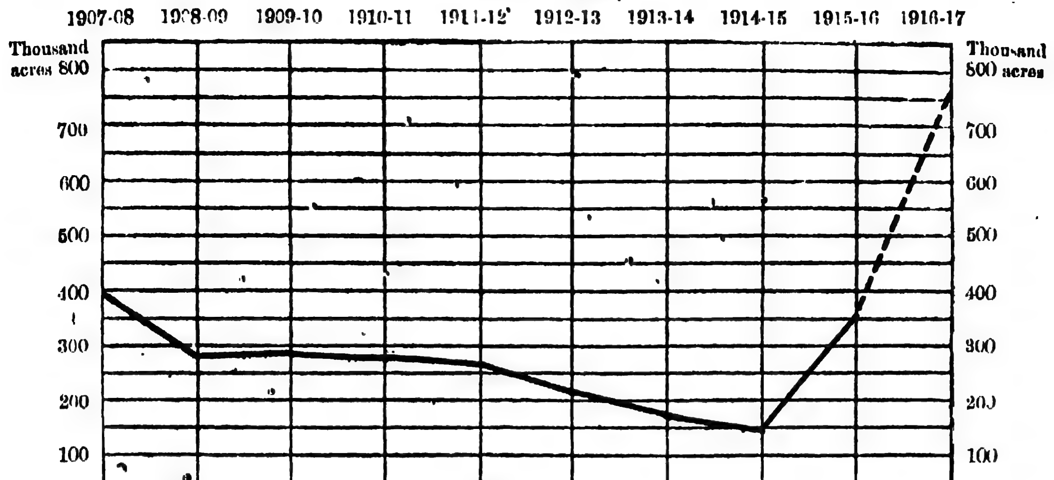
*In addition to the area for which particulars are given above, the crop is grown on a very limited scale in Upper Burma, for which no forecast is prepared, and the average area so grown for the last five years has been some 200 acres. On the basis of the average outturn per acre in other provinces, this area would produce only about 25 cwts of dye.

Chart.—The chart below shows the variations in the present figures of area and yield as compared with the finally revised figures of the last nine years.

AREA AND YIELD OF INDIGO

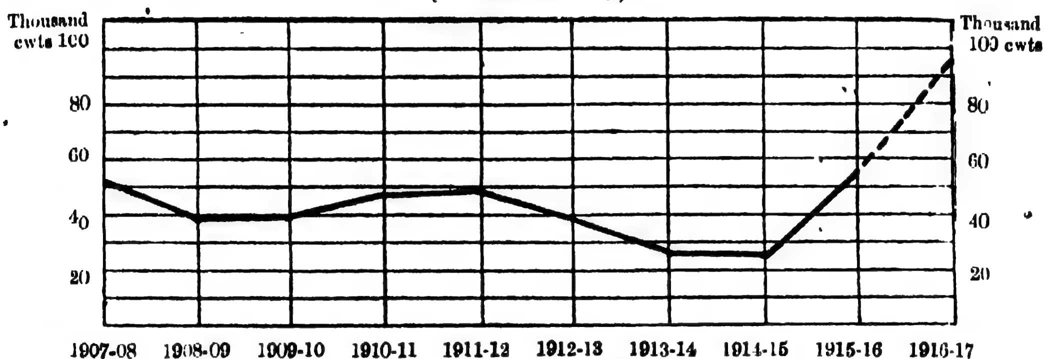
AREA

(In thousands of acres)



YIELD

(In thousands of cwts)



Exports and Prices.—The exports by sea to foreign countries in each of the last five years have been (in cwts) :—

From	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.
	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.
Calcutta	14,498	9,229	8,752	9,897	13,147
Madras ports	2,510	2,065	1,787	5,393	26,171
Bombay	434	320	173	1,426	2,565
Karachi	1,705	236	227	425	58
Rangoon	8	7	...	1	1
TOTAL	19,155	11,857	10,939	17,142	41,942

The exports in each month of the last two years are stated below with the declared value per cwt :—

	Exports.		Average declared value per cwt.	
	1915-16.	1916-17.	1915-16.	1916-17.
	cwts.	cwts.	Rs.	Rs.
April	824	2,963	487	739
May	703	2,318	429	713
June	778	1,098	348	516
July	974	873	471	590
August	1,241	476	402	597
September	2,440	1,496	356	631
October	3,662	949	412	584
November	4,088	6,517	462	543
December	3,399		490	
January	8,410		506	
February	9,608		561	
March	5,815		565	

Prices realised at the Calcutta sales in each month of the last four indigo seasons are stated below (in rupees per cwt of good to fine indigo) :—

	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
	Rs. per cwt.	Rs. per cwt.	Rs. per cwt.	Rs. per cwt.
December	255	1,012	937	1,012
January	262	1,050	937	...
February	262	1,050	937	...
March	262	1,012	975	...

The imports of synthetic and natural indigo into the United Kingdom in the last five calendar years are stated below. Synthetic dye has been shown separately. Of the total amount of natural indigo (25,157 cwts) thus imported last year (1915) 22,322 cwts were imported from India, 824 cwts from Java and the rest from other countries.

	Synthetic indigo.	Indigo.	Total.
	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.
1911	24,287	4,917	29,204
1912	28,302	7,073	35,375
1913	23,889	4,174	28,063
1914	15,517	5,314	20,831
1915	6,542	25,157	31,699
1915 (10 months)	6,542	18,980	25,522
1916 (10 months)	...	28,245	28,245

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Final Estimate of the Indigo Crop of 1916-17.

Provinces and States	Area (in acres)			Increase (+) or Decrease (–) in the current year over	
	Current year (1916-17)	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years
				Per cent	Per cent
Bihar and Orissa	80,600	60,800	83,000	+82·6	–2·9
Madras	449,900	222,000	73,000	+102·7	+516·3
Punjab	57,400	21,400	32,900	+168·2	+74·5
United Provinces	159,300	43,200	24,800	+268·7	+542·3
Bombay and Sind (including Native States)	7,000	4,100	5,200(*a*)	+70·7	+34·6
Bengal	2,200	1,600	1,100(*b*)	+37·5	+100·0
TOTAL	756,400	353,100	220,000	+114·2	+243·8

Provinces and States	Yield (in cwt) of dye			Increase (+) or Decrease (–) in the current year over	
	Current year (1916-17)	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years
				Per cent	Per cent
Bihar and Orissa	10,900	7,100	11,700	+53·5	–6·8
Madras	59,100	40,500	16,200	+45·9	+264·8
Punjab	9,900	2,700	5,400	+265·6	+83·3
United Provinces	14,100	4,000	2,900	+252·5	+386·2
Bombay and Sind (including Native States)	1,300	600	1,300(*a*)	+116·7	...
Bengal	200	200	100(*b*)	...	+100·0
TOTAL	95,500	55,100	37,600	+73·3	+154·0

(*a*) For two years. (*b*) For four years.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

CALCUTTA, DECEMBER 20, 1916.

Third COTTON forecast, 1916-17.

This forecast is based on reports furnished by provinces, which comprise the entire cotton area of India. It deals with reports on both the early and the late varieties of cotton up to the 1st December, 1916. A fourth and final report will, as usual, be published in the third week of February, 1917.

The total area this year amounts to 20,702,000 acres as against 17,389,000 acres (the revised figure) on this date last year, or an increase of 19 per cent. As compared with the final estimate of last year (17,967,000 acres), the present estimate shows an increase of 15 per cent.

The total estimated yield is 4,515,000 bales of 400 lbs each, as against 3,686,000 bales (the revised figure) on this date last year, or an increase of 22 per cent. As compared with the final estimate of last year (3,819,000 bales), the present estimate shows an increase of 18 per cent.

The present estimate of outturn, as compared with the sum of actual exports (net) abroad, mill consumption, and estimated extra-factory consumption in 1915-16 (5,109,000 bales),* shows a decrease of 12 per cent.

The present figures for the provinces are as follows :—(The figures for previous years are given on page 6.)

Provinces	Acres	Bales of 400 lbs
Bombay (including Native States)	5,507,000	1,352,000
Central Provinces and Berar	4,402,000	884,000
Madras	2,114,000	354,000
Punjab (including Native States)	1,174,000	324,000
United Provinces (including Native States)	1,184,000	309,000
Sind (including Native States)	232,000	74,000
Burma	216,000	44,000
Bihar and Orissa	67,000	(a)16,000
Bengal (including Native States)	73,000	21,000
North-West Frontier Province	28,000	6,000
Assam	32,000	11,000
Ajmer-Merwara	47,000	20,000
Hyderabad	3,200,000	500,000
Central India	1,265,000	280,000
Baroda	706,000	170,000
Rajputana	384,000	133,000
Mysore	121,000	17,000
Total	20,702,000	4,515,000

On the basis of these figures, the average outturn per acre of the present crop for all India is 87 lbs, as against 85 lbs last year. The area increased almost everywhere, owing mainly to the stimulus of high prices obtained last year. The crop was, however, adversely affected by the heavy and continuous rain of September and October, particularly in the Central Provinces, the United Provinces, Sind, and Bengal. The present condition of the crop is on the whole fair.

A statement showing the present estimates of area and yield according to the recognised trade descriptions of cotton is given below.

Trade descriptions :

Description of cotton	Area (acres)	Yield (bales of 400 lbs)
Oomras—		
Khandesh	1,436,000	324,000
Central India	1,265,000	280,000
Barsi and Nagar (b)	3,429,000	534,000
Berar	3,118,000	638,000
Central Provinces	1,284,000	246,000
Total	10,532,000	2,022,000
Dholleras	2,032,000	581,000
Bengal-Sind—		
United Provinces	1,184,000	309,000
Rajputana	412,000	160,000
Sind-Punjab	1,434,000	404,000
Others	71,000	17,000
Total	3,101,000	890,000
Broach	1,197,000	313,000
Coompta Dharwars	1,036,000	223,000
Westerns and Northerns	1,276,000	159,000
Cocanadas	283,000	40,000
Tinnevellys	571,000	138,000
Salems including Cambodias	330,000	72,000
Comillas, Burmas, and other sorts	344,000	79,000
Grand Total	20,702,000	4,515,000

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Bombay (26·9 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area under both early and late cotton is estimated up to 1st December at 5,507,000 acres (including 2,067,000 acres in Native States, but excluding 706,000 acres in Baroda), which is 37 per cent above the area reported at this date last year. The cultivation of the crop was greatly restricted last year on account of the abnormal fall in prices on the outbreak of war. Prices, however, soon re-established themselves, and this, coupled with favourable sowing rains, encouraged the cultivators to resume sowings on the usual scale. The expected yield is at present estimated at 1,352,000 bales (including 566,000 bales in the Native States but excluding 170,000 bales in Baroda), which is 62 per cent in excess of the estimate made at this date last year. In North Gujarat and Kathiawar the crop suffered at first from insufficient early rains, and in South Gujarat continuous heavy rains damaged the young crop in places, necessitating resowing or replacement by other crops. Later rains, however, have been beneficial, and the crop is progressing

* Net exports abroad from September, 1915, to August, 1916, were 2,486,000 bales, the mill consumption 1,873,000 bales, and the estimated extra-factory consumption 750,000 bales as accepted by the Bombay Cotton Trade Association.

(a) An addition of about 1,000 bales may be made to this estimate in respect of the crop in the Native States of Bihar and Orissa which make no returns.

(b) Includes Hyderabad.

favourably everywhere. In the Deccan the crop did well in the beginning, but excessive rain in September caused some shedding of leaves and bolls in places, and the abnormally heavy rains of October-November further injured the crop, causing dropping of ripe bolls and discolouring the lint in many places in the north and east. Since then the crop has revived. In the Karnatak the crop was sown under favourable conditions. The October-November rains were somewhat injurious in parts of Belgaum and Dharwar, but the damage was comparatively small, and the crop has since improved and is doing well, although it is still young. The area and outturn of cotton by trade descriptions in the Bombay Presidency (including Baroda but excluding Sind) are :—

		Acres	Bales
Oomras	Kandesh	1,436,000	324,000
	Barsi and Nagar	229,000	34,000
Dholleras		2,032,000	581,000
Bengal-Sind (Rajputana)		31,000	7,000
Broach		1,197,000	313,000
Coompta and Dharwars		925,000	209,000
Westerns and Northerns		363,000	54,000

Central Provinces and Berar (19·9 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown is reported to be 4,402,000 acres (3,118,000 acres being in Berar), which is 8 per cent above the area at this date last year. All the important cotton growing districts except Wardha and Yeotmal contributed towards the increase, which is attributed partly to favourable climatic conditions at sowing time and partly to the high price of cotton last year. The yield is estimated at 884,000 bales (638,000 bales being in Berar), which is 20 per cent below the estimate made at this date last year. The rainfall of June was generally well distributed. Moderate to heavy rain fell in July and August and continued up to the end of October. Good showers were also received in the first and the last weeks of November. The heavy and continuous rain retarded weeding operations, damaged the crop, and stunted its growth on heavy soils in nearly all the southern districts. A certain amount of low-lying heavy land which had been sown with cotton, has now been reploughed and sown with rabi crops. The season was remarkable for the absence of sunshine, which is very beneficial to the full development of the cotton plants.

Madras (10·3 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown is at present estimated at 2,114,000 acres (13,000 acres being in the Banganapalle State), which is 7 per cent above the area at the corresponding date of last year. The sowings of *Tinnevellys* were not completed at the date of report, and it is expected that the ultimate area under that variety will be from 15 to 20 per cent larger than the figures now reported. The total yield is now estimated at 354,000 bales (1,000 bales being in the Native State), which is 31 per cent above the estimate at this date last year. The season has been marked by heavy rains in the north and by a scarcity of sowing rains in the south. In the central districts the season has been favourable, resulting in a marked increase in the area sown with *Salems* (including *Cambodias*). An increased outturn is expected from the '*Salems*' area where much *Cambodia* cotton has been grown this year. There are good prospects of *Northerns* and *Westerns*, yielding a fair crop in spite of the set-back due to the heavy rains at sowing time. A normal outturn is expected on the *Tinnevellys* area. The area and outturn of cotton according to trade descriptions are as follows :—

	Acres	Bales
Tinnevellys	571,000	136,000
Salems (including Cambodias)	327,000	71,000
Northerns and Westerns	913,000	105,000
Cocanadas	283,000	40,000
Others	20,000	2,000

Punjab (7·3 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown is reported to be 1,174,000 acres (98,000 acres being in the Native States), which is 27 per cent above the area reported at this date last year. The increase is attributed partly to the high prices of cotton last year and partly to the heavy rainfall in the latter half of July, which stimulated late sowings on unirrigated areas. The total yield is estimated at 324,000 bales (35,000 bales being in the Native States), showing an increase of 60 per cent over the estimate made at this date last year, which was a bad year for unirrigated cotton. The season has been favourable for the maturing of the crop, although some damage by excessive rains and floods is reported from some districts.

United Provinces (5·7 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown is reported to be 1,184,000 acres (10,000 acres being in the Rampur State), which is 42 per cent above the area reported at this date last year. The yield is estimated at 309,000 bales (including 2,000 bales in the Native State), which is 18 per cent above last year's yield. This is the second year in succession that the season has been unfavourable to the cotton crop. Early rain which fell in June throughout the cotton tract favoured sowings. During July and August the rainfall was heavy and continuous ; the ground was water-logged, and a difficulty was experienced in weeding. At the beginning of September there was a short break which benefited the crop. The monsoon then set in again and there was continuous rain till the first week of October. The heavy showers of September caught the crop when in flower and greatly reduced the yield. The quality of the lint is on the whole up to the average.

Sind (1·3 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown is reported to be 232,000 acres (4,000 acres being in the Khairpur State), showing an increase of 14 per cent over the area reported at this date last year. The yield is estimated at 74,000 bales (including 1,000 bales in the Khairpur State), being 5 per cent below that of last year. The late rains in August-September caused dropping of bolls in Thar and Parkar, and boll-worms did some damage there and in Hyderabad. Since then the weather has been favourable and the crop has improved to some extent.

Burma (1 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown is reported to be 216,000 acres, which is 6 per cent above the area reported at this date last year. The yield is estimated at 44,000 bales, being 47 per cent more than that at the corresponding date last year. The early rains were somewhat unsatisfactory, but the middle and later rains were favourable.

Bihar and Orissa (0·4 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area sown with both the early and the late varieties of cotton is estimated at 67,000 acres, which exceeds the area at the corresponding date of last year by 1 per

cent. The estimated yield is 16,000 bales, being the same as reported at this date last year. The crop in the Native States, for which no statistics are available, is roughly estimated at some 1,000 bales. The weather conditions have generally been favourable, and the condition and prospects of the crop (both early and late) are reported to be generally good, although the early crop was affected to some extent by excessive rain in September and October.

Bengal (0·3 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area is estimated at 73,000 acres, being 17 per cent short of last year's area at this date. The yield is estimated at 21,000 bales, which is 30 per cent less than the estimate made at this date last year. The general condition of the early crop is reported to have been unsatisfactory in the Chittagong Hill Tracts, Hill Tippera, and Midnapur, owing to excessive rainfall and flood in September and October, but it was generally fair in Bankura and Maimensingh. The condition of the late crop is reported to be on the whole fair. The area and outturn of cotton according to trade descriptions are :—

	Acres	Bales
Bengal-Sind	4,000	1,000
Comillas	69,000	20,000

North-West Frontier Province (0·2 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area is reported to be 28,000 acres, which shows an increase of nearly 8 per cent as compared with the area at the corresponding date of last year. The irrigated area increased almost everywhere, owing to the high prices obtainable for cotton and also to timely rain at the sowing season. The crop was damaged by the heavy rains of July and August in the Dera Ismail Khan District. The estimated yield is 6,000 bales, being the same as reported at this date last year.

Assam (0·2 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The area sown is estimated at 32,000 acres, which is the same as that at the corresponding date last year, but the estimated yield (11,000 bales) is 10 per cent above that of last year. The weather conditions have been unfavourable since the issue of the second forecast. Untimely and excessive rain in October caused damage to the crop in all the cotton-growing districts except the Lushai and the Garo Hills. Some damage was done by insects in Nowgong.

Ajmer-Merwara (0·2 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area reported is 47,000 acres as compared with 23,000 acres reported at the corresponding date of last year. The yield is estimated at 20,000 bales as against 2,000 bales estimated at this time last year.

Hyderabad (14·6 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area is now reported to be 3,200,000 acres, which is 8 per cent above the area at the corresponding date last year. The yield is estimated at 500,000 bales, being 11 per cent more than last year's yield. According to the estimates of the district authorities, the outturn this year amounts to 707,000 bales as against 617,000 bales last year, but on account of the excessive and abnormal rains towards the close of October, which adversely affected the cotton crop, especially in the Mahratwada, the best cotton-producing area of the country, the Revenue Department of His Highness the Nizam's Government is inclined to believe that the present crop may be approximately estimated at 500,000 bales, as against last year's estimate of 450.000 bales. The detailed district-figures, as reported by the District Officers, are as follows :—

	1916-17		1915-16	
	acres	bales	acres	bales
Aurangabad . .	295,835	57,002	353,772	66,403
Bir . . .	335,836	124,476	253,400	94,300
Parbhani . .	711,152	247,355	690,130	256,228
Nander . . .	418,625	17,143	354,651	15,000
Gulbargah . .	35,978	9,398	38,751	10,707
Raichur . .	428,280	107,588	301,189	24,860
Usmanabad . .	36,255	1,460	28,642	1,015
Bidar . . .	118,888	8,196	114,753	8,039
Medak . . .	1,473	396	2,805	2,229
Mahbubnagar .	5,902	1,135	5,578	914
Nalgundah . .	9,878	1,505	10,458	3,486
Nizamabad . .	21,926	4,235	18,646	4,567
Warangal . .	28,925	4,669	26,573	5,566
Adilabad . .	120,478	24,202	119,776	24,000
Karimnagar . .	37,356	2,586	34,036	2,378
Non-Government Estates.	592,800	95,357	610,646	96,947
Total .	3,199,587	706,703	2,963,806	616,634

Central India (6 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total yield is estimated at 280,000 bales on an area of 1,265.000 acres. These figures indicate an increase of 35 per cent in yield and 18 per cent in area as compared with the estimate made at this date last year. The detailed figures are as follows :—

	1916-17		1915-16	
	acres	bales	acres	bales
Gwalior . . .	442,702	72,358	393,875	56,632
Indore . . .	403,370	67,856	335,478	61,116
Bhopal . . .	143,747	54,859	152,026	51,501
Baghelkhand .	23,790	4,865	22,596	4,212
Bundelkhand . .	29,150	10,960	21,483	7,548
Malwa . . .	107,473	18,027	57,631	7,687
Southern States .	108,290	50,623	87,762	18,640
Total .	1,264,522	279,563	1,070,851	207,336

Baroda (3·3 per cent of the total area under cotton in India) reports 706,000 acres under cotton as compared with 556,000 acres at this date last year. The yield is estimated at 170,000 bales, which is 59 per cent above the estimate at this date last year.

Rajputana (1·7 per cent of the total area under cotton in India).—The total area and yield are at present estimated at 334,000 acres and 133,000 bales, as against 244,000 acres and 67,000 bales at this date last year. The heavy and continuous rains of August greatly damaged the crop in Kotah. The standing crops are in good condition in Marwar.

The detailed figures for the States are as follows :—

	1916-17		1915-16	
	acres	bales	acres	bales
Bikaner . .	2	...	21	12
Marwar . .	13,998	3,466	25,827	1,643
Sirohi . .	250	120	257	104
Mewar . .	100,000	45,000	60,000	18,000
Dungarpur . .	38	12	...	...
Banswara . .	560	122	542	120
Partabgarh . .	3,826	3,061	2,962	2,073
Kushalgarh . .	202	23	...	...
Shahpura . .	7,598	3,693	7,029	2,413
Tonk . .	25,695	14,427	14 323	2,348
Bundi . .	5,872	3,580	2,500*	1,000*
Kotah . .	20,880	5,722	12,979	1,821
Jhalawar . .	11,668	6,464	4,428	1,212
Kishangarh . .	7,679	6,357	3,249	860
Jaipur . .	46,241	17,166	43,662*	18,764*
Alwar . .	20,624	4,665	17,538	2,222
Karauli . .	3,058	1,957	2,711	1,587
Bharatpur . .	41,225	11,734	30 905	8,546
Dholpur . .	24,871	5,506	15,336	3,995
Total .	334,087	133 075	244,272*	66,720*

Mysore (0·5 **per cent** of the total area under cotton in India) returns 121,000 acres as compared with 90,000 acres reported at this date last year. The yield is estimated at 17,000 bales, being 70 per cent above that of last year. The area and outturn of cotton according to trade descriptions are :—

	acres	bales
Coompta-Dharwars	111,000	14,000
Salems including Cambodias . .	3,000	1,000
Other sorts	7,000	2,000

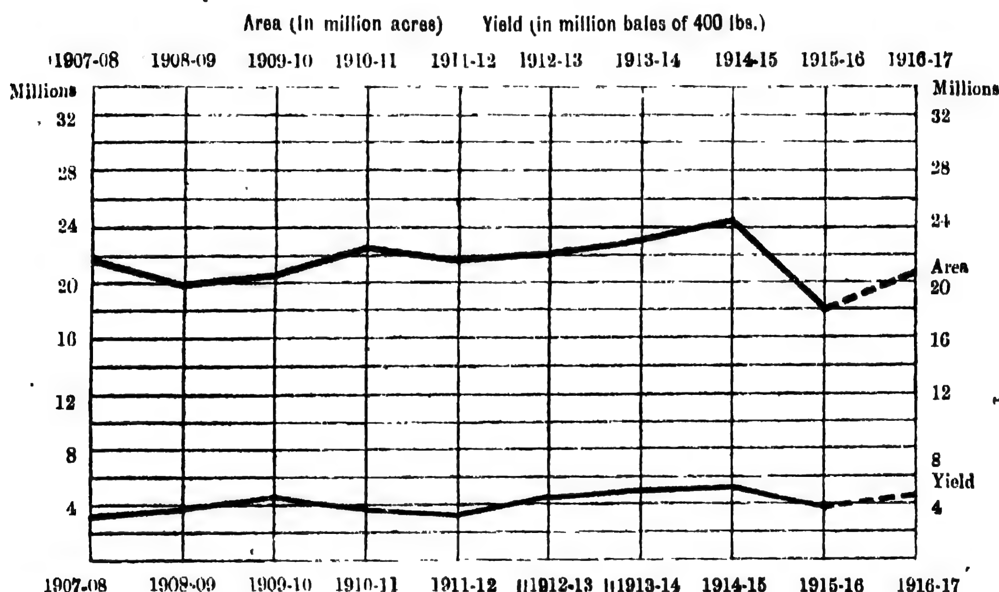
* Revised figures

Chart.—The chart below shows the present estimates of area and yield for all India as compared with the final figures of the preceding nine years.

The curve for area represents millions of acres and that for yield millions of bales.

AREA AND YIELD OF COTTON.

Area (in million acres) Yield (in million bales of 400 lbs.)



Cotton crop in foreign countries.—The latest information published by the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, regarding the cotton crop of 1916 in foreign countries may be summarised as follows :—In the United States of America the area sown is 35,979,000 acres and the approximate estimate of yield about 11,613.000 bales of 500 lbs. each (or 14,516,000 bales of 400 lbs. each), as compared with 31 522,000 acres and 10,446,000 bales of 500 lbs. (=13,058,000 bales of 400 lbs.) in the previous year. In Egypt the hot weather early in September augmented the expectation of crop results, but the latter part of the month was damp with cool nights, so that the improvement did not take place. Pink worm attack increased everywhere, and notably in Upper Egypt, while other pests also did damage. On the whole the yield this year is likely to be appreciably below the average. The total area under cotton in Egypt is at present estimated at 1,718,000 acres as compared with 1,231,000 acres last year.

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December Estimate of the Cotton crop of India

Provinces and States	1916-17		1915-16		1914-15	
	Area (acres)	Yield (bales)	Area (acres)	Yield (bales)	Area (acres)	Yield (bales)
Bombay (*a*)	5,607,000	1,352,000	4,018,000	832,000	6,382,000	1,338,000
Central Provinces and Berar	4,402,000	884,000	4,061,000	1,106,000	4,707,000	1,097,000
Madras	2,114,000	354,000	1,982,000	270,000	2,203,000	276,000
Punjab (*a*)	1,174,000	324,000	926,000	203,000	1,856,000	481,000
United Provinces (*a*)	1,184,000	309,000	835,000	262,000	1,542,000	482,000
Sind (*a*)	232,000	74,000	204,000	78,000	317,000	117,000
Burma	216,000	44,000	203,000	30,000	279,000	51,000
Bihar and Orissa (*b*)	67,000	16,000	60,000	16,000	70,000	15,000
Bengal (*a*)	73,000	21,000	88,000	30,000	91,000	35,000
North-West Frontier Province	28,000	6,000	26,000	6,000	60,000	14,000
Assam	32,000	11,000	32,000	10,000	34,000	13,000
Ajmer-Merwara	47,000	20,000	23,000	2,000	54,000	15,000
Hyderabad	3,200,000	500,000	2,984,000	450,000	3,605,000	400,000
Central India	1,265,000	280,000	1,071,000	207,000	1,418,000	264,000
Baroda	706,000	170,000	556,000	107,000	832,000	208,000
Rajputana	334,000	133,000	(*c*) 244,000	(*c*) 67,000	421,000	176,000
Mysore	121,000	17,000	90,000	10,000	102,000	10,000
TOTAL	20,702,000	4,515,000	(*c*)17,389,000	(*c*)3,686,000	23,973,000	4,992,000

NOTE.—A bale contains 400 lbs of cleaned cotton

(*a*) Including Native States within provincial boundaries

(*b*) Excluding Native States for which the yield is roughly estimated at 1,000 bales

(*c*) Revised figures

APPENDICES.

APPENDIX A.

Memorandum of Procedure for Firms.

GENERAL.

1. The general principle governing the relationship between the Government and the firms is that it shall be a relationship of agency. The firms, that is to say, will be required to disclose their outgoings of every kind, subject to the confidential examination of their books, if required, and will be reimbursed these sums by Government, the whole of the profit of the firms being derived from direct commission.

2. Consequently the net result of the firms' wheat account, in so far as Government business is concerned, must be transferred to Government at the end of the season or earlier if the scheme ends earlier.

3. Government, on the other hand, assumes the responsibility of all risks including floods and rains and fire.

4. The terms on which firms receive orders to buy and at which purchases will be advised are understood to be F.O.B. Firms are not allowed to exceed their orders as regards quantities, price or time of delivery.

Pro Forma Invoices and allocation of items shown in these invoices.

5. The items which go to make up the value of wheat as advised and invoiced are as follows:—

(*a*) *Initial cost of wheat.*—As paid upcountry or at the port in India. As this cost is estimated at the time of buying, any profit or loss under this head remains for the account of Government. It merges into the wheat account through the firms' agency invoices or through bills for goods bought at the ports.

(*b*) *Shroffage account.*—This in the case of some firms will be a fixed charge for all upcountry purchases and is paid to the firm to cover its cost and risk of financing. It is not subject to variation or revision and remains for the account of the firm. In the case of some firms the actual shroffage paid by them is included in their agency invoices.

(*c*) *Standard charges.*—These are charges which have been fixed at certain standards by the Wheat Commissioner after satisfying himself that they are as near actuals as it is possible to estimate them. They will be subject to revision from time to time; but such revision will not have a retrospective effect, the object of the revision being to correct any material deviation, which actual experience, as the season proceeds, shows to have taken place, from actuals. Some of these charges vary with different firms and the actual standard adopted for each firm is to be found in the Pro Forma approved for each firm. The following are included in this category:—

(i) All the *upcountry handling charges*, such as filling, mixing, sewing, heaping, re-bagging, cartage, gunny bag charges, twine, watching charges, district charges, sundry produce charges. Particulars of these charges will be found in the usual Pro Formas of the firms as established for each particular market.

(ii) All the *handling charges from f. o. r. to f. o b.*, such as taking delivery, sampling, cleaning, mixing, bagging, weighing, piling, loading for shipment and marking, cost of twine, sewing bags burst on board.

(iii) The *value of gunny bags* at the f. o. r. Howrah or other centre rate ruling on the date of purchase *plus* a charge per 100 bags to cover wear and tear, shortages, interest and market risk on stocks. In the case of certain firms, however, the actual expenditure incurred by them for the purchase of gunnies is taken *plus* the charge referred to to cover wear and tear, shortages, interest and market risk on stocks.

(iv) *Samples and Bills of Lading.*

(v) *Fire Insurance.*—This item will be deducted from the invoice but remains in the Pro Forma and is for Government account.

(vi) *Interest* for 40 days at the Presidency Bank rate, but not below 5 per cent. If more than 40 days elapse between the date of purchase by the firm of the wheat and the date of payment, and the delay is due to the Government, it is understood that extra interest may be charged for by the firm.

(vii) Telegrams and Postages.

(*d*) *Actual charges.*—In the following cases, where the charges are easily ascertainable, the actual expenses shall be charged—

(1) in upcountry pro formas the various market allowances, *e.g.*, dami, karta, brokerage, railway freight and the haulage ;

(2) in the f. o. r. to f. o. b. pro forma, the terminal charges, wharfage and shipping.

(*e*) *Establishment charges.*—For the purpose of arriving at the charges under this head, a certain turnover for a period of 12 months from April for each port has been assumed and a rate hais accordingly been determined and included in the pro forma for each firm. The Secretary of State's orders are that in the first instance the firms will be credited with a fixed allowance of *3d.* per quarter of wheat handled for "Establishment charges and actual and necessary expenses in India, the sums thus paid being subject to final adjustment on evidence of the actual and approved expenditure of the firms as shown by their books." This account is thus for the present in suspense as between Government and the firms.

(*f*) *Godown rent at Karachi and at Keamari.*—Here too a certain turnover for a period of 12 months from April 1st for each firm at each port has been assumed and a rate has accordingly been determined. This account is for Government, since the understanding is that the amount of rent actually payable by the firm for the storage of Government wheat shall be reimbursed to them.

(*g*) The *buying commission* to the firm of *3d.* per quarter.

(*h*) The *quality allowance* of 1½*d.* per quarter. This item will be regularly deducted from the invoices submitted to Government. Any profit or loss under it remains for Government account and no adjustment is made.

(*i*) The following variable items :—

Loss in weight during the voyage.—This item varies according to the port of delivery, time of shipment and condition of wheat. The percentage adopted at different periods for different firms is shown in the addenda to their Pro Forma. The estimated item, as based on past experience, is shown in the pro forma but is subject to periodical revision, and deducted from the invoices submitted to Government. If the loss turns out more or less than estimated in the invoice, the profit or loss is for Government account and no adjustment is made in the Government wheat account kept by the firm

Refraction allowances for excess admixture and food grains.—There is a probable profit or loss in analysis as compared with allowances paid at home, which varies at each port, with each firm, and with each class of wheat. Where past experience indicates a loss, such loss is provided for in the Pro Forma. Where it indicates a gain it is *not* discounted in the Pro Forma. The firms deduct from the invoices submitted to Government, the refraction allowances as estimated by them at the time of shipment and adjust these to the probable loss in analysis if any; and any profit or loss arising through the final allowances as found at Home, both as regards admixture and food grains, remains for account of Government.

No adjustment will be made in the firms' account under the above two heads, any variations from the items provided in the invoices, both in the case of loss in weight during voyage and of refraction allowances, falling automatically in the Government Home account through their Home collections.

The loss accruing owing to the different incidence of the allowances when calculated on f. o. b. and c. i. f. prices remains for Government account.

Gain in godown is not discounted in Pro Forma Invoice. But on closing lots the excess found in godown is to be advised to the Wheat Commissioner as gain in weight. This quantity is not to be invoiced but all proper charges to be paid to firms as per Pro Forma Invoice and debited to Government Wheat Account by a transfer from the respective Charges accounts. The closing of lots to be arranged as convenient to the firms.

Notification of Purchases

6. Purchases to be notified as per enclosed Form A, purchase prices to be converted into f. o. b. prices as per Pro Forma adopted for each firm.

Bills of Lading and Invoices.

7. After shipment, bills of lading to be sent with invoice.

8. Bill of lading to be in suitable quantities according to existing practice of firms, having regard to the fact that firms' London houses will ordinarily be selling their purchases.

9. Invoice to be as per enclosed Form B.

10. Payment will be made within 7 days from presentation of bill of lading.

11. Adjustment memoranda to be submitted as per Form C; but each adjustment memo. to refer only to wheat shipped in a particular vessel.

Accounts.

12. Accounts should be kept on the following lines :—

(*a*) *Government current account.*—Being a record of invoices submitted to Government and of cheques received from them.

(*b*) *Government wheat account.*—This is the account that must focus all transactions, and its balance is of course for Government account.

Net amounts of invoices submitted to Government shall be credited to this account.

Amounts collected from sellers on account of allowances shall also be credited to it, either through Agency invoices, local bills or direct.

Agency invoices and bills for purchases at Ports shall be debited to it.

Charges as per adjustment memos. shall also be debited to it.

(*c*) *Adjustment memo.* charges shall form subsidiary accounts as follows :—

(i) *Bill and Exchange brokerage account.*
Bill stamps account.
Terminal charges account.
Wharfage account.
Godown rent account.

These accounts must be debited with actual or approved expenditure, and credited with the amounts shown under these heads as per adjustment memos., the balance being for Government account.

(ii) *Establishment account.*—This account must be debited with 3*d.* per quarter on the quantity shipped, and credited with the amount shown under this head as per adjustment memos., the balance being in suspense.

(iii) *Commission account.*—To be credited with amount under this head as per adjustment memo., balance being for firms' account.

(iv) *Samples and bill of lading account.*
Handling charges account.
Telegrams and postages account.
Interest account.

These accounts must be debited and credited with the amount shown as per adjustment memos. These are balancing accounts.

(v) *Gunny bags account.*—(*a*) In the case of firms who show on their purchase memos. the cost of gunnies on day of purchase this account will be merely a balancing account; the amounts shown under this head as per adjustment memos. to be debited and credited. (*b*) In the case of other firms this account must be credited with the amounts shown as per adjustment memos. and debited with the actual expenditure under this head; balance in this case being for Government.

NOTES.—1. With effect from the 20th May, charges for Samples and Bills of lading are excluded as a separate item, the charges incurred merging in Handling charges.

2. The Item "Fire Insurance" is for Firms' account in respect of purchases on or before the 18th May.

3. With effect from the 20th May, Terminal charges are excluded, as no such charges are levied at present.

4. With effect from the 24th May, charges for Interest and Bill stamps and Bill and Exchange brokerage are excluded, in view of the fact that advances are being made by Government from the date of order to purchase or advice of purchase.

(Sd.) M. M. S. GUBBAY.

31st May 1916.

FORM A.

Daily Wheat Purchase Statement.

Serial No. of Statement Messrs. on account Government.

——— 1915.

Date of purchase.	Lot No.	Quality.	Shipper's mark.	District of purchase.	Quantity in tons.	Time of shipment.	Purchase price f.o.b. per maund.	Government order.	Remarks.
				Day's total ...					
				Previous total ...					
				Grand total to date ...					

FORM B.

INVOICE NO.

Invoice of 10,000 bags Wheat containing per cent. admixture and per cent. Barley, Pulse and other feeding stuffs and tares shipped per S.S. " " to account Government.

10,000 bags weighing net 224 lbs. each

= tons

= mds. of $82\frac{2}{7}$ lbs. at Rs. per md.

Less—

Fire Insurance ... ...

Loss in weight at per cent. ...

Admixture basis clean allowance ...

Barley ...

Quality allowance $1\frac{1}{2}$ per quarter ...

in qrs. ...

Nett ...

Lot No. in Purchase Memo.

N.B.—Please show Invoices in tons, maunds and quarters, as above, to facilitate calculation.

FORM C.

Adjustment Memo. for bags shipped per S.S. account Government.

Invoice No. Gross :
Nett :

1.	Bill stamps	...	...	...
2.	Bill brokerage	...	...	...
3.	Commission on	qrs.	...	...
4.	Telegram and Postages		...	...
5.	Fire Insurance	...	...	...
6.	Samples and bill of lading		...	...
7.	Wharfage and Shipping on	tons		...
8.	Godown rent	per cent., bags		...
9.	Value of gunny bags	per 100 bags		...
10.	Establishment	per cwt.		...
11.	Handling charges for	per 100 bags		...
12.	Terminal charges on	mds.		...
13.	Interest ...	...	...	...

Total Rs. ...

Amount transferred from Wheat account, Rs. ...

NOTES.—1. "Fire Insurance" should be excluded in the case of purchases made after the 18th May.

2. "Samples and Bills of lading" and "Terminal charges" should be excluded in the case of purchases made after the 20th May.

3. "Interest," "Bill stamps" and "Bill brokerage" are excluded in the case of purchases made on and after 24th May.

Appendix B (*Omitted*).

Appendix C.

STATISTICAL TABLES.

Appendix C.

TABLE NO. I.

Statement of purchases on Government account made by Karachi, Bombay and Calcutta firms weekly.

Date of purchase.	Karachi.	Bombay.	Calcutta	Total.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Week ending.				
17th April	23,310	5,871	...	29,181
24th „	65,709	16,221	3,270	85,200
1st May	44,443	14,372	14,862	73,677
8th „	20,070	700	1,672	22,442
15th „	53,505	397	...	53,902
22nd „	56,447	135	929	57,511
29th „	62,917	234	1,262	67,413
5th June	46,440	264	2,944	49,648
12th „	43,377	487	2,075	45,939
19th „	24,480	1,485	3,389	29,354
26th „	2,744	593	1,130	4,467
3rd July	2,578	...	...	2,678
10th „	2,424	...	...	2,424
17th „	444	3	...	447
24th „	689	...	...	689
31st „	701	26	...	727
Total	460,278	40,788	34,533	525,599

Appendix C.

TABLE No. II.

Statement showing the quantity in tons shipped from Karachi on Government account by each firm per each steamer with its date of departure for the weeks ending 8th May to 28th August 1915.

Week ending.	Name of the Vessel.	Ralli Bros.	Louis Dreyfus & Co.	Sanday Patrick & Co.	Clements Robson & Co.	E. D. Sassoon & Co.	Strauss & Co.	Total.	Date of departure.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
8th May 1915	S.S. Stephanotis	1,869·7	2,563·5	175	630	275	...	5,513·2	3rd May 1915.
15th May 1915	„ Altair	5,530	...	...	...	...	...	5,530	11th „ „
	„ Glendene	...	2,950	3,000	...	...	...	5,950	14th „ „
	„ Cannizaro	2,023·7	...	1,000	...	...	...	3,023·7	14th „ „
	„ Emil	4,582	...	...	...	...	...	4,582	17th „ „
	„ Dungeness	...	...	...	4,765	...	...	4,765	15th „ „
	Total	12,135·7	2,950	4,000	4,765	...	...	23,850·7	
22nd May 1915	S.S. Medomsley	...	...	5,100	...	...	...	5,100	15th May 1915
	„ Foylemore	...	5,422	400	...	...	...	5,822	18th „ „
	„ Silverwings	...	...	4,363	...	...	...	4,363	20th „ „
	„ Berbera	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	...	...	4,000	22nd „ „
	Total	1,000	6,422	10,863	1,000	...	...	19,285	

29th May 1915	S.S. Gutenfels	2,420	1,900	1,900	1,900	...	..	8,120	26th May 1915.
	„ Helmsmuir	...	7,072	...	...	...	...	7,072	25th „ „
	„ Haydn	...	2,310	1,000	1,000	2,000	...	6,310	24th „ „
	„ Silksworth Hall	...	...	3,956	...	...	...	3,956	28th „ „
	„ Kerman	670	...	...	...	...	...	670	26th „ „
	„ Ruperra	...	6,389	...	...	...	...	6,389	29th „ „
	„ Dawlish	...	...	..	...	5,215	...	5,215	„ „ „
	Total	3,090	17,671	6,856	2,900	7,215	...	37,732	
5th June 1915	S. S. Yorkmoor	1,000	1,000	4,055	...	1,000	...	7,055	31st May 1915.
	„ Mozart	...	...	3,000	3,820	...	...	6,820	„ „ „
	„ Roma	...	...	...	5,767	...	...	5,767	„ „ „
	„ Oronsay	...	5,538	...	...	...	...	5,538	4th June „
	„ Aleppo	677	..	1,000	...	...	...	1,677	1st „ „
	„ Trehawke	7,205	...	...	...	...	...	7,205	„ „ „
	„ Palestrina	...	...	5,008	...		...	5,008	4th „ „
	„ Gartness	3,151	...	...	...	...	...	3,151	1st „ „
	„ Dromore	3,665	1,400	600	1,000	...	.	6,665	5th „ „
	„ Trevessa	5,604	...	...	...	...	...	5,604	„ „ „
	Total	21,302	7,938	13,663	10,587	1,000	...	54,490	

Statement showing the quantity in tons shipped from Karachi on Government account by each firm per each steamer with its date of departure for the weeks ending 8th May to 28th August 1915—contd.

Week ending.	Name of the Vessel.	Ralli Bros.	Louis Dreyfus & Co.	Sanda, Patrick & Co.	Clements Robson & Co.	E. D. Sassoon & Co.	Strauss & Co	Total.	Date of departure.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons	Tons.	Tons	Tons.	Tons.	
12th June 1915	S. S. Southfield	...	...	5,277	...	...	..	5,277	10th June 1915.
	" Marwarri	2,020	2,000	2,000	1,000	...	...	7,020	" " "
	" Paros	...	...	...	5,043	...	...	5,043	11th " "
	" Gorsemore	1,050	1,250	1,250	1,050	...	...	4,600	" " "
	" Trevelyan	...	...	4,411	...	...	..	4,411	7th " "
	" Pindos	...	5,041 7	..	...	...	...	5,041·7	10th " "
	" Trecarne	7,200	...	...	...	...	...	7,200	12th " "
	Total	10,270	8,291·7	12,938	7,093	...	...	38,592·7	
19th June 1915	S. S. Kirkdale	...	1,050	...	...	...	...	1,050	18th June 1915.
	" Locksley Hall	1,500	1,050	...	1,500	...	...	4,050	17th " "
	" Chinkoa	...	...	...	...	1,800	...	1,800	15th " "
	" Birchwood	...	4,081·5	...	...	...	...	4,081·5	18th " "
	" Tremayne	...	...	...	...	...	6,120	6,120	" " "
	" Manchester Port	6,064	...	...	...	...	...	6,064	" " "
	Total	7,564	6,181·5	...	1,500	1,800	6,120	23,165 5	

26th June 1915	S. S. Lindenfels	1,700	2,497·1	1,700	1,700	...	...	7,597·1	22nd June 1915.
	" Hindoo	...	2,600	2,600	1,915	...	...	7,115	25th " "
	" Frankenfels	600	645·2	2,200	1,400	...	...	4,845·2	" " "
	" Ravenshoe	...	...	...	5,570	...	...	5,570	22nd " "
	" Westmoor	...	...	6,828	...	...	...	6,828	26th " "
	" Muristan	...	4,510	...	...	...	...	4,510	25th " "
	" City of Lahore	...	450	2,544	...	...	...	2,994	26th " "
	Total	2,300	10,702·3	15,872	10,585	...	...	39,459·3	
3rd July 1915	S. S. Treveal	...	...	6,553	...	...	...	6,553	29th June 1915.
	" Zingara	...	...	...	5,122	...	...	5,122	28th " "
	" Pearlmoor	...	...	...	...	6,500	...	6,500	29th " "
	" Norman Prince	5,081	...	...	...	...	...	5,081	30th " "
	" Wagner	4,970	...	...	...	...	...	4,970	" " "
	" Cober	...	4,768	...	...	...	...	4,768	" " "
	" Bassano	2,700	...	...	...	...	...	2,700	1st July "
	" Archbank	...	...	3,000	...	...	...	3,000	2nd " "
	" Clan Ross	2,200	2,200	2,300	1,400	...	...	8,100	25th June "
	" Cornishman	1,515	1,125·4	...	200	...	...	2,850·4	29th " "
	" Kylestrome	...	...	...	4,957	...	...	4,957	2nd July "
	Total	16,466	8,103·4	11,853	11,679	6,500	...	54,601·4	

Statement showing the quantity in tons shipped from Karachi on Government account by each firm per each steamer with the date of departure for the weeks ending 8th May to 28th August 1915—concluded.

Week ending.	Name of the Vessel.	Ralli Bros.	Louis Dreyfus & Co.	Sanday Patrick & Co.	Clements Robson & Co.	E. D. Sassoon & Co.	Strauss & Co.	Total.	Date of departure.
		Tons	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
10th July 1915	S. S. Orangemoor	...	6,550	...	...	...	...	6,550	5th July 1915.
	" Marquis Bacquehem	...	...	4,940	...	...	...	4,940	6th " "
	" Avristan	...		5,696	...	...	...	5,696	8th " "
	" Kurmark	...	...	3,500	3,500	...	...	7,000	7th " "
	" Daghestan	...	5,902	...	...	...	...	5,902	" " "
	" Kurdistan	5,775	...		...	...	...	5,775	" " "
	" Groeswen	5,364	...	...	...	...	...	5,364	9th " "
	" Glendhu	...	...	...	6,250	...	...	6,250	8th " "
	Total	11,139	12,452	14,136	9,750	...	...	47,477	
17th July 1915	S. S. Trevalgan	...	6,950	...	...	...	...	6,950	12th July 1915.
	" Picton	4,156	3,500	...	...	...	...	7,656	" " "
	" Elvsgarth	...	4,992	...	...	...	...	4,992	14th " "
	" Bavarian	...	2,428	...	...	...	...	2,428	16th " "
	" Cranmore	...	...	4,725	...	...	...	4,725	" " "
	Total	4,156	17,870	4,725	...	...	...	26,751	

24th July 1915	S. S. Canara	2,100	3,805	...	...	1,971	...	7,876	22nd July 1915.
	" Morocco	1,500	2,000	...	...	1,000	...	4,500	23rd " "
	" Windsor Hall	5,700	..	...	...	...	...	5,700	20th " "
	" Lingfield	...	...	...	...	...	6,550	6,550	" " "
	" Trelissick	...	...	...	6,479	...	...	6,479	22nd " "
	" Kawak	4,905	..	...	...	...	...	4,905	21st " "
	Total	14,205	5,805	..	6,479	2,971	6,550	36,010	
31st July 1915	S. S. City of Norwich	1,2 8	1,572		...	1,000	...	3,790	31st July 1915.
	" Hidalgo	...	...	900	...	..	..	900	29th " "
	" Wadden	...	...	2,500	...	3,144	...	5,644	27th " "
	" Cluden	...	4,456	...	...	...	...	4,456	31st " "
	" Alesia	6,609	...	...	...	...	...	6,609	" " "
	Total	7,827	6,028	3,400	...	4,144	..	21,399	
7th August 1915	S. S. Headcliffe	...	...	3,383	1,947·4	...	...	5,330·4	3rd August 1915.
	" Anatolia	882	...	...	...	1,000	...	1,882	" " "
	" Kandy	...	6,682	...	...	...	...	6,682	4th " "
	" Arosa	3,471	...	...	..	880	276	4,627	5th "
	" Helgoland	...	...	6,557	...	.	...	6,557	7th " "
	Total	4,353	6,682	9,940	1,947·4	1,880	276	25,078·4	
14th August 1915	S. S. Begonia	198·8	1,726·4	1,275·5	14·1	...	...	3,211·8	14th August 1915.
28th August 1915	S. S. Belgia	1,099·1	37·5	...	...	...	...	1,136·6	23rd August 1915.
	GRAND TOTAL	118,975·3	121,424·3	109,996·5	68,929·5	25,785	12,945*	458,056·6	

* *I.e.*, 128,490 bags. Excess over 12,849 tons is due to bags weighing above 224 lbs.

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TABLE No. III.

Statement showing the quantities of wheat shipped from Bombay on Government account in each week (ending Saturday) and by whom shipped.

Week ending.		Name of Steamer.	Tons.	cwt.	qrs.	lbs.	By whom shipped.	Quantity. Tons.	cwt.	qrs.	lbs.
April	24	Montebello	400	0	0	0	Ralli	400	0	0	0
May	1	Colenso	1,800	1	0	21	"	900	1	0	21
							Sanday	400	0	0	0
							Dreyfus	500	0	0	0
"	8	Soldier Prince	576	9	0	21	Ralli	576	9	0	21
"	8	Cannizaro	1,800	1	2	7	"	900	1	2	7
							Sanday	900	0	0	0
"	15	Jerseymoor	5,858	17	0	1	Ralli	5,858	17	0	1
"	22	Circassia	2,000	2	0	26	"	800	2	0	26
							Sanday	450	0	0	0
							Dreyfus	750	0	0	0
"	22	Angus	900	0	0	0	Sanday	900	0	0	0
"	22	Sailor Prince	975	2	3	17	Ralli	975	2	3	17
"	29	Kashmir	2,358	13	1	15	"	1,908	13	1	15
							Sanday	450	0	0	0
"	29	Aleppo	800	18	0	24	Ralli	800	18	0	24
"	29	City of Calcutta	450	0	0	0	"	270	0	0	0
							Dreyfus	180	0	0	0
June	5	Ethelwolf	6,620	11	0	16	Ralli	2,620	11	0	16
							Sanday	2,000	0	0	0
							Dreyfus	2,000	0	0	0
"	5	Deddington	3,992	10	1	25	Ralli	1,492	10	1	25
							Sanday	1,500	0	0	0
							Dreyfus	1,000	0	0	0
"	5	Castalia	200	0	0	0	Ralli	200	0	0	0
"	5	Egyptian Prince	2,838	18	0	9	"	2,838	18	0	9
"	12	Merchant Prince	2,008	1	2	0	"	2,008	1	2	0
"	19	Tycho	565	0	0	0	"	115	0	0	0
							Dreyfus	450	0	0	0
"	26	Kaisar-i-Hind	308	0	0	0	Ralli	308	0	0	0
July	10	Dido	2,388	6	1	21	"	868	6	1	21
							Sanday	570	10	0	0
							Dreyfus	949	10	0	0
"	10	Khyber	192	9	1	5	Ralli	192	9	1	5
"	17	Tiger	1,000	12	2	1	"	873	14	2	1
							Dreyfus	126	18	0	0
"	24	Stuart Prince	458	12	2	16	Ralli	458	12	2	16
"	31	Olympia	653	13	3	4	"	653	13	3	4
"	31	Roumelian	1,254	15	3	20	"	1,254	15	3	20
August	14	Trigurno	473	11	1	21	"	473	11	1	21
			40,870	8	3	18		40,870	8	3	18

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TABLE No. IV.

Shipments from Calcutta weekly on Government account.

For week ending.	Name of Steamer.	Quantity shipped in tons.	Name of shipper.	Date of sailing of Steamer.
29th May . .	S. S. Perla . .	4,004	Ralli	29th May (Returned to port and sailed again on 6th June).
5th June . .	" Drumgoith .	5,492	Ralli 3604 . Petrocochino 1884	2nd June.
Do. . .	" Rio Paleressa .	5,951	Ralli	5th June.
19th June . .	" Camberwell .	2,000	Ralli	19th June.
26th June . .	" Anchoria .	2,000	Ralli 1850 . . E. D. Sassoon 150	25th June.
10th July . .	" City of Glasgow.	1,500	Ralli 1200 . Becker, Gray 200 Louis Dreyfus 100	4th July.
Do. . . .	" Sculptor .	1,000	Ralli	7th July.
Do. . .	" Istrar . .	2,500	Ralli	8th July.
17th July .	" Auchenblae .	3,000	Ralli	15th July.
31st July . .	" City of Birmingham.	2,000	Ralli	......
7th August .	" Chantala .	160	Ralli	4th August.
		29,607		

Actual figures are :—

Messrs.	Ralli Brothers	27,272·4
"	Petrocochino Brothers	1,384·63
"	Becker, Gray & Co.	199·69
"	E. D. Sassoon & Co.	149·14
"	Louis Dreyfus & Co.	100
		29,605·86

NOTE.—These figures exclude 5016·56 tons shipped by Messrs. Ralli Brothers to Australia for the Western Australian Government in June.

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TABLE No. V.

Statement showing the exports by sea of wheat on Government account from British India to Foreign countries from April to August 1915.

(Taken from the Custom House returns).

—	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	TOTAL.
	Tons.	Tons.		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
United Kingdom and Gibraltar (for orders).	...	94,356	244,948	150,295	38,867	528,466
Western Australia	...	...	5,005	...	...	5,005
Total	...	94,356	249,953	150,295	38,867	533,471

NOTE.—2,375 tons included in above figures for August shipments appear in Custom House figures for September. Actual weight of wheat shipped was 528,532·86 tons to United Kingdom and Gibraltar, 5,016,56 to Western Australia, difference being due to excess weight of bags over 2 cwts. Total 533,549·4 tons.

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TABLE No. VI.

Statement showing the exports by sea of wheat on private account from British India to Foreign countries from April to August 1915.

(Taken from the Custom House returns).

—	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	TOTAL OF 5 MONTHS APRIL TO AUGUST.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons	Tons.
United Kingdom	10,596	8,072	38,081	32,643	6,048	95,440
Aden and Dependencies	50	16	1	56	14	137
Bahrein Islands	...	...	36	45	40	121
Ceylon	2	1	9	8	...	20
Straits Settlements	...	...	6	6	9	19
Hongkong	..	7	65	80	66	218
Cape Colony	...	...	300	2,102	576	2,978
Natal	...	...	...	100	...	100
Zanzibar and Pemba	1	...	...	60	29	90
East African Protectorate	...	...	...	8	8	16
France	...	2,498	3,417	1,872	4,449	12,236
Muscat and Oman	...	9	18	234	128	389
Other Native States in Arabia	...	...	...	43	...	43
Siam	...	...	...	15	2	17
Mauritius and Dependencies	...	...	...	...	1	1
Turkey, Asiatic—Persian Gulf *	...	...	...	...	4	4
Persia	...	...	...	...	6	6
Total	10,649	10,603	41,933	37,272	11,378	111,835

* The other two divisions of Turkey, Asiatic, are (1) The Levant and Black Sea, and (2) the Red Sea, to which there were no exports.

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TABLE NO. VII.

Statement showing the exports by sea of wheat flour on private account from British India to foreign countries from April to August 1915.

(Taken from the Custom House returns.)

—	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	TOTAL.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Aden and Dependencies	1,210	142	874	686	321	3,233
Bahrein Islands	...	15	83	6	6	110
Ceylon	683	93	687	659	475	2,597
Straits Settlements	382	833	534	429	311	2,489
Federated Malay States	...	...	3	...	...	3
Hongkong	...	...	..	1	1	2
Natal	13	154	251	565	215	1,198
Mauritius and Dependencies	781	420	...	1,996	190	3,387
Zanzibar and Pemba	9	...	29	166	86	290
East African Protectorate	429	56	502	441	155	1,583
Seychelles	34	...	41	4	4	83
Somaliland	...	...	22	6	...	28
Turkey, Asiatic—Persian Gulf *	...	32	205	276	945	1,458
Muscat and Oman	9	35	19	62	51	176
Other Native States in Arabia	...	...	12	12	...	24
Henjam Islands	1	2	1	...	...	4
Persia	...	...	7	4	27	38
Egypt	945	341	1,171	164	1,130	3,751
Portuguese East Africa	...	...	...	18	...	18
Maldives	...	...	...	...	(7 cwt.)	(7 cwt.)
Siam	...	...	...	...	(3 cwt.)	(3 cwt.)
Total	4,496	2,123	4,441	5,495	3,917	20,472

*The other two divisions of Turkey, Asiatic, are (1) The Levant and Black Sea, and (2) The Red Sea, to which there were no exports in these months; but some 350 tons of wheat flour were exported from Bombay to Jeddah in the first half of September.

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TABLE NO. VIII.

Allotments for purchase made to Agent firms.

Name of Firm.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Total.	REMARKS.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
Karachi.						
Ralli Brothers . . .	2,500	32,100	54,900	37,500	127,000	Received also by transfer 10,650 from Calcutta.
Louis Dreyfus & Co. .	2,500	32,100	54,900	37,500	127,000	Received also by transfer 8,500 from Bombay and 4,000 from Calcutta.
Sanday Patrick & Co. .	4,000	32,100	54,900	37,500	128,500	Received by transfer 2,000 from Sanday & Co., Bombay.
Clements Robson & Co. .	1,200	19,600	32,950	22,500	76,250	
E. D. Sassoon & Co. .	600	9,800	15,385	10,500	36,285	
Strauss & Co., Ltd. . .	...	4,500	6,600	4,500	15,600	
Bombay.						
Ralli Brothers . . .	15,160	26,300	24,000	...	65,460	
Louis Dreyfus & Co. .	5,700	8,800	9,200	...	23,700	Reduced by transfer of 8,500 to Karachi.
Sanday & Co. . . .	5,000	8,400	6,800	...	20,200	Reduced by transfer of 2,000 to Karachi.
Calcutta.						
Ralli Brothers . . .	6,900	26,000	26,000	...	58,900	Reduced by transfer of 10,650 to Karachi.
Louis Dreyfus & Co. .	...	4,000	4,000	...	8,000	Reduced by transfer of 4,000 to Karachi.
Petrocochino Brothers .	1,100	2,000	2,400	...	5,500	
E. D. Sassoon & Co. . .	1,400	4,000	4,400	...	9,800	
Shaw, Wallace & Co. .	300	1,200	1,600	...	3,100	
Becker, Gray & Co. . .	200	1,200	1,600	...	3,000	

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TABLE No. IX.

Forward contracts of which shipment on private account was allowed under license.

(Contracts entered into before 10th March 1915).

Name of Firm.	Quantity in tons.	Remarks.
Karachi.		
Ralli Brothers	25,500	450 for Marseilles.
Louis Dreyfus & Co. . . .	1,790	
Sanday Patrick & Co.	16,210	
E. D. Sassoon & Co.	10,525	
Bombay.		
Ralli Brothers	19,850	8,550 for Marseilles.
Sanday & Co.	1,950	
E. D. Sassoon & Co.	10,300	3,000 for Marseilles.
J. Fachiri & Co.	1,250	All for Marseilles.
Calcutta.		
Ralli Brothers	2,725	
Petrocochino Brothers	900	
E. D. Sassoon & Co.	3,860	
Shaw, Wallace & Co.	4,850	3,150 for South Africa.
Total .	99,710*	

*The actual amount shipped was in some cases in excess of this figure, owing to gain in weight in godown; in other cases, the full amount sanctioned was not shipped, but the differences are not important.

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TABLE No. X.

Statement of purchases, cancelments, shipments, etc., by Karachi firms.

(Figures in tons).

Name of Firm.	Purchases advised.	Add for excess deliveries, etc.	Deduct for cancelments, short deliveries, etc.	Net purchases.	Gain in godown.	Shipment.
Ralli Brothers	116,760	4	130	116,634	2,341	118,975
Louis Dreyfus & Co.	119,532	889	594	119,827	1,597	121,424
Sanday Patrick & Co.	107,975	......	10	107,965	2,031	109,996
Clements Robson & Co.	67,884	63	295	67,652	1,278	68,930
E. D. Sassoon & Co.	25,375	......	......	25,375	410	25,785
Strauss & Co., Ltd.	12,752	......	119	12,633	313	12,946
Total for Karachi	450,278	956	1,148	450,086	7,970	458,056

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TABLE No XI.

Statement of dates of arrival and departure of wheat steamers chartered for carriage of wheat from Karachi

Name of Steamer.	Date of arrival.	Date commenced loading.	Date completed loading.	Total number of days steamer worked.	Date of departure.
S. S. Dungeness	11th May 1915	13th May 1915	15th May 1915	3 days	15th May 1915.
,, Haydn	17th ,,	18th ,,	21th ,,	6 ,,	24th ,,
,, Altair	6th ,,	7th ,,	11th ,,	4 ,,	11t ,,
,, Silver wings	17th ,,	17th ,,	21st ,,	5 ,,	21st ,,
,, Oronsay	27th ,,	28th ,,	4th June 1915	7 ,,	4th June 1915.
,, Palestrina	29th ,,	31st ,,	4th ,,	5 ,,	5th ,,
,, Medomsley	13th ,,	13th ,,	17th May 1915	4 ,,	18th May 1915.
,, Yorkmoor	26th ,,	27th ,,	1st June 1915	5 ,,	1st June 1915.
,, Glendene	5th ,,	7th ,,	13th May 1915	6 ,,	14th May 1915
,, Foylemore	13th ,,	14th ,,	20th ,,	6 ,,	20th ,,
,, Ruperra	25th ,,	26th ,,	30th ,,	5 ,,	30th ,,
,, Mozart	26th ,,	27th ,,	31st ,,	4 ,,	31st ,,
,, Paros	7th June 1915	8th June 1915	12th June 1915	5 ,,	12th June 1915.
,, Trevessa	2nd ,,	3rd ,,	5th ,,	3 ,,	6th ,,
,, Gutenfels	14th May 1915	21st May 1915	26th May 1915	6 ,,	27th May 1915.
,, Emil	9th ,,	11th ,,	17th ,,	7 ,,	17th ,,
,, Dromore	30th ,,	1st June 1915	5th June 1915	5 ,,	5th June 1915.
,, Helmsmuir	19th ,,	20th May 1915	25th May 1915	6 ,,	25th May 1915.
,, Dawlish	22nd ,,	25th ,,	29th ,,	5 ,,	29th ,,
,, Trehawke	26th ,,	27th ,,	1st June 1915	5 ,,	2nd June 1915.
,, Roma	27th ,,	28th ,,	1st ,,	5 ,,	1st ,,
,, Gartness	28th ,,	29th ,,	1st ,,	3 ,,	1st ,,
,, Trecarne	7th June 1915	8th June 1915	12th ,,	5 ,,	13th ,,
,, Aichbank	25th ,,	26th ,,	2nd July 1915	6 ,,	3rd July 1915.
,, Begonia	5th August 1915	7th August 1915	14th August 1915	6 ,,	14th August 1915
,, Zingara	21st June 1915	24th June 1915	29th June 1915	5 ,,	29th June 1915.
,, Pearlmoor	20th ,,	22nd ,,	30th ,,	8 ,,	30th ,,
,, Cornishman	13th ,,	22nd ,,	30th ,,	8 ,,	30th ,,
,, Groeswen	3rd July 1915	5th July 1915	10th July 1915	6 ,,	10th July 1915.
,, Trevelyan	4th June 1915	4th June 1915	8th June 1915	4 ,,	8th June 1915.
,, Frankenfels	18th ,,	19th ,,	25th ,,	6 ,,	25th ,,
,, Southfield	6th ,,	7th ,,	11th ,,	5 ,,	11th ,,
,, Gorsemore	7th ,,	7th ,,	11th ,,	5 ,,	11th ,,
,, Trevalgan	5th July 1915	6th July 1915	12th July 1915	6 ,,	13th July 1915
,, Ravenshoe	18th June 1915	19th June 1915	23rd June 1915	4 ,,	23rd June 1915
,, Westmoor	20th ,,	22nd ,,	26th ,,	5 ,,	27th ,,
,, Tremayne	15th ,,	16th ,,	19th ,,	4 ,,	19th ,,
,, Norman Prince	24th ,,	25th ,,	1st July 1915	6 ,,	1st July 1915
,, Wagner	24th ,,	25th ,,	1st ,,	6 ,,	1st ,,

Name of Steamer.	Date of arrival.	Date commenced loading.	Date completed loading.	Total number of days steamer worked.	Date of departure.
S. S. Clan Ross	20th June 1915	21st June 1915	29th June 1915	9 Days	29th June 1915.
„ Pindos	4th „	5th „	9th „	4 „	10th „
„ Manchester Port	14th „	15th „	18th „	4 „	19th „
„ Birchwood	16th „	18th „	22nd „	4 „	22nd „
„ Helgoland	29th July 1915	2nd August 1915	7th August 1915	6 „	7th August 1915.
„ Cober	21st June 191	23rd June 1915	30th June 1915	7 „	30th June 1915.
„ Lindenfels	16th „	17th „	23rd „	6 „	23rd „
„ Muristan	19th „	22nd „	26th „	5 „	26th „
„ M. Baoquehcim	29th „	1st July 1915	8th July 1915	7 „	8th July 1915
„ Kylestrome	27th „	28th June 1915	3rd „	5 „	4th „
„ Kurdistan	1st July 1915	2nd July 1915	8th „	6 „	8th „
„ Treveal	26th June 1915	26th June 1915	30th June 1915	5 „	30th June 1915.
„ Picton	2nd July 1915	3rd July 1915	12th July 1915	8 „	13th July 1915.
„ Avristan	2nd „	2nd „	9th „	7 „	9th „
„ Daghestan	4th „	5th „	9th „	5 „	9th „
„ Orangemoor	30th June 1915	1st „	5th „	4 „	6th „
„ Trelissick	15th July 1915	17th „	22nd „	5 „	23rd „
„ Windsor Hall	13th „	14th „	20th „	6 „	21st „
„ Glendhu	30th June 1915	5th „	9th „	5 „	9th „
„ Kandy	25th July 1915	27th „	4th August 1915	8 „	4th August 1915.
„ Cluden	24th „	26th „	30th July 1915	5 „	31st July 1915.
„ Cranmore	13th „	13th „	17th „	5 „	17th „
„ Elmsgarth	9th „	10th „	14th „	4 „	15th „
„ Kawak	16th „	17th „	22nd „	5 „	22nd „
„ Lingfield	15th „	16th „	21st „	5 „	22nd „
„ Waddon	20th „	21st „	27th „	6 „	28th „
„ Alesia	24th „	26th „	31st „	6 „	31st „
„ Headcliffe	26th „	27th „	3rd August 1915	7 „	4th August 1915.
„ Kurmark	29th June 1915	1st „	9th July 1915	8 „	9th July 1915.
„ Arosa	30th July 1915	31st „	5th August 1915	5 „	5th August 1915.

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TABLE No. XII.

Statement showing the total acreage and outturn of wheat in India in each official year from 1884-85 to 1913-14.

Years.	Acres.	Outturn in Tons.
1884-85	27,820,000	8,013,000
1885-86	27,393,000	7,739,000
1886-87	26,735,000	6,391,000
1887-88	26,855,000	7,149,000
1888-89	25,912,000	6,362,000
1889-90	24,773,000	6,123,000
1890-91	26,576,000	6,876,000
1891-92	27,032,772	6,093,741
1892-93	27,759,158	7,649,105
1893-94	28,716,735	7,268,982
1894-95	28,421,851	6,998,930
1895-96	24,071,320	5,380,342
1896-97	20,579,727	5,363,289
1897-98	24,537,775	7,208,384
1898-99	25,370,078	6,837,674
1899-1900	18,687,782	5,357,142
1900-01	23,864,550	7,093,529
1901-02	23,446,161	6,090,524
1902-03	23,438,177	7,971,446
1903-04	28,413,743	9,641,145
1904-05	28,470,200	7,582,040
1905-06	26,295,800	8,578,540
1906-07	28,536,000	8,185,900
1907-08	22,806,200	6,104,200
1908-09	26,068,100	7,597,500
1909-10	28,017,500	9,590,600
1910-11	30,565,000	10,061,500
1911-12	31,141,000	9,924,500
1912-13	30,048,000	9,853,000
1913-14	27,697,000	8,427,000
1914-15*	32,230,000	10,269,000

*The figures for 1914-15 are subject to revision.

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TABLE No. XIII.

Statement showing the fluctuations in the total exports of wheat from India to Foreign countries during the last 33 years.

(1881-82 to 1913-14).

Worst Years.			Best Years.		
Years.	Tons.	R	Years.	Tons.	R
1887-88	676,908	5,56,23,733	1881-82	995,050	8,62,00,618
			1882-83	709,688	6,08,88,136
1889-90	690,110	5,79,26,147	1883-84	1,050,070	8,85,58,112
			1884-85	792,494	6,31,60,182
1893-94	607,842	5,19,39,850			
			1885-86	1,053,446	8,00,53,311
1894-95	344,506	2,56,62,468	1886-87	1,113,181	8,62,59,856
			1888-89	880,570	7,52,32,714
1895-96	500,208	3,91,43,765			
			1890-91	716,024	6,04,24,260
1896-97	95,531	83,64,498	1891-92	1,515,335	14,38,20,022
			1892-93	748,672	7,44,03,835
1897-98	119,630	1,34,11,515			
			1898-99	976,024	9,71,96,877
1899-1900	485,204	3,90,94,963	1903-04	1,295,565	11,08,89,546
			1904-05	2,150,025	17,90,60,692
1900-01	2,501	3,00,832			
			1905-06	937,523	8,53,43,996
1901-02	366,090	3,25,59,204	1906-07	801,145	7,25,44,650
			1907-08	880,459	8,58,50,350
1902-03	514,607	4,51,53,570			
			1909-10	1,050,574	12,70,90,884
1908-09	109,777	1,34,00,777	1910-11	1,266,150	12,95,82,291
			1911-12	1,361,166	13,34,84,580
			1912-13	1,660,163	17,69,37,226
			1913-14	1,202,205	13,13,03,561

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TABLE No. XIV.

Exports of wheat from British India to the United Kingdom and Foreign countries during the five years 1909-10 to 1913-14 and the year 1914-15.

—	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	Average of 5 years.	Percentage to total exports.	1914-15.	Percentage to total exports.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.		Tons.	
United Kingdom	881,970	1,041,985	1,052,757	1,185,246	783,746	985,141	75·3	602,640	85·3
Sweden		8,590	12,626	10,197	10,869	8,456	·7	5,004	·7
Germany	8,487	5,835	18,975	22,886	25,075	16,252	1·2	2,339	·3
Holland	2,300	...	3,050	3,158	960	1,893	·1	...	...
Belgium	121,046	59,337	185,717	184,015	139,273	137,878	10·6	27,751	3·9
France	17,218	140,253	72,769	135,361	162,483	105,616	8·1	50,321	7·2
Italy	9,125	3,725	16,251	102,091	38,762	33,991	2·6	...	...
Other Countries	10,428	6,426	19,021	17,233	41,037	18,829	1·4	18,32	2·6
Total	1,050,574	1,266,151	1,361,166	1,660,187	1,202,205	1,308,056	100	706,383	100

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TABLE No. XV.

Statement of Daily Progress of Wheat Sales, 1915.

Date.	Range of daily prices in shillings and pence per quarter c. i. f., fixed by the Indian Firms' Committee.	Total Sales. Tons.
April 21st	66 to 69	5,165
„ 22nd	ditto ditto	5,750
„ 23rd	66 to 69	11,795
„ 24th	66 3 „ 69 3	22,430
„ 26th	ditto ditto	950
„ 27th	66 6 to 69	1,850
„ 28th	66 3 „ 69	...
„ 29th	ditto ditto	3,450
„ 30th	ditto ditto	3,450
May 1st	ditto ditto	250
„ 4th	66 1½ to 69	16,914
„ 5th	66 „ 69	8,700
„ 6th	ditto ditto	12,425
„ 7th	66 3 to 69	4,417
„ 8th	ditto ditto	300
„ 10th	66 to 69	...
„ 11th	65 6 „ 68 6	100
„ 12th	ditto ditto	5,326
„ 13th	ditto ditto	2,650
„ 14th	ditto ditto	1,600
„ 15th	ditto ditto	...
„ 17th	65 3 to 68 3	1,050
„ 18th	ditto ditto	200
„ 19th	ditto ditto	...
„ 20th	64 9 to 67 9	...
„ 21st	65 3 „ 68	9,139
„ 22nd	65 6 „ 68 3	...
„ 24th	ditto ditto	...

TABLE No. XV—*contd.*

Statement of Daily Progress of Wheat Sales, 1915—contd.

Date.		Range of daily prices in shillings and pence per quarter c. i. f., fixed by the Indian Firms' Committee.	Total Sales. Tons.
May	25th	65 6 to 68 3	...
„	26th	ditto ditto	...
„	27th	65 to 67 9	...
„	2 th	ditto ditto	2,834
„	29th	ditto ditto	...
„	31st	64 3 to 67	...
June	1st	63 3 „ 66 6	...
„	2nd	61 9 „ 65 0	300
„	3rd	61 3 „ 64 6	250
„	5th	60 3 „ 63 6	...
„	7th	59 3 „ 62 6	...
„	8th	58 „ 62 0	...
„	9th	56 9 „ 62 0	500
„	10th	55 9 „ 61 0	...
„	11th	54 9 „ 58 0	...
„	12th	53 9 „ 57 0	...
„	14th	54 3 „ 57 0	100
„	15th	53 9 „ 54 9	10,371
„	16th	52 3 „ 53 3	225
„	17th	ditto ditto	500
„	18th	51 3 to 52 3	150
„	19th	ditto ditto	900
„	21st	ditto ditto	7,187
„	22nd	49 9 to 50 9	250
„	23rd	ditto ditto	250
„	24th	50 3 to 51 3	20,461
„	25th	50 6 to 51 6	15,643
„	26th	51 6 to 52 6	4,090
„	28th	ditto ditto	11,305
„	29th	52 3 to 53 3	17,411
„	30th	ditto ditto	669

TABLE No. XV—*contd.*

Statement of Daily Progress of Wheat Sales, 1915—contd.

Date.	Range of daily prices in shillings and pence per quartor c. i. f., fixed by the Indian Firms' Committee.	Total Sales. Tons.
July 1st	52 6 to 53 6	3,328
„ 2nd	52 9 „ 53 9	2,130
„ 3rd	53 9 „ 54 9	300
„ 5th	ditto ditto	45
„ 6th	ditto ditto	33
„ 7th	53 3 to 54 3	8,264
„ 8th	53 6 „ 54 6	50
„ 9th	53 9 „ 54 9	356
„ 10th	ditto ditto	1,293
„ 12th	ditto ditto	15,074
„ 13th	54 0 to 55 0	2,765
„ 14th	54 6 „ 55 6	15,330
„ 15th	55 0 „ 56 6	19,922
„ 16th	ditto ditto	1,826
„ 17th	ditto ditto	6,840
„ 19th	ditto ditto	22,811
„ 20th	55 4½ to 57 0	1,240
„ 21st	55 1½ „ 56 9	...
„ 22nd	ditto ditto	3,737
„ 23rd	ditto ditto	4,731
„ 24th	55 7½ to 57 3	705
„ 26th	ditto ditto	17,873
„ 27th	ditto ditto	2,012
„ 28th	ditto ditto	9,747
„ 29th	ditto ditto	135
„ 30th	55 4½ to 57	100
„ 31st	ditto ditto	200
August 3rd	ditto ditto	2,079
„ 4th	ditto ditto	1,434
„ 5th	55 7½ to 7 3	231

TABLE No. XV—*contd.*

Statement of Daily Progress of Wheat Sales, 1915—concld.

Date.	Range of daily prices in shillings and pence per quarter c. i. f., fixed by the Indian Firms' Committee	Total Sales. Tons.
August 6th	55 7½ to 57 3	712
„ 7th	ditto ditto	7,650
„ 9th	ditto ditto	10,760
„ 10th	ditto ditto	7,380
„ 11th	ditto ditto	1,761
„ 12th	ditto ditto	18,847
„ 13th	56 1½ to 57 9	240
„ 14th	ditto ditto	55
„ 16th	ditto ditto	98
„ 17th	ditto ditto	3,584
„ 18th	ditto ditto	4,041
„ 19th	ditto ditto	5,838
„ 20th	ditto ditto	1,381
„ 21st	ditto ditto	110
„ 23rd	ditto ditto	206
„ 24th	ditto ditto	50
„ 25th	55 7½ to 57 3	...
„ 26th	ditto ditto	21
„ 27th	ditto ditto	6,644
„ 28th	54 1½ to 55 3	25
„ 30th	ditto ditto	200
„ 31st	53 1½ to 54	340
From 1st September to 5th October	53 7½ „ 55 3	100,358
TOTAL		531,199

NOTE.—Named cargo sales at prices outside the limits fixed:—

15th June. S. S. "Palestrina," 5008 tons, C. W. K., at 51 per quarter, C. I. F.
15th „ „ "Silverwings," 2303 tons, C. W. K., at 52 per quarter, C. I. F.
„ „ „ „ 2000 tons, Soft White, Delhi, at 52 per quarter, C. I. F.
21st „ „ "Helmsmuir," 5072 tons, C. W. K., at 50 per quarter, C. I. F.
„ „ „ „ 2000 tons, Red, Karachi, at 496 per quarter, C. I. F.

NOTE 2.—Daily figures for sales subsequent to the 21st August are not yet available. 1095 tons of wheat were jettisoned at Port Said. The small balance of about 200 tons was sold before the 18th October.

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TABLE No. XVI.

Statement showing quantities of wheat purchased in different Agencies by Karachi Firms. (Figures in tons).

Name of Agency.	Province.	Ralli Bros.	Louis Dreyfus.	Sanday Patrick.	Clements Robson.	E. D. Sassoon.	Strauss.	Total.
Lyallpur	Punjab . . .	20,611	29,498	23,702	18,940	8,170	3,457	1,04,378
Gujranwalla	" . . .	...	...	2,511	...	...	...	2,511
Ferozepore	" . . .	21,286	...	5,413	...	...	...	26,699
Shahpur	" . .		...	3,017	...	...	...	3,017
Sargodha	" . . .	11,192	7,149	5,241	...	1,400	...	24,982
Montgomery . . .	" . . .	...	...	2,914	...	...	...	2,914
Amritsar	" . . .	19,535	39,173	843	...	...	...	59,551
Gurdaspur	" . .	...	...	1,190	...	...	...	1,190
Lahore	"	...	...	14,439	17,015	...	...	31,454
Multan	" . . .	9,208	6,834	13,133·5	...	...	...	29,175·5
Jullundur . . .	" .	...	...	778	...	...	...	778
Phagwara	" . . .	...	...	3,722	...	...	...	3,722
Ludhiana	" . .	...	...	1,892	...	...	...	1,892
Umballa	" . .	...	...	2,760	...	...	...	2,760
Delhi . . .	Delhi . .	22,872*	...	815	8,850	...	...	32,537
Cawnpore . . .	United Provinces .	3,722	...	...	...	...	...	3,722
Muzaffarnagar . . .	" " .	...	...	195	...	...	...	195

*257 tons of this were bought in the Punjab. The bulk of the remainder of the Delhi Agency purchases were made in United Provinces districts.

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TABLE NO. XVI—*contd.*

Statement showing quantities of wheat purchased in different Agencies by Karachi Firms. (*Figures in tons*)—concld.

Name of Agency.	Province.	Ralli Bros.	Louis Dreyfus.	Sanday Patrick.	Clements Robson.	E. D. Sassoon.	Strauss.	Total.
Chandausi	United Provinces	...	...	2,141	...	2,835	...	4,976
Meerut	"	...	...	1,161		...	...	1,161
Bareilly	"	...	9,851	2,166	...	...	...	12,017
Katauli	"	...	...	1,078	...	...	...	1,078
Saharanpur	"	...	10,397	1,407	..	...	...	11,804
Deoband	"	...	...	459	...	...	...	459
Moradabad	"	...	...	2,276	...	...	...	2,276
Aligarh	"	...	...	631	...	...	...	631
Hathras	"	...	...	1,019	...	...	...	1,019
Karachi	Sind	4,283	14,581	5,524	16,809	12,970	9,295	63,462
Larkhana	"	...	...	1,879·5	...	...	...	1,879·5
Sukkur	"	1,067	2,049	5,647	6,145	...	...	14,908
Mirpurkhas	"	3,354	...	...	...	...	...	3,354
		..	...	*Add* 21 balance of previous purchases for various Agencies.	...	..	..	21
Total	......	117,130 *Less* 370 shortages in godown. Net purchases 116,760	119,532	1,07,975	67,759	25,375	12,752	450,523

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TABLE No. XVI—*contd.*

Statement showing localities where Bombay Firms' purchases were made.

Locality where purchases were made.	Quantity in tons and price per maund F. O. B.															Bought against defaulting sellers.
R	4-10-9	4-13-3	4-14-9	4-15-9	5-2-9	5-5-3	5-6-9	5-7-9	5-9-9	5-12-0	5-13-0	5-13-6	5-14-0	5-15-0	6-0-0	
Bombay	...	29	562	...	...	...	...	450	4,472	802	2,727	...	278	881	687	...
Indore, Jubbulpore, and Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,214	5,336	...	...
Jubbulpore and Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,074	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indore and Jubbulpore	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	263	...	...	...	330	1,697	...	...
Cawnpore and Delhi	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,427	...	...	1,552	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nagpur, Delhi, and Mehsana	...	...	62	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...
Nagpur and Delhi	...	...	39	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amritsar and Ferozepore	...	...	1,400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay and Delhi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	365
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34
Mehsana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	...	1,996	...	...	...	...	...

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TABLE No. XVI—*contd.*

Statement showing localities where Bombay Firms' purchases were made.

Locality where purchases were made.	Quantity in tons and price per maund f. o. b.															Bought against defaulting sellers.
R	4-10-9	4-13-3	4-14-9	4-15-9	5-2-9	5-5-3	5-6-9	5-7-9	5-9-9	5-12-0	5-13-0	5-13-6	5-14-0	5-15-0	6-0-0	
Junagad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	242	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nagpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	...	...	885	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jubbulpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	134	...	135	60	...
Indore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	120	80	...
Cawnpore	...	...	19	...	44	...	132	...	...	1,211½	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hathras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	385	...	...	...	...	...
Delhi	...	528	264	31	600	185	...	354	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ferozepore	3	24	230	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amritsar	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	...
Gadarwara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	500	...	...	...	...	1,277	...	...
Harda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	350	...	...	25	...	580	...	...
Piparia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	485	...	...	...	...	637	...	...
Saugor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	360	250	...	...	...	...	...
Dongargarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	300	...	...	370	...	...	...	...	...	...
Seoni	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...
Kareli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	...
	3	581	2,506	31	644	185	2,906	825	7,144	5,422½	5,358	209	2,922	10,803	827	399

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TABLE No. XVI.—*concld.*

Statement showing localities where Calcutta Firms' purchases were made

Agency.	Province.	Name of firm.	Quantity in Tons and Price per maund f. o. b.										
			5-9-0	5-6-0	5-3-9	5-2-0	5-1-9	5-1-6	5-1-0	4-15-9	4-14-9	4-13-3	4-11-9
ocal		Messrs. E. D. Sassoon	150	.	.				..	.		...	...
		" Petrocochino Brothers.	...	.	1,900	.	.	.	..	..	...	...	...
		" Becker, Gray		..					...	..	200	...	...
		" Ralli Brothers		.		...	...	..	...	175	...	...	...
awnpore	United Provinces	" Ralli Brothers	400		1,170	4	...	...	...	203	2,746	...	...
elhi	Delhi	" " "	2,153	..	6,271			...	..	2,167	6,733	...	...
agpur	Central Provinces	" " "	160				..	...	..	..	..	...	...
asaram	Bihar	" " "	45			.	...	...	..	..	12	...	...
hahganj	do.	" " "	54	...	.	..	.	...	...	...		...	...
hagaria	do.	" " "	60	.	13	.	..	3	8	...	189	...	...
atkhola	Bengal	" " "	218	.	461	...	..	...	...	..	..	...	...
ettiah	Bihar	" " "	...	30	..	.	.	..		.	44	...	191
ubbulpore	Central Provinces		...	..	...	.	1,267	...	...	..	..	...	...
mritsar	Punjab	" " "	...	..	..	..	..		...	..	1,530	150	...
aska Bazar	United Provinces	" " "		.	...	...	...	...	..	..	115	...	...
hagalpur	Bihar	" " "	..	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	91	...	15
itamarhi	do.	" " "	..	...			...	...	...	...	80	...	...
erozepore	Punjab	" " "	...	...		...	..	..	..	..	425	...	...
		Total	3,240	30	9,?15	4	1,267	3	8	2,545	12,165	150	206
		GRAND TOTAL	...	..	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,438

Note.—100 tons purchased by Messrs. Louis Dreyfus at R 4-14-9 was bought through their Karachi Branch at Bareilly.

APPENDIX C.—TABLE XVII.

Comparative Statement of Indian and Home Analysis.

Name of Steamer.	Name of Firm.	Tons.	Indian.			Home.			Remarks.
			Dirt.	Barley.	Wheat.	Dirt.	Barley.	Wheat.	
			Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	
Haydn	Clements Robson	1,000	1·70	3	95·30	0·94	2·09	96·97	
,, ...	Louis Dreyfus	810	1	4·75	94·75	0·97	4·72	94·31	
,, ...	,, ,, ...	200	1	4	95	0·75	6·10	93·15	
,, ...	,, ,, ...	300	1	4·396	94·604	0·75	6·10	93·15	
,, ...	,, ,, ...	300	1	4	95	1·12	4·65	94·23	
,, ...	,, ,, ...	400	1	4	95	1·12	4·65	94·23	
,, ...	,, ,, ...	300	1	4·13	94·87	1·12	4·65	94·23	
,, ...	E. D. Sassoon	2,000	1·50	3	94·50	0·84	2·45	96·71	
Stephanotis	Sanday Patrick	475	1·80	2	96·20	0·74	1·80	97·46	
,, ...	Ralli Brothers	1,870	1·48	2	96·52	0·86	1·94	97·20	
,, ...	Clements Robson	630	1·70	2	96·30	1·00	1·59	97·41	
,, ...	E. D. Sassoon	275	1·75	2	96·25	1·14	1·34	97·52	

Stephanotis	Louis Dreyfus	700	1	2·75	96·25	1·03	2·63	96·34
"	" "	1,676·3	1	2·94	96·06	1·03	2·63	96·34
"	" "	187·2	1	3	96	0·68	5·72	93·60
Helmsmuir	" "	800	1	5·56	93·44	0·96	4·65	94·39
"	" "	700	1	4	95	0·96	4·65	94·39
"	" "	1,700	1	4·2	94·80	0·96	4·65	94·39
"	" "	1,872	1	4·18	94·82	0·96	4·65	94·39
"	" "	300	1	4	95	0·89	4·28	94·33
"	" "	800	1	4·2	94·80	0·89	4·78	94·33
"	" "	900	1	4·18	94·82	0·89	4·78	94·33
Aleppo	Ralli Brothers	3,210	1·49	3·60	94·91	0·98	4·25	94·77
"	" "	3,560	1·51	4·22	94·27	1·10	4·55	94·35
Glendene	Louis Dreyfus	2,950	1	4	95	1	4·07	94·93
"	Sanday Patrick	1,500	2·05	2·60	95·35	1·05	3·08	95·87
"	" "	1,550	2·00	4·50	93·50	0·85	4·41	95·74
Silverwings	" "	2,363	2·00	2·95	95·05	0·97	3·58	95·45
"	" "	2,000	2·10	3·75	94·15	0·97	4·76	94·27
Emil	Ralli Brothers	4,582	2·50	2·38	96·12	1·01	2·61	96·38

APPENDIX C.—TABLE XVII—*contd.*

Comparative Statement of Indian and Home Analysis—contd.

Name of Steamer.	Name of Firm.	Tons.	Indian. Dirt.	Indian. Barley.	Indian. Wheat.	Home. Dirt.	Home. Barley.	Home. Wheat.	Remarks.
			Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	
Ruperra	Louis Dreyfus	1,500	1	4·69	94·31	0·82	3·78	95·40	
„	„ „	1,500	1	4·1	94·90	0·82	3·78	95·40	
„	„ „	100	1	4·1	94·90	0·88	4·11	95·09	
„	„ „	2,300	1	4·15	94·85	0·88	4·11	95·01	
„	„ „	989	1	3·73	95·27	0·88	4·11	95·09	
Mozart	Clements Robson	1,220	1·50	3·20	95·30	0·70	2·02	96·48	
Yorkmoor	E. D. Sassoon	925	0·85	2·85	96·30	0·86	2·93	96·21	
„	„ „	75	0·80	4	95·20	0·92	4·80	94·28	
„	Louis Dreyfus	500	1	4·66	94·34	1·07	6·18	92·75	
„	„ „	500	1	4·66	94·34	0·93	3·81	95·26	
„	Ralli Brothers	1,000	1·50	3·03	95·47	1·27	4·22	94·51	
„	Sanday Patrick	4,055	1·81	3·81	94·38	0·90	3·34	95·76	
Berbera	Louis Dreyfus	350	1	5·10	93·90	1·05	4·06	94·89	
„	„ „	650	1	5·10	93·90	1·09	4·83	94·08	

Barbera	Clements Robson	1,000	1·65	2·50	95·85	5·81	2·16	97·03
"	Ralli Brothers	1,000	1·49	2·60	95·91	0·97	3·39	95·64
"	Sanday Patrick	1,000	2	3·40	94·60	1·14	4·05	94·81
Kerman	Ralli Brothers	8 700	1·51	3·06	95·43	0·81	3·48	95·71
Dungeness	Clements Robson	4,765	1·90	1·95	96·15	0·78	2·45	96·77
Gutenfels	Sanday Patrick	1,750	1·85	3·35	94·80	1·39	4·53	94·08
... ...	" "	150	1·95	4·75	93·30	1·05	4·23	94·72
"	Ralli Brothers	2,420	1·49	2·91	95·60	1·36	2·64	95
"	Louis Dreyfus	300	1·00	4·00	95·00	1·39	4·99	93·62
Marwarri	" "	1,000	1·52	3·90	94·8	0·92	3·66	95·42
"	" "	1,020	1·54	4·20	94·2[illegible]	0·90	4·50	94·60
"	Clements Robson	1,000	1·65	4·50	93·85	0·84	5·78	93·38
Trevessa	" "	5,604	1·52	3·32	95·16	1·00	4·19	94·81
Lindenfels	Ralli Brothers	1,600	1·53	4·34	94·13	0·82	4·79	94·39
"	" "	100	1·56	4·8	93·56	0·93	6·00	93·07
"	Clements Robson	1,700	1·60	5·40	93	0·84	4·96	94·20
Birchwood	Louis Dreyfus	900	1	4	95	0·86	3·83	95·31
"	"	1,800	1	4·36	94·64	0·86	3·83	95·31
"	"	1,381·5	1	3·93	95·07	0·86	3·83	95·31

APPENDIX C.—TABLE XVII.—*contd.*

Comparative Statement of Indian and Home Analysis.—contd.

Name of Steamer.	Name of Firm.	Tons.	Indian. Dirt.	Indian. Barley.	Indian. Wheat.	Home. Dirt	Home. Barley.	Home. Wheat.	Remarks.
			Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	
Pindos	Louis Dreyfus	1,200	1	3·48	95·52	0·88	3·84	95·28	
"	"	1,500	1	3·30	95·70	0·88	3·84	95·28	
"	"	1,200	1	3·42	95·88	0·88	3·84	95·28	
"	"	1,141·7	1	3·4	95·6	0·88	3·84	95·28	
Trevelyan	Sanday Patrick	4,411	1·75	4·35	93·90	1·02	4·55	94·4	
Medomsley	"	5,100	2	3	95	1·03	3·18	95·79	
Tremayne	Strauss and Company	6,076	1·4	2·80	95·75	0·75	2·63	9[illegible]·62	
Cornishman	Ralli Brothers	1,515	1·52	4·35	94·13	1·15	4·71	94·14	
"	Clements Robson	200	1·50	4·40	94·10	0·91	6·67	92·42	
Gartness	Ralli Brothers	3,151	1·50	2·91	95·59	1·08	3·84	95·08	
Muristan	Louis Dreyfus	4,510	1	4·25	94·75	0·83	3·83	95·34	
Trehawke	Ralli Brothers	6,140	1·51	3·10	95·39	1·52	3·50	94·98	
Dromore	"	600	1·53	3·38	95·09	1·05	3·45	95·50	

Fromone	Clements Robson	800	1·85	3·40	94·75	1·10	3·20	95·70
Manchester Port	Ralli Brothers	6,064	1·52	3·85	94·63	1·29	4·59	94·12
Windsor Hall	„	5,700	1·54	4·39	94·07	1·04	4·87	94·09
Gorsemore	Clements Robson	1,050	1·50	2·80	95·70	1·06	2·61	96·33
„	Ralli Brothers	100	1·51	4·76	93·73	1·78	8·05	90·17
Zingara	Clements Robson	5,122	1·80	4·20	94·00	1·04	3·58	95·38
Chinkoa	E. D. Sassoon	1,800	0·90	2·30	95·80	0·80	3·24	95·96
Pearlmoor	„	4,999·7	1·00	2·30	96·70	0·64	2·20	97·16
Kurdistan	Ralli Brothers	3,285	1·53	4·53	93·94	1·01	4·65	94·34
„	„	990	1·53	4·53	93·94	0·84	4·04	95·12
„	„	520·3	1·53	4·68	93·79	1·05	5·19	93·76
„	„	979·7	1·54	6·46	92·00	0·96	5·98	93·08
Frankenfels	„	600	1·53	4·00	94·47	0·83	4·00	95·17
„	Clements Robson	1	1·30	2·60	96·10	0·85	2·86	96·29
Norman Prince	„	50,81	1·53	4·46	94·01	0·96	4·74	94·30
Bassano	„	266·1	1·55	6·87	91·58	1·05	7·86	91·09
„	„	233·9	1·53	4·84	93·63	0·67	4·95	94·38
„	„	2,200	1·52	4·20	94·28	1·01	3·79	95·20
Wagner...	„	105·9	1·53	6·46	92·01	1·01	7·32	91·67

APPENDIX C.—TABLE XVII.—*concld.*

Comparative Statement of Indian and Home Analysis.—concld.

Name of Steamer.	Name of Firm.	Tons.	Indian.			Home.			Remarks.
			Dirt.	Barley.	Wheat.	Dirt.	Barley.	Wheat.	
			Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.	
Wagner	Ralli Brothers	894·1	1·54	4·53	93·93	1·00	5·08	93·92	
"	"	3,276·5	1·54	4·40	94·06	0·92	4·41	94·67	
"	"	693·5	1·54	4·40	94·06	0·92	4·41	94·67	
Southfield	Sanday Patrick	5,277	1·70	4·00	94·30	1·01	4·25	94·74	
Treveal	" "	3,300	1·70	4·95	93·35	1·24	4·50	94·30	
"	" "	3,253	1·70	4·95	93·35	0·90	4·50	94·60	
Hindoo	Clements Robson	1,915	1·50	3·30	95·20	0·64	2·81	96·55	
Picton	Ralli Brothers	2,222	·53	4·48	93·99	0·90	3·96	95·14	
"	"	1,434	1·53	4·48	93·99	1·02	4·97	94·01	
"	"	2,367	1·56	4·66	93·78	0·87	3·69	95·44	
"	"	2,633	1·53	6·86	91·61	1·00	6·53	92·47	
Trankenfels	Sanday Patrick	2,200	1·80	4·20	94·00	1·01	4·46	94·53	
Roma	Clements Robson	5,767	1·45	2·80	95·75	0·99	3·06	95·95	

ingfield	Strauss & Co.	4,805	1·75	2·75	95·50	0·86	3·08	96·06
„	„	1,692	2·00	6·00	92·00	0·94	5·54	93·52
Bassano...	„	2,200	1·52	4·20	94·28	1·01	3·79	95·20
„	„	400	1·00	3·94	95·06	1·39	4·99	93·62
„	„	800	1·00	3·86	95·14	1·39	4·99	93·62
„	„	400	1·00	4·66	94·34	1·39	4·99	93·62
Kirkdale	Louis Dreyfus	150	1·00	4·06	94·94	0·85	4·60	94·55
„	„	300	1·00	4·37	94·63	0·85	4·60	94·55
„	„	300	1·00	4·46	94·54	0·85	4·60	94·55
„	„	300	1·00	3·80	95·20	0·85	4·60	94·55
Kurmark	Clements Robson	2,300	1·55	4·30	94·15	0·97	5·12	93·91
„	„	250	1·60	5·30	93·10	1·05	4·82	94·13
Silk Worth Hall	Sanday Patrick	3,956	1·85	3·95	94·20	1·35	3·86	94·79
Archbank	„	3,000	1·65	5·00	93·35	1·33	5·36	93·31
Waddon...	E. D. Sassoon	3,144	1·10	3·60	95·30	0·85	3·50	95·65
Canara	„	1,921	1·00	4·30	94·70	0·81	3·88	95·31
„	„	50	1·10	2·75	96·15	0·86	4·15	94·99
Morocco	„	1,000	1·25	5·20	93·55	0·64	4·40	94·96

APPENDIX C.—TABLE XVIII.

Statement showing the percentage of gain or loss in outturn in shipments by Messrs. Ralli Brothers, Louis Dreyfus, Sanday Patrick and Clements Robson, & Co., Karachi, as reported by those firms.

Name of Steamer.	Ralli Brothers.		Louis Dreyfus.		Sanday Patrick.		Clements Robson.	
	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn. Gain = + Loss = —	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn. Gain = + Loss = —	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn. Gain = + Loss = —	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn. Gain = + Loss = —
		Per cent.		Per cent.		Per cent.		Per cent.
S. S. Stephanotis	1870	+0·13	9,376·3	+0·422	...	...	630	—0·22
"	...	...	187·2	—0·287	...	...	...	...
" Cannizaro	144·8	—1·07	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1,878·9	—0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Emil	4,580·5	—0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Aleppo	677	—0·39	...	...	400	+0·43	...	...
"	...	...	...	...	600	—0·21	...	...
" Trevessa	6,404	—0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Yorkmoor	1,000	—0·15	500	+1·278	...	...	...	...

„	„ ...	...	...	...	...	...	500	+0·767	...	...	...	...
„	Altair ...	...	...	...	5,530	—0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
„	Kerman ...	...	...	...	670·6	—0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...
„	Berbera ...	...	...	...	1,000	+0·11	650	+2·101	1,000	—0·02	1,000	—0·64
„	„ ...	...	...	...	...	...	350	+0·716	...	...	...	...
„	Gartness ...	...	...	...	3,151	—0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...
„	Marwarri ...	...	...	...	2,020	+0·02	1,000	—0·721	300	—0·49	1,000	+0·25
	„ ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	+0·929	1,700	—0·18	...	...
„	Lindenfels ...	...	...	...	1,700	—0·13	1,291·1	—0·068	1,000	—0·32	1,700	—0·21
„	„ ...	...	...	...	...	...	200	—1·059	700	—0·18	...	...
„	„ ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	—0·146	...	...	...	...
„	Cober ...	...	...	...	...	...	4,768	+0·146	...	...	...	...
„	Orangemoor	...	...	...	...	...	6,550	—0·158	...	...	...	...
„	Elmsgarth	...	...	...	...	...	4,992	—0·115	...	...	...	...
„	Locksley Hall	...	...	...	1,500	+0·33	1,050	+0·666	...	...	1,500	+0·15
„	Pindos ...	...	...	...	...	...	5,041·7	+0·313	...	...	...	...
„	Haydn ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	+0·260	...	...	1,000	—0·33

APPENDIX C.—Table XVIII.—*contd.*

Statement showing the percentage of gain or loss, etc.—contd.

Name of Steamer.	Ralli Brothers.		Louis Dreyfus.		Sanday Patrick.		Clements-Robson.	
	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn Gain = + Loss = —	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn Gain = + Loss = —	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn Gain = + Loss = —	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn Gain = + Loss = —
		Per cent.		Per cent.		Per cent.		Per cent.
S. S. Haydn	...	...	500	+0·105	...	...	...	...
" "	...	...	810	+0·390	...	...	...	...
" Oronsay	...	...	3,033	+0·134	...	...	...	...
" "	...	...	2,500	+0·023	...	...	...	...
" Glendene	...	...	2,950	+0·716	...	...	...	...
" Helmsmuir	...	...	5,072	+0·409	...	...	...	...
" "	...	...	2,000	+0·109	...	...	...	...
" Gutenfels	...	...	1,900	+1·324	1,900	—0·004	1,900	—0·09
" Ruperra	...	...	6,589	+0·249	...	...	...	...
" Birchwood	...	...	4,081·5	+0·255	...	...	...	...
" Muristan	...	...	4,510	+0·939	...	...	...	...
" Hindoo	...	...	2,600	—0·369	1,200	—0·02	...	...
" "	...	...	...	...	1,100	—0·46	...	...

" Treveal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,300	—0·02	...	...
" Foylemore ...	...	...	...	...	...	4,522	+0·325	6,553	—0·56	...	...
" Trevelyan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	400	—0·21	...	...
" Medomsley ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,411	—0·51	...	...
" Mozart ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	5,100	—0·16	...	
" " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,200	—0·002	2,600	—0·69
" Silkworth Hall	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	1,800	—0·44	...	...
" Frankenfels...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,956	+0·17	..	...
" Archbank ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	200	—0·27	1,400	—0·35
" Kurmark ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,000	+0·37	...	...
" Dungeness ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,500	—0·62	...	..
" Ravenshoe ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		..	4,765	—0·05
" Zingara ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,570	—0·22
" Trelissick ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	5,122	—0·35
" Picton ...	...	...	...	4,156	+0·05	3,500	—0·073	...	...	6,479	—0·81
" Trehawke ...	...	...	...	7,205	—0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Wagner ...	...	...	...	4,276·5	+0·44	...	...	...	...	...	...
" " ...	...	...	...	693·5	+0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Windsor Hall	...	...	...	5,690·6	+0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...

APPENDIX C.—Table XVIII.—*concld.*

Statement showing the percentage of gain or loss, etc.—concld.

Name of Steamer.	Ralli Brothers.		Louis Dreyfus.		Sanday Patrick.		Clements Robson.	
	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn Gain = + Loss = —	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn Gain = + Loss = —	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn Gain = + Loss = —	Quantity shipped in Tons.	Outturn Gain = + Loss = —
		Per cent.		Per cent.		Per cent.		Per cent.
S. S. Kurdistan	5,575	—0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Norman Prince	5,081	+0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Manchester Port	6,064	—0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Bassano	2,700	+0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Alesia	6,609	—0·54	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Dromore	3,665	+0·40	1,400	+0·390	...	...	1,000	+0·39
" Gorsemore	1,050	+0·33	1,250	+0·280	...	...	1,050	+0·28
" Cornishmore	1,515	+0·98	980·6	+0·524	...	...	...	...
" "	...	...	154·8	+1·156	...	...	...	...
" Trevalgan	...	...	6,950	—0·272	...	...	...	...
" Cluden	...	...	4,456	—0·126	...	...	...	...

„ Trecarne ...	...	...	...	7,200	—0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ Clan Ross ...	...	...	...	2,200	—0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ Kawak ...	...	...	...	4,905	—0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ Arosa ...	...	...	...	3,471	—0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ Morocco ...	...	...	...	1,500	—0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ Groswen ...	...	...	...	5,364	—0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ Kirkdale ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,050	+0·485	...	...	...	...